



Scholarship Application



APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 21, 2014



Please read the following instructions carefully. You are required to provide information in each of the four sections of the application. All information must be typed or printed in blue or black ink.

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

NAME		
PHONE NUMBER		
EMAIL		
NAME OF A PARENT/GUARDIAN		
PARENT/GUARDIAN ADDRESS		
CITY	STATE	ZIP
PARENT EMAIL		
HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP?		

2. GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND (GSF) ELIGIBILITY

ACADEMIC LEVEL (CIRCLE ONE)	FRESHMAN	SOPHOMORE	JUNIOR	SENIOR
NAME OF AT LEAST ONE SCHOOL CLUB YOU PARTICIPATE IN				
CUMULATIVE HIGH SCHOOL GPA				
ACT SCORE	SAT SCORE	PERT SCORE		
HOUSEHOLD INCOME <input type="checkbox"/> \$0 - \$50,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001 - \$100,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001 - \$150,000 <input type="checkbox"/> >\$150,000				
SUBMIT TWO (2), TYPED LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION FROM TEACHERS AT LEE HIGH SCHOOL. Letters must speak to your character, work ethic, and commitment to academics.				
SUBMIT A TYPED, ONE PAGE ESSAY ABOUT YOUR BACKGROUND AND EDUCATIONAL OR LIFE GOALS.				

For more information on applying for the Student Voice Scholarship, please contact:

Ms. NaTasha Morrison, Student Activities Director (904) 381 - 3930 x 1234 | morrisonn@duvalschools.org
or visit www.theseelfmovement.org/svs

3. SPECIFIC SCHOLARSHIP PATHS (SSPS)

STUDENTS MUST APPLY TO ONLY ONE OF THREE SCHOLARSHIP PATHS OR CATEGORIES

Arts & Culture, STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math), or Financial Literacy

ARTS & CULTURE

1. Prepare a video or live portfolio of work that displays your talent (not to exceed ten minutes). Examples could include student-produced movies, paintings, short stories, spoken word poetry, etc.
2. Essay Prompts (please answer each of the following questions in 750 words or less)
 - a. Who or what encouraged you to begin performing? How has this personal background influenced your work and in what ways might your work change if you grew up in a different location or generation?
 - b. What do you want your audience to take away from your performance and how do you accomplish this?

STEM

1. Prepare an executive summary of your own idea that solves a real world problem, and answer essay questions about your idea.
2. An executive summary is a one-page document that defines the problem you wish to solve and clearly articulates how your idea will solve the problem. It is very important that your idea is practical, i.e. an idea or technology that you can realistically build to solve food shortages in Jacksonville will score higher than an idea to colonize the moon.
3. Essay Prompts (please answer each of the following questions in 500 words or less)
 - a. How is your idea different from other ideas that are in existence to solve the problem?
 - b. What evidence do you have to show that your idea will be successful in solving the problem?
 - c. If left unsolved, what are the consequences of the problem?

FINANCIAL LITERACY

1. Prepare an executive summary of a proposed idea to educate other teens about saving for college, financial literacy, or consumer financial skills such as understanding interest or debt.
2. An executive summary is a one-page document that defines the problem you wish to solve and clearly articulates how your idea will solve the problem. It is very important that your idea is practical; it should be an idea or technology that you can realistically build to educate Jacksonville teens or community members.
3. Essay Prompts (please answer the following questions in 500 words or less)
 - a. How is your idea different from other ideas that are in existence to address the problem?
 - b. What evidence do you have to show that your idea will be successful in solving the problem?
 - c. What technologies and marketing activities will you use to implement and communicate your idea?

4. PLEASE SIGN AND DATE BELOW

SIGNATURE

DATE

I CERTIFY THAT ANSWERS GIVEN HEREIN ARE TRUE AND COMPLETE AND I UNDERSTAND THAT ANY FALSE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION GIVEN IN MY APPLICATION OR INTERVIEW(S) MAY RESULT IN THE LOSS OF ANY SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

Please be advised that all Scholarship Finalists are subject to a background investigation. In the event that you are awarded a scholarship, payments will be made directly to the college, university, or trade school that you indicate. Any funds not used within two years of graduation will be forfeited and refunded to The SELF Movement.

COMPLETE ALL REQUIRED MATERIALS AND DELIVER TO:

Ms. NaTasha Morrison, Student Activities Director

Incomplete or late applications will be rejected. APPLICATION Deadline: April 21, 2014