



## *2022-2023 Scholarship Application*

### **APPLICATION AND ESSAYS MUST BE SUBMITTED ELECTRONICALLY**

#### **I. Scholarship Application Submission Requirements:**

- Scholarship application including essays **MUST** be electronically submitted to upcen10@gmail.com by **June 2, 2023.**

**Please type directly on the application, as it is a fillable document. Your application must be saved on your computer or device and then e-mailed to upcen10@gmail.com.**

#### **II. Minimum Eligibility Requirements:**

- a. Scholarship applicant **must** be a senior graduating high school in 2023.
- b. The scholarship applicant must have attended at least 8 UPCEN workshops in the 2022-2023 calendar year.
- c. The scholarship applicant must have a confirmed GPA of a 2.5 (unweighted) or higher at the time of the application deadline.
- d. Scholarship applicant **must** have taken the ACT or the SAT

**III. Minimum Criteria for Selection:**

- a. All essays must be at least 1,0000 words.
- b. All essays must be included with the application at the time of submission.
- c. Spelling and grammatical errors, and lack of minimum words required for essays will disqualify the application.

**IV. Acknowledgement:**

- Place a check mark in the box to the left indicating that you have read and understood each of the following sections: **Scholarship Application Submission Requirements, Minimum Eligibility Requirements, and Minimum Criteria for Selection.** The 2023 scholarship application must be submitted electronically to **upcen10@gmail.com** by **June, 2, 2023.**



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**DIRECTIONS FOR SUBMITTING THE FOLLOWING ESSAYS:**

All three (3) of the following essays: “*Why Should I Be Selected for this Scholarship?*”; “*How Has Your Participation in UPCEN Impacted You and Your Outlook for a Post-Secondary Education?*” and “*What is the Difference Between Black Lives Matter and All Lives Matter?*” Each essay must be titled with your name and email address (e.g., *John Smith, johnsmith@gmail.com*). Perform a spell check and a word count on your documents to ensure that you have corrected all spelling and grammatical errors and that the word count criteria (1000) has been satisfied. **If the word count requirement is not satisfied for each essay, the scholarship application will automatically be deemed ineligible.** All scholarship applications **must** be submitted electronically at [upcen10@gmail.com](mailto:upcen10@gmail.com) by **June 2, 2023**.

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**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ESSAY ONE: Why Should I Be Selected For This Scholarship?**

Indicate how you will use this scholarship and any other significant points you wish to be considered (*at least 1000 typed words*).

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*(at least 1000 typed words)*

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