



Distinguished Riders of Columbia, South Carolina

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Distinguished Riders of Columbia, SC Minority Scholarship

Scholarship Description

The Distinguished Riders of Columbia South Carolina Scholarship was established in 2019. Our goal is to provide college scholarships to outstanding minority students who are graduating high school seniors ready to pursue a four-year baccalaureate degree at an accredited college or university. To receive consideration, applicants must be a minority residing in South Carolina, have a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA and demonstrate a financial need.

Award amount: \$500 each (non-renewable)

Awards Available: 1 Male / 1 Female

Application Deadline: June 1, 2020

Application requirements

- Acceptance letter to an accredited college or university
- Official high school transcript
- 1-2 page essay describing why you should be selected for the scholarship. Be sure to document your expected course of study and clearly communicate your reasons for financial need. Volunteer hours and extra-curricular activities while in high school should also be described in the essay. Essays will be judged on the quality of content and not length.
- Proof of volunteer hours listed in your essay
- Reference letter from an educator at your school, employer, and/or person providing volunteer oversight (not a family member)
- Email essays and supporting documentation to distinguishedridersmcofsc@gmail.com (Please include name and year in electronic document titles. ex.b.jones.essay2019.doc) **or** mail your application documents to:

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