



**NAACP Scholarship Application
2019 – 2020
Fort Worth/Tarrant County Branch
Deadline: March 1**

Student Name: _____ TCU ID #: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Date of Birth: _____

High School: _____ City: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Organizations/Affiliations (may be continued on a separate page):

Offices/Positions Held (may be continued on a separate page)

Hobbies (may be continued on a separate page)

Essay:

Please prepare a 300 – 500 word written response for one of the selected topics below:

- Three people who have been most influential in my life and why.
- Why I feel I am deserving candidate for this scholarship.
- What commitment(s) am I willing to make to my community?

Personal References:

Name	Address	Telephone
1.		
2.		
3.		

Note:

- Please provide a wallet size photo
- Attach a current transcript
- Application must be typed

Return to: Ms. Estella Williams
Fort Worth/Tarrant Co. Branch, NAACP
1063 Evans Avenue
Fort Worth, TX 76104

Student Signature

Date

**NAACP Scholarship
Fort Worth/Tarrant County Branch**

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) was incorporated in the state of New York in 1911. The principal objectives as stated in the Certificate of Incorporation are as follows: “Voluntarily to promote equality of rights and eradicate cost and race prejudice among the Citizens of the United States; to advance at the interest of Colored Citizens, to secure for them impartial suffrage, and to increase their opportunities for securing justice in the courts, education for their children, employment according to their ability, and complete equality before the law. “To ascertain and publish all facts bearing upon these subjects and to take any lawful action thereon; together with any and all things which may lawfully be done by a membership corporation organized under the laws of the state of New York.”

The Award Provides:

Tuition and fees for up to four years or 136 hours of coursework in a TCU under-graduate degree program. Another NAACP Scholar will be named at the end of four years.

Criteria for Selection:

1. Applicants must be planning to pursue an under-graduate degree in education.
2. Applicants must be admitted to TCU and must remain in good academic standing during the course of their work.
3. Applicant must file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to determine eligibility for other aid. If eligible for state and federal aid, the tuition and fees will be covered by a combination of the three types of aid.
4. Applicant must possess a minimum high school GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
5. Scholarship recipient must make a three-year commitment to teach with the FWISD.

Process of Selection:

1. Applications are available through the Fort Worth Tarrant County Branch, NAACP; Texas Christian University Office of Scholarships and Student Financial Aid; or the high school counselor or academic coordinator’s office.
2. Complete and return the application to:
Fort Worth/Tarrant County Branch, NAACP
ATTN: Ms. Estella Williams, Secretary
1063 Evans Avenue
Fort Worth, TX 76104
3. Application deadline: March 1st

Contact Ms. Estella Williams at 817-293-1014 for additional information.