



SOUTH DALLAS BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB, INC.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

South Dallas BPWC, Inc. | Director of Education, P.O. Box 764587, Dallas, TX 75376-4587

STUDENT ELIGIBILITY

- Candidates must be graduating seniors from a public school located within the Dallas metroplex.
- Academic performance criteria stipulate a minimum GPA of 2.5 or higher.
- Applicants must demonstrate financial need.
- Good moral character is a prerequisite.
- A documented record of community service is required.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name			
Email Address			
Date of Birth		Age	
		Gender	☐ Male ☐ Female
		Nationality	
Address			
Home Phone		Cell Phone	

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

<p><i>Complete the application (signature required).</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Email required documents (application, essay, letters of recommendation, student biography, SAT or ACT scores and FAFSA Determination Letter) in Word or .pdf format to: sdbpwcdirectorofeducation@gmail.com.• Subject: 2026-2027 SDBPWC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION / [Applicant Name]• Incomplete applications will not be considered. It is the applicant's responsibility to verify that all documents have been received.	<p>Essay</p> <p>A typed, double-spaced essay not exceeding one page is required. Please ensure your essay addresses the following questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• In what ways will receiving a scholarship impact your life?• What achievements have inspired you to pursue your goals?• Are there any circumstances that may affect your family's ability to finance your education?
<p>Transcript</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ Request an official transcript from your school. The official transcript must be emailed directly from the school to the South Dallas Business and Professional Women's Club, Inc. at sdbpwcdirectorofeducation@gmail.com. Transcript must include your rank, even if it is an estimate, and grade point average.	<p>Photograph</p> <p>High resolution 4"x6" photo (.JPG/ .PNG) of head and shoulders; business attire preferred; photograph should be suitable for inclusion in a professional publication.</p>
<p>Student Biography (Bio)</p> <p>3-5 sentences written in third person, for inclusion in the Trailblazer program, if selected. A bio is a brief summary highlighting a student's background, interests and/or goals.</p>	<p>References</p> <p>Two (2) Letters of Recommendation Required</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• One from a teacher, counselor, or other school-related personnel; AND• One from a community leader <p><i>See the References section for additional information</i></p>
<p>SAT or ACT scores from counselor</p>	<p>Copy of FAFSA Determination Letter</p>



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FAMILY INFORMATION

Father's Name	Occupation	Email Address	Cell Number
Mother's Name	Occupation	Email Address	Cell Number
Guardian's Name	Occupation	Email Address	Cell Number

Total # of family members residing in your household

Total # of dependent children in your household

Ages of dependent children in your household

Number of dependent children in college

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION (Check one)

☐	Booker T. Washington High School for the Visual & Performing Arts	☐	L. G. Pinkston High School
☐	David W. Carter High School	☐	Lancaster High School
☐	DeSoto High School	☐	Lincoln High School and Humanities Communications Magnet
☐	Duncanville High School	☐	South Oak Cliff High School
☐	Franklin D. Roosevelt High School	☐	Wilmer-Hutchins High School
☐	James W. Madison High School	☐	Yvonne A. Ewell Townview Magnet Center
☐	Justin F. Kimball High School	☐	Other:



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HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

High School Address	
Principal's Name	
Principal's Email Address	
Counselor's Name	
Counselor's Email Address	
List the school you plan to attend	
Anticipated Major	

HONORS/AWARDS

Date	Award and Description



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SCHOLARSHIPS

Awarded From	Scholarship Name

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Start Date / End Date	Activity Description



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COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES/VOLUNTEER WORK

When	Hours	Organization	Activities

EMPLOYMENT

Dates	Employer	Job Title	Average Hrs. Worked

SPECIAL TALENTS



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REFERENCES

List one teacher, counselor, **or** other school-related personnel, **AND** one community leader who may be contacted to verify information listed in your application. Attach a **TYPED** letter of recommendation from each reference. The letters must describe the following about the applicant:

Character, Attributes, Leadership Skills, Commitment, Initiative, Financial Need

REFERENCE 1

Name	<input type="text"/>	Teacher	☐
Email Address	<input type="text"/>	Counselor	☐
Phone	<input type="text"/>	School-related personnel	☐

REFERENCE 2

Name	<input type="text"/>	Church	☐
Email Address	<input type="text"/>	Community Leader	☐
Phone	<input type="text"/>	Non school-related reference	☐

REVIEW PROCESS

- The SDBPWC, Inc.'s Scholarship Committee will assess applications and identify the finalists.
- The Committee will conduct interviews with each finalist.
- Scholarships will be granted to students who best fulfill the eligibility criteria.
- All Application Materials and Supporting Documents Must Be Received by: **MIDNIGHT ON SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 2027**

AUTHORIZATION

I certify that the information in this application is true. I authorize representatives of the South Dallas Business and Professional Women's Club, Inc. Scholarship Committee to contact the references listed in my application. I also authorize SDBPWC, Inc. to use my photograph or likeness as needed, if I am chosen as a scholarship recipient.

Applicant Signature

Date

Parent/ Guardian Signature

Date