

Conn-M-SWAWO Plus PK's
Annual Scholarship Application

For Districts 14-20

(Application must be postmarked by April 5th each year)

Name _____
Last First Middle

Address _____
Street Address or PO Box

City State ZIP Country

Telephone Number _____ Date of Birth _____

Email: _____

Parents Name:

Mother _____
Last First Middle

Father _____
Last First Middle

Church _____ AME Church

Annual Conference _____ Episcopal District _____

Institution of higher learning you plan to attend: _____

City State ZIP Country

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

Bishop or Episcopal Supervisor Signature _____ Date _____

Episcopal District M-SWAWO President _____ Date _____

The AME Church Preacher's Kid (PK) Scholarship Application Instructions (Districts 14-20)

The Annual AME Preacher's Kids Scholarships and Book Awards will be awarded to a dependent child under the age of 21 whose Parent or Legal guardian is a member of the Connectional Minister's Spouses, Widows and Widowers Organization Plus PK's (Conn-M-SWAWO Plus PK's) or the Preacher's Kid (PK) must be a member in good and regular standing. Must be a member for a minimum of one (1) year prior to submission of application.

The following awards will be presented: (1) \$2,500 Scholarship for District 14-20; and (4) \$500.00 Book Awards (Districts 1-20).

REQUIREMENT PROCEDURES

1. Parent or Legal Guardian or Preacher's Kid (PK) is a member of CONN-M-SWAWO Plus PK's for a minimum of one (1) year prior to application.
2. The District in which applicant resides must be financially supportive of the Conn-M-SWAWO Plus PK's Annual Fundraiser (First Lady/First Gentleman Contest).
3. Completed application (see application procedures) must be postmarked by April 5.
4. The Scholarship will be awarded each year to a deserving freshman who is a member of the A.M.E. Church. Recipients will be notified by the Scholarship Chairperson by June 1.
5. Recipient must submit the name and address of the institution he/she plans to attend and proof of acceptance by June 15.
6. The check will be made payable to the student upon receipt of proof of acceptance. Once documentation has been received, the award will be presented to the student at the Annual Clergy Family Awards Breakfast in June at the seat of the Bishop's Council (or at the seat of the General Conference). If the student is not in attendance, award will be mailed.
7. If the student withdraws or fails to enroll, the funds must be returned to the Scholarship Committee Chairperson.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- A graduate of a secondary high school or have received a GED certificate,
- Accepted into an institution of Higher Education (Tertiary Level),
- Be a member of the African Methodist Episcopal Church,
- Have scored 850 or higher on the SAT or 26 on the ACT Scores or successful completion of all required examinations in your own Country or National Test.
- Rank in the top 50 percent of your high school class, or
- Have a cumulative Grade Point average of 2.5 or higher or meets the requirements for acceptance to an institution of higher learning in your own Country.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

- Application for the Preachers' Kids Scholarship **must be postmarked by April 5th** each year,
- Submit 3 letters of recommendation – one each from the following individuals:
 - (1) A Guidance Counselor,
 - (1) A Teacher **or** School Official,
 - (1) An A.M.E. Pastor **or** Church Officer.
- Submit an official copy of your High School Transcript, GPA, Class Rank, SAT or ACT Scores or Final Examination/ National Testing Scores and Rank.
- Submit a letter stating why you should be awarded this scholarship. List any extenuating circumstances.
- Submit a 300 – 350 word typed (double spaced) essay entitled **"How the A.M.E. Church has made a difference in my life and what I will do to support my Church"**.
- List the following on a separate sheet(s) – Please include your name on each sheet(s).
 - Your Church Activities/Organizations
 - Your High School Organizations and Extra-curricular Activities
 - Any Honors/Achievements/Recognitions Received
- Application must be signed by the Presiding Bishop **or** Episcopal Supervisor **and** the Episcopal I District M-SWAWO President where the applicant resides.

All inquires should be directed to Mrs. Jennifer Green, Chairperson, PK Scholarship Committee. Your application is not complete until all items have been received.

THE APPLICATION FORM:

Print and review the Application Page 1 and Instructions Pages 2 & 3. When submitting completed application, make sure you included all the required documents. (It is recommended that your Episcopal District PK Scholarship Committee Representative screen the application packet prior to submission).

Please mail the completed application and appropriate forms to:

**Mrs. Jennifer Green
CONN-M-SWAWO+PK's
Scholarship Committee Chair
2386 SW 102 Ave
Miramar, FL 33025**

P.K. Scholarship Committee

Mrs. Jennifer Green (11th) Chairperson	Mrs. Clemigene Glover (7th)
Mrs. Rhonda McCall (1st)	Mrs. Brenda Hurst (8th)
Mrs. Christene H. Chambliss (2nd)	Mrs. Juanita Duncombe (9th)
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