2009 Nomination Call for the NASA College Scholarship Fund

This notice provides an overview of the NASA College Scholarship Fund, Inc., which awards scholarships Agency-wide to qualified dependents of NASA and former NASA employees. This notice also provides links for obtaining additional information on requirements and application procedures.

All required forms and documentation must be received by the application deadline of March 20, 2009. For the 2009-2010 school year, up to five scholarships will be awarded in the amount of $2,000 each. The scholarship is renewable for a maximum of $8,000 over 6 calendar years.

Eligibility Requirements

- Applicants must be dependents of current/retired NASA employees or reimbursable detailees with NASA for a period of 2 years as of January 2009. (There is no minimum period of employment requirement for eligible dependents of former NASA employees or former reimbursable detailees who died while employed by NASA.) Additional information on the definition of dependents for this program can be found at: http://nasapeople.nasa.gov/nasascholarship/schopp.htm.
- All applicants must, in addition to the NASA dependency requirement, be graduated properly from an accredited public, private, or parochial high school; be graduated from a home schooling program in accordance with the home schooling laws of the state in which the applicant resides; or be currently enrolled in college with good academic standing.
- Applicants must have a minimum combined high school and college (if any) grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale, or an equivalent.
- Applicants must be pursuing a course of study in the science or engineering field that will lead to a recognized undergraduate degree at an accredited college or university in the United States. A list of appropriate fields of study can be found at: http://nasajobs.nasa.gov/jobs/civil_service_jobs/career/page10.htm.

Application forms are available from the Scholarship Fund Representative at your Center or on-line at: http://nasapeople.nasa.gov/nasascholarship/09%20Application.pdf.

All completed application forms, transcripts, scores, reference letters, or materials must be received by March 20, 2009 at the following address:

NASA Johnson Space Center
NASA College Scholarship Fund, Inc.
Building 12, Room 105
2101 NASA Parkway
Houston, TX 77058

For additional information regarding this program and the application requirements, please visit: http://nasapeople.nasa.gov/nasascholarship/index.htm.

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