

**MAEOPP SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION**

MISSISSIPPI ASSOCIATION OF EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM PERSONNEL

Dear MAEOPP Members,

The Mississippi Association of Educational Opportunity Program Personnel (MAEOPP) is pleased to announce its scholarship competition. TRIO participants in the state of Mississippi are invited to compete for scholarship awards totaling \$1,000.00. One pre-college and one adult-learner scholarship for \$500.00 each will be awarded. These awards may be used to help defray post-secondary educational costs during the 2019-2020 academic year.

Attached are the materials needed to apply for these scholarships. Only one application may be submitted per TRIO Program. Institutions which have more than one project (e.g., Talent Search, Upward Bound, and SSS) may submit an application for each project. SPONSORS OF APPLICANTS MUST BE CURRENT MAEOPP MEMBERS.

Note:

- Incomplete applications will be returned to the sponsor.
- Institutions/Agencies which send more than one application from the same program will be disqualified and will have all materials returned

Applicants will be judged and rated in the following areas:

- Essay (content, grammar, format, etc.)
- Academic Performance
- Honors and Awards Received
- Leadership Characteristics and/or Detailed Descriptions of Volunteer Services
- Involvement with school, Community and TRIO Activities
- Recommendation Letters

Each application will be reviewed and rated by three (3) persons on the Scholarship Committee (and MAEOPP Board of Directors if necessary). No applicant's materials will be reviewed by a person from the same institution/agency.

The scholarship application materials should be sent to the Scholarship Committee Chair (address below). The winners will be announced at the 2019 Spring MAEOPP Conference.

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