

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CRITERIA ALABAMA LIONS OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH FUND

The Lions of Alabama, MD-34, has established through The Alabama Lions Opportunities for Youth Fund, scholarship(s) to honor J. Frank Moore III, Past International President of Lions Clubs International in recognition of his devotion to the youth of the State of Alabama. The following criteria are established to govern the selection and award of the scholarship(s).

Applicants must be residents of the State of Alabama who will be attending a post-secondary institution located in the State of Alabama.

Each scholarship is designated for full time, in-state tuition, mandatory fees, and other related expenses while attending a post-secondary institution.

Applicants must be beginning Freshman who are admitted unconditionally into a degree program and must have a minimum ACT composite score of 22 or a minimum SAT I score of 1030.

Letter(s) of Acceptance from post-secondary institution(s) located in the State of Alabama must accompany the application.

The Scholarship Award shall be disbursed by the financial aid office of the college or university at which the student is enrolled.

Preference will be given to applicants who have demonstrated community service leadership in recognized school or community organizations and clubs.

Applicants must submit a written statement, limited to one (1) page, addressing the topic: "What Community Service Means to Me."

Three (3) reference forms that address the applicant's leadership qualities and skills must be submitted and received in order to complete the scholarship application. These forms must include one (1) from a school administrator, one (1) from a present /former teacher, and one (1) from an individual unrelated to school or family.

Written verification of ACT/SAT scores and a certified copy of the applicant's high school transcript must accompany the application.

Family members of the Board of Trustees or Officers of the Alabama Lions Opportunities for Youth Fund are not eligible to receive scholarship awards.