



**The Frank L. Wilcox Rising Scholars Academic Scholarship Fund**

**Application Form**

Monroe Housing Authority invites graduating seniors and recent high school graduates, who are enrolled to attend or are attending any accredited institution for higher education, to apply for a Frank L. Wilcox Rising Scholars Academic Scholarship. One one-time \$1,000.00 scholarship will be awarded to a qualifying applicant selected by the Scholarship Committee.

<p>To be considered for these scholarships a student must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Be a graduating high school senior or a recent high school graduate.</li> <li>2. Be a current resident of Monroe Housing Authority's public housing program at the time of application and award.</li> <li>3. Must have shown continued academic achievement by maintaining a 2.9 grade point average.</li> <li>4. Complete the required Application Packet: Application Form, essay, high</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5. Mail or hand-deliver your scholarship application packet to Monroe Housing Authority, 300 Harrison Street, Monroe, LA 71201 or to your public housing community's management office. Packets must be received by July 31<sup>st</sup>.</li> </ol>
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**Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of the applicant essay, application quality, scholastic excellence, community service and activities, and letters of recommendation.**

**APPLICANT PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name		High School
Date of Birth	Telephone Number	Email address
Home Address		
Cumulative High School Grade Point Average (GPA)		Social Security Number
Intended College	College Address	Intended Major

What other scholarships have you received for the coming school year

***I AFFIRM THAT ALL STATEMENTS INCLUDED IN THIS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKET ARE TRUE, COMPLETE AND CORRECT. I AUTHORIZE THE USE OF MY PHOTO AND THE INVESTIGATION OF ALL MATTERS THAT MONROE HOUSING AUTHORITY DEEMS RELEVANT TO MY APPLICATION, INCLUDING ALL STATEMENTS MADE IN THIS APPLICATION AND ANY ATTACHMENTS OR SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS. I AUTHORIZE MHA TO REQUEST AND RECEIVE SUCH INFORMATION AND RELEASE MONROE HOUSING AUTHORITY FROM ALL LIABILITY THAT MAY RESULT FROM MAKING SUCH AN INVESTIGATION.***

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