

Charlestown 1975 Alumni Scholarship

Application Information & Instructions

Please print or type clearly.

1. Complete **all** questions on the Scholarship Application. If a question does not pertain to you, please write in "Not Applicable" or "NA." Be sure to complete and submit **all sections** of the Scholarship Application. ***Your application will not be considered if any Section is incomplete.***
2. Use your National Identification (ID) for your application. If you are already a student of the University of Guyana, please use that ID. Submit a copy of your National Identification or your UG Identification along with your application. ***An ID must be provided.***
3. Attached to this application are two Reference Forms. You must submit a reference from one of your High School teachers. The other reference must be from someone of standing in your community. Attach required references to the back of your application before returning it.
4. You must have been admitted to the University of Guyana, *or* be currently enrolled at the University of Guyana for the current academic year. Students who have **not gained admission** to the University of Guyana for the current academic year, will not be considered for this scholarship.
5. **By signing and submitting this application you are giving the scholarship committee the permission and authority to review your academic transcript(s) and your financial need.**

Incomplete and/or late applications will not be considered. All sections of the Scholarship Application form must be submitted directly to the Scholarship Committee

Scholarship Notifications

Applicants will only be considered for the scholarship if they meet the Needs Based requirements established by the Scholarship Committee.

Applicants will be required to write an essay to be considered for the scholarship.

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Answers to the “Short-Answer Questions” (Section 4) should be included in the Essay. By including this information in your essay, you are not required to rewrite the answers to Section 4.

1. The Scholarship Committee will consider applications for the following areas of study offered by the University of Guyana.

Course of Studies Considered by Application Committee:

- Sciences (Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Agriculture, Environmental)/Math
- Technology
- Medical/ Nursing/Medical Technology
- Finance, Accounting, Marketing
- Engineering
- Nursing

2. Top selected applicants will be interviewed

3. Scholarship Funding is expected to be for the duration of the programme for which the student is registered:

4. Annual Scholarship includes

- Tuition *
- Facility fees *
- Books *
- Computer, First year scholarship recipient

The maximum funding not to exceed US\$2,500

The scholarship funds indicated “*” will be paid directly to the University of Guyana in the name of the successful student(s) selected by the Scholarship Committee:

Scholarship Application Form

All Sections of the Scholarship Application Form should be completed. Application form must be signed, submittals attached and submitted to the Scholarship Committee via email.

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Section 1: General Information

Last Name	
First Name	
Date of Birth	
E-Mail Address	
Mailing Address	
Home Telephone #	
Mobile Phone #	

Are you currently employed? Yes [] No []

If yes, where? _____ How many hours a week? _____ Did you cut back on your work hours in order to attend school? Yes [] No [] If so, how many hours? _____

If not presently employed, where did you last work? _____ How many work hours a week? _____

When was your last day of employment? _____ Did you leave your position in order to attend school? Yes [] No []

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Section 2: College Plans

1. If Already Enrolled at the University of Guyana (UG)

What level of education are you pursuing? (Check only one)

Your expected graduation date from University of Guyana is _____

Degree [] Diploma [] Certificate []

2. Prospective University student

Have you been enrolled at (UG) prior?

Yes [] No [] .

Have you been enrolled in any other college/University?

*Yes [] *No []

If you answer Yes to either of the above, kindly submit transcripts for the completed academic year (s)

I intend to enroll in University of Guyana Yes _____ No _____

Full-time _____ Part-time _____

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Section 3: Reference Forms Requirements

Attached to this application are two Reference Forms. You must submit a reference from one of your School Teachers. The other reference must be from a notable person in your community. Attach required references to the back of your application before submission to the Scholarship Committee. Include contact information for references; email address, phone number, and notable person position

Section 4: Short Answer Questions

On a separate sheet of paper, type or handwrite answers to the following questions and attach the sheet to your application. Answers to these questions are required of all scholarship applicants. If you are attaching an essay, include the answers to these questions as part of your essay.

1. Why have you chosen to enroll at UG?
2. How does your education commitment impact your job and family?
3. What barriers (child care, transportation, work hours, etc.) impact your ability to complete your educational requirements?
4. What are your career and future education expectations?
5. What else should the scholarship committee know about you? (Special circumstances or challenges, awards or achievements, community service &/or volunteer activities)

Volunteer Work Accomplished or Currently Involved. Complete the description below.

List Activity	Hours Weekly/ Monthly	Describe Your Involvement	Contact Person	Contact Phone

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Section 5: Student Signature (Required) I certify that the information given on this application is complete, accurate, and true. I understand my signature grants the Scholarship Committee permission to release any information deemed appropriate in corresponding with donors and the scholarship committee.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Former Teacher Reference Form 1.

I am applying for a scholarship through Charlestown 1975 Alumni Scholarship Programme. As a reference, you have my authorization to give the information requested below.

Student's Name (Please print.)

Student's Signature Date

Address Daytime Contact Telephone #

How long have you known the applicant? _____

In what capacity? _____

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Please check the phrase which best fits the person in each trait listed below. One additional page may be added.

Trait not observed. Cite Examples	Outstanding	Above Average	Average	Not Applicable
School Performance (Academic, Social, Athletic, etc);				
Initiative (Problem solving, Club Activities, Etc);				
Maturity of Judgement (Leadership Skills and Responsibilities)				
Interaction with Others (Team Work)				
Seriousness of Purpose, (Commitment to goals and tasks)				
Challenges Endured or Overcame				

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Volunteer Work Past or Present				
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Reference Form 1

Notable Community Member Reference Form 2.

I am applying for a scholarship through Charlestown 1975 Alumni Scholarship Programme. As a reference, you have my authorization to give the information requested below.

Student's Name (Please print.)

Student's Signature Date

Address Daytime Contact Telephone #

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Reference Form 2

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