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Sarasota-Manatee
Chapter



Scholarship Application

The Sarasota-Manatee chapter of the Florida A&M University National Alumni Association awards scholarships to graduating high school seniors from Sarasota and Manatee counties, who are planning to attend Florida A&M University in the upcoming Fall and Spring semesters.

We invite all eligible applicants to apply based upon the following minimum eligibility requirements:

- 🌿 Applicant must be a graduating senior from high school located in Sarasota or Manatee counties.
- 🌿 Applicant must accepted and plan to attend Florida A&M University for the Fall and Spring semesters within the academic year the scholarship is awarded.
- 🌿 The selection criteria for awarding the scholarships will be based upon academic achievement, financial need, and extra-curricular activities participated in during the applicant's high school years.
- 🌿 All applicants are required to complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- 🌿 All applicants must be available for an interview with the Sarasota-Manatee FAMU Alumni Scholarship committee. Date for interviews will be scheduled on March 17th and 24th of March 2018.

Scholarships are awarded at three levels:

- 🌿 **Fredrick Humphries Academic Scholarship** – Awarded to students with a minimum GPA of 3.5
- 🌿 **Eddie Rainey Achievers Scholarship** – Awarded to students with a minimum GPA of 3.0
- 🌿 **Waite Bellamy Book Award** - Awarded to students with a minimum GPA of 2.5

If selected as a scholarship recipient, in order to receive scholarship from the chapter, the recipients are required to participate in the following:

- 🌿 Attend a FAMU workshop: hosted by the chapter
- 🌿 Meet with alumni reps during winter break to update chapter on their progress at FAMU

The deadline for the application is February 24th 2018. If mailed in, application must be postmarked by deadline date.

Application is also available online at www.saramanarattlers.com . Students must register on website in order to complete application. For more information, please contact Kizzie Johnson at 941-929-6081 or kayzee01@hotmail.com.



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Please write clearly or type:

Personal/Family Information

Name _____
Last First Middle

FAMU ID: (assigned from FAMU after applying to school) _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Contact Phone Number _____ Date of Birth _____

Email: _____

Mother/Guardian Name _____

Mother/Guardian Occupation _____

Father/Guardian Name _____

Father/Guardian Occupation _____

Number of dependent children in your family (not including you) _____

Combined household income range (please circle)
\$0-\$30,999 \$31,000 - \$59,999 \$60,000 - \$90,999 \$91,000 or above

Education Information

School presently attending _____

G.P.A: Weighted _____ Unweighted: _____

SAT Score: _____ ACT Score: _____

Intended Major/Program at FAMU _____

Do you have immediate relatives that are currently attending or have attended FAMU?
(Please circle) yes or no

Have you received a full scholarship to FAMU? (Please circle)	yes	no
Have you completed the FASFA? (Please circle)	yes	no
Are you eligible for Bright Futures? (Please circle)	yes	no

Essay

Please attach a one page essay introducing yourself, as well as why you decided to attend Florida A&M University. Please include personal, academic and career goals during and after graduation from Florida A&M University. Please note when writing your essay, make sure that the essay is in essay format with using appropriate fonts (size 8 – 10).

Recommendations

Please attach two letters of recommendations. Letters may not come from family members. It is advised that one of the recommendations come from a teacher, student counselor or advisor. Please make sure each letter of recommendation is signed by the person who is writing it, as well as their position/title.

Recommendations that are received without a signature will not be considered completed.

Transcripts

Please bring a copy of your sealed transcripts on the day of the interview.

Application must be received/post-marked by February 24th 2018

Please send application packet to the following address:

FAMU Alumni Association

Sarasota-Manatee Chapter
PO BOX 1391
Sarasota, Florida 34230

Incomplete packets will not be accepted. All deadlines are FINAL.

Signature

Date

All information contained on this application will remain and will be used exclusively by the Sarasota-Manatee FAMU Alumni Chapter Scholarship Committee and executive board for the sole purpose of determining scholarship recipients.