



## 2024 FREEDOM FUND COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP



**Henry County NAACP Branch  
Dr. Rosalyn Matthews, President**

The Henry County NAACP Branch will award its 2024 Freedom Fund College Scholarships to graduating seniors in Henry County Public Schools. The award, for tuition and fees, will be sent to the Office of Student Financial Aid in September 2024 upon proof of enrollment as a full-time student at an accredited four-year, two-year college/university or technical school. The nonrenewable scholarship will be awarded based on academic achievement, awards/honors, extracurricular, community service, leadership and activities. Recipient(s), nor their parent(s)/guardian(s) are required to be members of the Henry County NAACP Branch but are encouraged to join. Scholarship recipient(s) will be recognized at the Freedom Fund Event, in August.

**The scholarship application is available at [www.henrycountyganaacp.org](http://www.henrycountyganaacp.org). The scholarship packet and supporting documents must be completed and emailed by **May 5, 2024**; email to: [hcnaacpscholarships2024@gmail.com](mailto:hcnaacpscholarships2024@gmail.com) Applications will be deemed ineligible if not in compliance with these guidelines. See checklist below. For inquiries contact the Freedom Fund Scholarship Committee, [hcnaacpmedia@gmail.com](mailto:hcnaacpmedia@gmail.com).**

### **CHECKLIST, ELIGIBILITY & SELECTION CRITERIA**

- Complete 2024 Scholarship Application
- Be a high school senior in Henry County Public Schools **and** live in Henry County
- Have and maintain a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Submit an official copy of your latest official high school transcript
- Have participated in academic enrichment, extracurricular, community service, or leadership activities
- Submit a wallet size graduation photo (no proofs)
- Submit one letter of recommendation on letterhead (guidance counselor, teacher, administrator, coach, or community leader/sponsor)
- Participate in a panel interview
- Attend the Freedom Fund Scholarship Event in August

### **INTERVIEW**

Once the completed application packet is reviewed, potential recipients are required to participate in a panel interview. The interview will assess your delivery – overall appearance, composure, eye contact, body language, and ability to communicate. **The dress code is business attire.**

### **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION DATES**

April 12, 2024 Application Available Online

May 5, 2024 Scholarship Application Packets Must Be Emailed by May 5, 2024 May 6, -May  
17, 2024 Scholarship Interviews for Potential Recipients  
May 20, 2024 Awardees will be notified