

BEZELAH BRAUN, JR. SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarship Information

This scholarship was established in 2004 in memory of Reverend Honorable Beady, Jr., Founder and CEO of the Center for Re-Creation and Family Training (C.R.A.F.T.). Rev. Bezekiah Beady, Jr. was a devoted pastor, teacher, and an retiring leader in the Pentecostal Community. He started C.R.A.F.T. in 1974 and for over 30 years, demonstrated to the community (especially to young African-American males that were in the Tugler Program) that they have the ability to **SOAR LIKE EAGLES**.

Recipients of this scholarship receive assistance for undergraduate college level courses. This scholarship may be awarded each year if funding is available. The scholarship amount awarded will be from \$1000 - \$1000. Scholarships will be awarded in person.

Eligibility

- Applicants must be a current active Student Assistance Fund (S.A.F) recipient.
- Applicants must be a college sophomore or junior at the time of the application.
- Only undergraduate students may submit applications.

Scholarship Requirements (All general scholarship requirements must be met.)

- Applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75. However, a 3.0 GPA, or higher is preferred. An official transcript must be submitted to the committee by the applicant's current college or university.
- An applicant must submit a typed, double-spaced 400 to 500 word biographical essay detailing his/her educational and civic background, career goals, and how he/she plans to participate in the C.R.A.F.T. Organization after graduating from college. An applicant must also describe how he/she has been, or is participating in one or more school or community activities or organizations and explain any leadership positions held.
- An applicant must submit two recommendations: one from a current college or university administrator or teacher and one from a community leader. Recommendations must be typed and should not exceed one page.