

2010  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INFORMATION  
MAHRO/SCHOLARSHIPS

1. All applications must be received by May 5, 2010.
2. The Scholarship award will be made to a resident of Section 8 or Public Housing in the State of Mississippi who has maintained that residence for one year prior to April 1, 2010.
3. All applicants must expect to graduate in the present 2010, May or June school year.
4. All applicants must have maintained a minimum "B" average in all subjects.
5. All applicants must have a minimum ACT score of 19.
6. Funds are to be utilized beginning with the 2010-11 school year.
7. Applicants will be selected by the Scholarship Committee in May 2010.
8. The Scholarship grantee will be notified by the Scholarship Committee of their selection in May and will be formally presented at the Annual Conference of MAHRO on August 20, 2010.
9. The scholarship will be administered by the Scholarship Committee with payment for tuition and fees made directly to the institution. The fund may be used for one year or a longer period of time, if approved by the Scholarship Committee. Grantee's failure to continue the required course of study will cause the unused portion of funds to revert to the Association for award to a runner-up.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

- A. Complete and sign the attached application form. Use extra sheets for responses, if needed. Turn in your application, and other required documents, to the Executive Director of the Housing Authority in which you reside.
- B. The following must be submitted with the application:
  - A. A copy of high school transcript, including ACT scores.
  - B. Three letters supporting the character, achievements, and potential for educational and career advancement of the applicant. At least one of the letters must be from a school official (principal, counselor, teacher, etc.) Other letters may be from ministers, coaches, employers, or any person with any significant knowledge of the applicant.
  - C. A sponsorship letter from the Executive Director of the Housing Authority managing the development in which the applicant resides. Sponsorship requires a commitment on the part of the Authority to support the travel expenses (one day) of the applicant should the applicant be selected a scholarship winner to attend the Annual Conference of MAHRO for receipt of the award. The agency supporting the applicant must be an active member of MAHRO at the time of the application.

