## The James Family Continuing Education Foundation

P.O. Box 2376, Leesburg, VA 20177

## Scholarship Guidelines

Candidates must complete this application. The James Family Continuing Education Foundation uses this application for the award of all scholarship funds.

Scholarships are paid directly to a student's educational institution on their behalf.

## **Student Criteria and Information:**

- 1. The student must have applied to one or more accredited post-secondary institutions or must be currently enrolled in a college or university at the time of application.
- 2. The student must submit the following as part of a complete application package:
  - a. This completed application form.
  - b. At least one sealed recommendation from an academic source or separate email sent to **sheilamackey@tjfcef.org**.
  - c. A copy of an official high school diploma (GED certificate acceptable), or college transcript.
  - d. Copies of letter(s) from colleges, universities, vocational or trade schools accepting a student for enrollment or letters acknowledging receipt of an application.
  - e. Essay explaining need (recommended but not required)
- 3. The James Family Continuing Education Foundation has the right to request additional information or materials from students.
- 4. The James Family Continuing Education Foundation reserves the right to request a personal interview with final candidates.
- 5. For those scholarship awards that are renewable, a renewal application must be submitted each year.
- 6. The James Family Continuing Education Foundation reserves the right to reconsider scholarship awards if significant or additional scholarships are received by an applicant.

## Timeline:

Completed application packages must be submitted by 5:00 pm on specified date (tbd) to *The James Family Continuing Education Foundation*, applications may be mailed with same postal date stamp.

Confirmation of receipt of application will be provided to the applicant within 3-7 business days.

Scholarship awards will be mailed after August 15<sup>th</sup> or at an earlier date if deemed necessary by the foundation or educational institution requirements.