

**Georgia Southern University
Parents Association
2009-2010
Scholarship Application**

Georgia Southern's Parents Association will be awarding scholarships to full-time undergraduates who are students of Georgia Southern's Parents Association members.

Application deadline is Wednesday, July 1, 2009.

Applicants will be evaluated on extracurricular involvement (i.e.: community, clubs, organizations, etc.), question and essay responses and other relevant information as provided.

Award amounts are based on membership income and the number of qualified applicants. A minimum of \$250 will be awarded per semester to the scholarship recipients.

Requirements for Eligibility

- Applicant's parents or guardians must be members in good standing with the Georgia Southern's Parents Association.
- Applicant must be an undergraduate and currently enrolled full-time (a minimum of 12 hours) and not have a current/pending disciplinary record.
- Applicant must have completed at least 12 undergraduate hours at Georgia Southern University before Fall 2009.
- Applicant must have a minimum GPA of 2.5.
- Applicant must show leadership through campus or community involvement.
- Students must attend classes at Georgia Southern University during the semester(s) for which the scholarship is awarded.

Application Process:

Applicants must provide the information as requested in the application. Please take time to evaluate your credentials and select those for consideration that you feel are your most outstanding achievements. If once transferring in, please specify on each activity or award from any college\university other than Georgia Southern University.

Applications should be typewritten or computer generated.

Please submit your completed application to the:

OFFICE OF ORIENTATION AND PARENT PROGRAMS

Lewis Hall (located on Sweetheart Circle)

Post Office BOX 8096

Statesboro, GA 30460

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For additional information, please contact the
Office of Orientation and Parent Programs at (912) 478-7627.

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Section 1: Cover Sheet Format

Attach a cover sheet with the information listed on the cover page provided.

_____/_____/_____
Name Classification Eagle ID Number

_____/_____/_____
Date of Birth Local Address (GSU PO Box)

Email Phone # (Cell or Landline)

Major # Hours Currently Enrolled GPA

The following information is used for notification purposes in the event a scholarship is awarded.

Mother's Name

Mailing Address

City State Zip

Daytime Phone # Email:

Father's Name

Mailing Address (If different from parent listed above)

City State Zip

Daytime Phone # Email

Section 2: Campus/Community Involvement

A. Submit a leadership resume that includes the following:

- Organizations of which you have been a member or other activities in which you have been involved or taken part (include offices held and specific involvement, duties, etc.)
- Community service involvement
- Awards/recognitions
- Anything else leadership related

B. Essay 1: 500-750 words

Evaluate a significant leadership experience or risk that you have taken and its impact on you. What was a challenge you faced in this position, actions taken to meet the challenge and the outcome?

C. Essay: 500-750 words

Indicate a person, character in fiction, an historical figure, or a creative work (as in art, music, etc.) who has had a significant influence on you, and describe that influence.

I have read and understand the scholarship criteria. I understand the Office of Orientation and Parent Programs will verify my grade point average, and academic and disciplinary standing. I certify that the above information and answers are accurate and truthful to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant

Date

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