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| The Loudoun Laurels  Scholarship Application  **Deadline to Submit is April 10th, 2023 at 11:59pm** | Q:\ADMIN\LOUDOUN LAURELS\Logo\LoudounLaurels_Logo_2017 Green 1.png |
| Loudoun Laurels Scholarships are awarded to a select group of Loudoun County Public Schools seniors who participate in either the **AVID** or **CAMPUS** programs. Successful awardees demonstrate the ideals of the Loudoun Laurels: *Commitment to Community and Leadership by Example.*  Scholarships are $10,000 per year, renewable for up to four years (total award not to exceed $40,000). Scholarships are to be used solely for tuition and tuition-related fees at a Virginia college or university, or a Virginia community college (if the recipient is part of a program guaranteeing admissions to a 4-year degree-granting institution).  Scholarships will be renewed annually based on acceptable academic performance. Scholarship winners must provide bi-annual progress reports to Loudoun Laurels. | |

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| Personal Information | |
| **Name:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **Student ID:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | **Program (choose one):**  AVID CAMPUS |
| **Home Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **City:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_  **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |  |
| **Personal Email:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | **Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **Cell Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

**\*\* Please attach a copy of your Student Aid Report (SAR)**

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| Educational Information | |
| **High School:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **GPA:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **OPTIONAL FOR 2023: SAT Math:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **SAT EBRW:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **or ACT:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **\*\*An unofficial transcript from your school counselor office must be submitted with this application.** |  | |

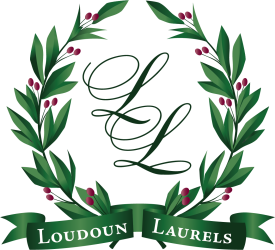
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| Extracurricular Activities Ex: sports, volunteer experiences, personal, and/or paid positions. |
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| **Describe an activity or activities where you have been a leader either officially or unoffically. What did you enjoy about this experience?**   |  | | --- | |  | |
| **Describe a time you felt compelled to help someone (or a group) who lives in your community. What motivated you to help? How did you help? What effect did this have on you – and them?**   |  | | --- | |  | |
| **Describe your Proudest Accomplishment.**   |  | | --- | |  | |
| **Please provide any additional information that you feel is important for Loudoun Laurels to understand about you (optional).**   |  | | --- | |  | |

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| Essay  Please submit a 400-500-word response to address the following questions:1.What do you want to do when you finish college? 2. How will a four-year degree help you meet these goals? 3. How will this scholarship contribute to your success? 4. In what ways might your success positively impact your community? |
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| Recommendations Please ask two people to submit a letter of recommendation on your behalf, describing why you would be a worthy recipient of a Loudoun Laurels Scholarship.  **One recommendation must be from your AVID Teacher or CAMPUS Facilitator or CAMPUS Counselor**. The second recommendation should be from a teacher, counselor, or an "outside" adult (non-relative). Examples of an outside adult for your Recommendation #2 include a supervisor at work, a leader in a non-profit, or other organization in which you participate. Please provide each of your recommenders with the instruction letter found on page 6 of this application. | |
| **Recommendation #1** | **Recommendation #2** |
| \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **Name of AVID Teacher / CAMPUS Facilitator or Counselor** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **Name of Recommender** |
| \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **Email of AVID Teacher / CAMPUS Facilitator or Counselor** | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **Email of Recommender** |

**Submit your Application to:**

[LLScholarship@lcps.org](mailto:LLScholarship@lcps.org) (please enter your name in the subject line)



**The Loudoun Laurels Scholarship**

Dear Recommender,

Please provide a letter of recommendation for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Your recommendation should outline why you believe your candidate’s hard work and dedication have led them to excel in spite of obstacles in their path, and how they personally demonstrate the ideals of the Loudoun Laurels: *Commitment to Community and Leadership by Example.*

It is imperative that your letter be submitted no later than **April 10th, 2023 at 11:59pm**. Questions can be directed to Safiya Muhammad at [Safiya.Muhammad@lcps.org](mailto:Safiya.Muhammad@lcps.org) or Grant Schafer at [Grant.schafer@lcps.org](mailto:Grant.schafer@lcps.org)

**Recommendation letters should be emailed to:** [**LLScholarship@lcps.org**](mailto:LLScholarship@lcps.org) **(please enter student’s name in the subject line)**