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OAEA SCHOLARSHIP AWARD APPLICATION

To be eligible for consideration for an Old Antarctic Explorers Association (OAEA) Scholarship, an individual must be sponsored by a current member of OAEA. Life and Annual Members may sponsor, but all Annual Members must be paid up through the following year to be eligible to sponsor. Eligible applicants must be a high school graduate or graduating in the spring and be accepted for **undergraduate** enrollment at an accredited college/university or vocational/technical school. An applicant may be currently enrolled in college/university or vocational/technical school. **(This scholarship program is not open to those pursuing an advanced degree--beyond a Bachelor's Degree.)**

Complete the application and attach the documents numbered as requested. PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY, except where signature is required.

Applicant's Name _____

Applicant's Address _____

City, State & ZIP _____

Applicant's email _____

OAEA Sponsor's Name _____

OAEA Sponsor's Address _____

City, State & ZIP _____

OAEA Sponsor's email _____

OAEA Sponsor's Signature _____

Applicant's Statement of Authenticity: I, (print name) _____, attest that the above information and attached documentation are true and accurate, to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any deliberate misinformation will make me ineligible for any OAEA scholarship.

(Applicant's signature)

Documentation to be provided by *Sponsor* and **Applicant**. Please number attachments at top, according to what each is.
Sponsor: Information and signature on this application and #2 *sponsor's statement of applicant's need, including work history, if applicable, toward payment of educational costs.*

Applicant: Information, signature and include this application with #3 high school or college/university **FINAL** (end of year) transcript with GPA and class ranking, if available.

Applicant: #4 official SAT Score or ACT percentile. (If already enrolled in college, this is unnecessary.)

Applicant: #5 A career goals essay (250 words or less), stating how you plan to use your degree / training

Applicant: #6 Summary of any academic awards, school/community achievements or leadership positions, athletic participation, etc., with signed letters or statements supporting these achievements.

Applicant: #7 Proof of college/university or vocation/technical school acceptance or enrollment, including contact information. **If in college/university or vocation/technical school, provide official transcript showing upcoming fall classes.** Proof should show college/university or vocation/technical school name and address.

The Scholarship Committee realizes Applicant may have more than seven pages total, but numbering pages ensures the application is complete. Number only those pages outlined above, not every page. Incomplete applications may not be reviewed and may have a lower score. Completed applications must be **postmarked no later than July 1** of the current year. There is no need to send by special handling. Mail the completed application packet to the address below:

OAEA Scholarship Chairman
3104 Deepspring Drive
Chesapeake, VA 23321-2448

An email will be sent by August 1 to each applicant and sponsor regarding result. Please print legibly.