

George Mason University 2008-2009 Scholarship Application

This application applies to the 2008-2009 academic year (Fall 2008 and Spring 2009) for new students, students who have attended or are currently attending George Mason University. This application is used to select recipients for scholarships offered by George Mason University and listed on the GMU Scholarship website. **The completed application must be received by George Mason University, Office of Student Financial Aid, MS 3B5, Fairfax, VA 22030, by June 2, 2008.**

Personal Information

_____ Mason ID Number

_____ Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)

_____ Address

_____ City State () Zip

_____ Email Address Phone

_____ Date of Birth

Female

Male

Expected George Mason University Graduation Date: _____

Anticipated Credit Hours: Fall 2008 _____ Spring 2009 _____

Declared Major: _____

College or Department: _____

Career Interest: _____

Educational Background

High School Attended: _____

High School Address: _____
Street City State Zip

High School Graduation Date: _____
Month Year

Other College/University: _____
Name City State Zip

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Note: Applicants who do not file a 2008-2009 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) will not be considered for need-based scholarships.

Resume and Personal Statement (Please Read Carefully)

Please provide a current **resume** (covering the past three years) indicating experience (work and/or volunteer), memberships and/or affiliations, leadership experience, honors and awards, and significant contributions to the community; and a typed one or two page **personal statement** to the Scholarship Committee. The statement should include a brief organized history of your background, educational and career goals. You may also provide personal information that would assist the committee in the selection process and in understanding you as an individual.

Some scholarships have specific criteria, please check any that apply

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Visual Impairment
(ophthalmologist certification required) * | <input type="checkbox"/> Relative of a Murder Victim * |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Physically Disabled * | <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate of South Lakes High School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Orphan or Ward of the Court | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetic (Brief letter from Physician)* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Member of Student Nurse Association | <input type="checkbox"/> Interest in Teaching |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Victim of Sept. 11 th , 2001 *(includes spouses and children of victims, rescuers, firefighters, police officers, emergency medical personnel that responded to the attacks on the Pentagon and World Trade Center) | <input type="checkbox"/> Are You A Single Parent Student?
List age(s) of each dependent |
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*** Please attach a brief statement explaining circumstances.**

Certification

I certify that the information I have provided on this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that information about me known to the Admissions and/or the Registration and Records Offices may be used to evaluate my eligibility for a scholarship, and I authorize those offices to release information to the appropriate scholarship committees. I further authorize release of my application to third parties for the purpose of scholarship consideration. If selected for a scholarship, I authorize release of information to be given to donors or used in publicity related to the scholarship program. I further agree that I will notify the Office of Student Financial Aid of any changes (major, residence, etc.), which may affect my eligibility for a restricted award.

Student Signature

Date

**This Application Will Not Be Processed Without Your Signature
Faxed or Electronically Transmitted Applications Will Not Be Accepted**

**Please Return One Completed Original Application With All Attachments
By May 2, 2008 to:**

**George Mason University
Office of Student Financial Aid MS 3B5
Fairfax, VA 22030-4444**

Scholarship Application Checklist

- Mason ID Number on all pages
- Certification Signature
- Resume
- Personal Statement