

Thomas L., Myrtle R., Arch, and Elva Alexander Scholarship Application for 2023

1. Name _____ Phone _____
2. Address _____
3. Name of Parents _____
4. Proposed major field of study _____
5. College or University you plan to attend _____

Have you been accepted to this school? _____

6. List grants or scholarships which you have been awarded, with amount, if known:
7. Attach a list of the leadership and service roles you have provided your school, church, and community.

Note: A list of memberships does not necessarily substantiate leadership service. Be specific in pointing out leadership and service roles.

8. Attach a complete copy of your most recent Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form as an indication of financial need.

PLEASE NOTE: As set forth by the founder of this scholarship, financial need documentation is one of the criteria to be met by the applicant. To receive full consideration for this scholarship, you must include the complete FAFSA form with the application. This information will be handled in a strict and confidential manner.

9. Secure two letters of recommendation, which substantiate your leadership potential (one from school and one from non-school personnel).

Be certain to emphasize that these letters should substantiate your leadership abilities and/or leadership potential.

Note: Letters should be mailed or given by the writer to the Guidance Office, Mt. Vernon Senior High School.

10. Provide an essay of approximately 200 words on one of the following topics:

- a. My goals in life.
- b. The leadership role, person, or event that has influenced me most.
- c. Why I have chosen _____ as a career.

11. I hereby release my high school transcript, social security number, and other demographic information for use by the MSD of Mt. Vernon Scholarship Committee.

Signature _____ Date _____

More information about the Alexander Scholarship on reverse...

Alexander Scholarship 2023

General Information

- A. Scholarship(s) are available for awarding to the graduating seniors in the Class of 2023 at Mt. Vernon Senior High School.
- B. Selection will be made on the basis of academic and leadership achievement and potential.
- C. An Alexander Scholarship will not be awarded to an applicant who has already received a grant or scholarship that would be reduced by this scholarship.
- D. This application and all supporting documents must be in the hands of the Guidance Office at Mt. Vernon Senior High School no later than April 4, 2023 at 3:30 p.m. **An application, incomplete in any way, or received after April 4, 2023 may not be considered.**
- E. Scholarship recipients making satisfactory progress in college may apply for additional funds the remaining three years of college, with the amount to be determined each year.

Selection Criteria

- 1. Scholarship Achievement (50 points maximum)
 - a. Strength of high school program, considering credits earned and subject difficulty.
 - b. Grade point average.
 - c. SAT scores.
- 2. Leadership Achievement and Potential (30 points maximum)
 - a. List of school, church, and community activities supplied by applicant.
 - b. Letters of recommendation outlining leadership potential.
- 3. Potential, Aspirations, and Motivation as Evidenced in Essay and Future Plans (10 points maximum)
- 4. Financial Need, as evidenced in the complete FAFSA Form (10 points maximum)