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High School Scholarship Application Information

True Life Development Center is currently accepting applications for scholarship from graduating high school seniors attending college for the 2019-2020 school year. Applicants should have the following credentials:

- Graduating high school seniors in Jefferson County Area
- Entering college beginning their secondary education
- **GPA of at least 2.0 or higher**

To be considered for scholarship, applicants must provide the following:

- Complete an application form online or hardcopy postmarked by April 16, 2019
- Provide (1) **Academic** Letter of Recommendation from a School Official, such as a Teacher, Principal, or Counselor on school Letterhead
- Provide (1) **Character** Letter of Recommendation from religious/civic leader, employer, volunteer supervisor or community leader
- Provide a student copy of high school transcript **{PLEASE BLACK OUT SSN ON TRANSCRIPT}**
- Complete and submit Certification Form
- Submit a complete application package by April 16, 2019
- Essay "LOVE IS WHAT LOVE DOES" 1000-1500 words
- **Essay will be blind graded. YOUR NAME ON THE COVER PAGE ONLY!!!!!!! If your name appears on any part of the essay the packet will be disqualified. If you type essay online, only put name on cover sheet and not within the essay.**

AWARDS, NOTIFICATIONS & REQUIREMENTS

Applicants who are awarded scholarships will be notified May 2019

- Two (2) \$1000 Scholarships will be awarded to applicants to attend a 4-year institution of higher education
- Two (2) \$500 Scholarships will be awarded to applicants to attend a 2-year institution of higher education, or accredited vocational trade school.

Scholarship Checks shall be written to the institution upon proof of enrollment from the registrar's office.

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Applicants are responsible for providing instructions to high school official and agency officials writing letters of recommendation on their behalf.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICANTS

Applicants must meet minimum eligibility requirements and submit a complete application package to be considered for scholarship awards. Materials submitted online must be received by 11:59 p.m. CST on April 16, 2019. Materials submitted via U.S. mail must be postmarked by April 16, 2019.

- Scholarship application completed and submitted online or via U.S. mail
- Academic Letter of Recommendation from a School Official, such as a Teacher, Principal, or Counselor on School Letterhead.
- Character Letter of Recommendation from a religious/civic leader, employer, or volunteer supervisor
- Certification Form that is signed and completed online. Applicants under the age of 18 should have their Parent's signature.
- Submit student copy of high school transcript via U.S. mail or online. **{PLEASE BLACK OUT SSN ON TRANSCRIPT}**
- Essay "LOVE IS WHAT LOVE DOES" in terms of your life what does this phrase mean to you? (Typed with 1" margins, Times New Roman (12) or Ariel font (12). AP style between 1000-1500 words.
- Scholarship Award winners will be recognized in May 2019.