

Background

This \$1000 scholarship is offered by Mr. Eldred Jackson and his family. An additional scholarship may be provided if there is a close runner up.

Guidelines

Candidates for the **Eldred Jackson Family Scholarship Fund** *must*:

1. Plan to attend Southern University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.
2. Submit an essay of no more than 500 words that covers the following topics:
 - a. Educational Plans
 - b. Career Goals
 - c. The impact this scholarship will have on educational plans & career goals.
3. Provide one personal letter of recommendation.
4. Include the check list from one academic teacher and/or employment supervisor.
5. Have a 3.0 cumulative average through Grade 11. In addition, a grade of 3.0 must be maintained through the first semester of Grade 12.
6. Be accepted at Southern University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.
7. The administration of each school should select up to two finalists in consideration for the Scholarship. We will accept only two applications per school.

Payment to Southern University will be made at the conclusion of the first semester as long as the student is in good standing.

Evaluation Criteria

All applications will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

1. Confidential teacher evaluation.
2. Student Essay.
3. Strength of student's transcript.
4. Need will be used in case of a tie.

DEADLINE: **Applications must be submitted to the school guidance counselor by _____.**