



**SOCIETY OF MAYFLOWER DESCENDANTS OF SOUTH CAROLINA**  
**2018 Scholarship Two: Application for High School Graduates**  
**(\$1000 award to winner)**

***Deadline to apply: Saturday, August 18, 2018***

**QUALIFICATIONS**

1. Applicants must be a high school senior graduating in the spring of 2018 and enrolling in college for the fall of 2018.
2. Applicants must have a lineage connection to a member of the South Carolina Society of Mayflower Descendants (i.e. parent, grandparent, aunt or uncle) or be a junior member of the South Carolina Mayflower Society.
3. The applicant may live outside the State of South Carolina.
4. Applicant must submit all required documents.
5. Applicant must have at least a grade point average of a “B” average (3.0 on 4.0 scale).
6. The essay must be factually accurate and reflect current standards of spelling, grammar, and writing skills for a high school graduate. **Sources must be documented.**
7. By submitting an essay entry, the entrant and his/her parents agree to be bound by all the SMD-SC policies governing the essay contest and all decisions with regard to winners will be honored.
8. **Rewritten or edited essays will not be accepted.** The original essays are considered the only entries in the contest to be evaluated.
9. All entries remain the property of the SMD-SC and after the submission essays will not be returned.

Decisions with regard to winners will not be declared until the Education Committee members have voted and the votes have been tabulated. It is expected that the evaluation period will take about two to four weeks after the deadline. When the process is complete, the Chairman of the Education Committee will send letters to all participants.

The scholarship award of \$1000.00 will be awarded to the student at the Compact Day Luncheon in the Fall unless the student is unable to attend. In that case, the Treasurer of the Society will send the check directly to the scholarship winner.

**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Complete the application Cover Page found in the spring edition of the Palmetto Log or on the website. [www.scmayflowersociety.org](http://www.scmayflowersociety.org)
2. List on one side of an 8 ½ x 11 piece of paper the following and in this order: extra-curricular activities, honors received and any pertinent information that will demonstrate community involvement and leadership. The extra-curricular activities and community involvement document are considered an essential part of the entry.
3. Obtain a final high school transcript and proof of college enrollment.
4. Complete a typed essay of 750 to 1000 words on the topic below. ***Please do not put your name on any page of the essay for judging purposes.***

**Topic: How did the monetary system work in Plymouth Colony? How did the colonist send money back to England?**

### **SUBMITTAL OF APPLICATIONS FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE**

- **Two different submittals of the essay are required.** One submission is via e-mail, and the second is through the mail.
- **Deadline for Submittal of E-mail and Mail Submission: Saturday, August 18, 2018**  
E-mail copy must show a date of being sent by the deadline on the computer no later than 11:59 pm of the deadline date.  
The mailed paper application package must show a post mark date of before or on the date of the deadline.

#### **1. E-mail Submission**

Send an e-mail to Bebe Ademy at **bebeademy@gmail.com** and attach one copy of the cover sheet and one copy of the essay to the e-mail. **Use the words “HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT ESSAY” in the subject line** of the e-mail.

#### **2. Mail Submission**

Place one copy of the completed application package in a 9 X 12 envelope and mail to:

**Bebe Ademy**

**100 Derby Lane**

**Clinton, SC 29325**

The application package **must be completed and arranged in the order described in #1 through # 4 of the Instructions listed above for High School Graduates.** Also see the **Check List of Enclosures for Mailed Applications** for further assistance.



**2018 Cover Page for Scholarship Applicants**

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Common Name \_\_\_\_\_

**For Scholarship One:** Date of High School Graduation, Name & Address of High School

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**For Scholarship Two:** Will you enter your 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> year of college in Fall 2018? \_\_\_\_\_

For either Scholarship: Name & location of College: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parents \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a Junior Member of SC Mayflower Society \_\_\_\_\_ Your age \_\_\_\_\_

My \_\_\_\_\_ is a member of the SC Society of Mayflower Descendants

His / Her name is: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of my Pilgrim Ancestor: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Essay: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Check List of Enclosures For Mailed Application**

1. Cover page
2. Document listing extra-curricular activities, honors received and pertinent information to demonstrate community involvement and leadership.
3. **For High School Graduate:** Final official high school transcript of grades and proof of college enrollment.  
**For College Student:** Official transcript of semester just completed and indication of what year of college student will be entering in the fall of 2018, e.g., 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> year of college.
4. **For College Student Only:** Two letters of reference – one from a teacher / professor or advisor and one as a character reference from a person not related to the applicant. Each reference should contain the person's name and address and placed in a sealed envelope marked with the student's name.
5. Essay