Scholarship Description

Breakthrough seeks graduating high school students as well as current college students who have participated in Breakthrough Youth Programs for more than four years to apply for the Breakthrough Alumni Achievement Scholarship.

Profile of High Priority Applicant

- GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Breakthrough participant for at least 4 years
- Minority student
- Financial need

Award

Awards range from $2K-$5K for tuition, room and board (may be renewable)

Important Deadlines

Application deadline—May 1
Decisions—June 1

Section 1—Demographic info

Name
Address
City
State
Zip code
Phone number
Email
Race
Gender
Section 2—Academic Information

High School Attended
Graduation date
GPA
College Attended (or anticipated)
Expected graduation date
GPA (if applicable)
Major

Section 3—Essay (250 words max)
Describe how you’ve been involved with Breakthrough over the years.

Section 4—Financial Information (please provide documentation for each)

Total Cost (include tuition, room and board) $ 
Expected Family Contribution Amount (from FAFSA) $ 
Institutional Aid/Federal Loans (from university award letter) $ 
Private Scholarships (scholarship award letters) $ 
Estimated financial gap for 2022-2023 school year $ 

Section 5—Other attachments

Most recent transcript

Section 6—Submission Instructions
By May 1, submit completed application and all required attachments to Myisha McGee at the Breakthrough FamilyPlex, 3219 W Carroll Ave, Chicago, IL 60624

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