









Scholarship Award Criteria



- 1. The applicant must be a graduating senior attending a high school in Prince George's County, Maryland.
- 2. The applicant must be a resident of Prince George's County, Maryland.
- 3. The applicant must have a minimum grade point average of 3.0, and submit an official high school transcript with appropriate endorsement and/or signatures.
- 4. The applicant must have an acceptance letter from the Historically Black College or University (HBCU) of intent.
- 5. The applicant must submit a completed scholarship application with a parent's or guardian's signature.
- 6. The applicant must complete the essay requirement.
- 7. The applicant must have two letters of recommendation from a teacher, administrator, school counselor, or community representative (no family members).

Scholarship Award Recipient



The Scholarship recipient will receive a check in the minimum amount of \$500.00 made payable to the HBCU they will be attending.

The Scholarship recipient will be selected and notified by May 15 of each year.

The recipient must enroll as a full-time student at a four-year HBCU and submit a proof of enrollment letter to secure the award.



APPLICANT INFORMATION:		
Name:	Date of Birth:	
Address:		
City: State	e: Zip Code:	
E-Mail Address:	Phone Number:	
FAMILY INFORMATION:		
Parent/Guardian Name(s):		
Parent/Guardian E-Mail Address(es):		
Parent/Guardian Phone Number(s):		
EDUCATIONAL:		
Name of High School and Dates of Attendance:		
Grade Point Average:	Expected Date of Graduation:	
Academic major/career you plan to pursue:		
List any honors and academic awards:		
List all scholarships that you have been award	ded:	



EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:		
List any extracurricular activities in the past four years:		
List your community service, civic, and any other activities:		
ESSAY:		
In 300 words or less, indicate how being awarded the Gary C. Clark HBCU Exce Award will be of benefit to you.	llence Scholarship	
Please type your essay on a separate sheet and attach with this completed application form.		
Mail the following in a manilla envelope, postmarked no later than April 15 to Gary C. Clark HBCU Scholarship Committee,11205 Lake Victoria Lane, Bowie MD 20720 or email to gcchbcuscholarships@gmail.com by April 15: • This completed application form with applicant and parent/guardian signatures • Student Essay • Copy of your Official School Transcript (sealed if mailed, signed/stamped if emailed) • A copy of your official acceptance letter from the Historically Black College or University (HBCU) you plan to attend • Two letters of recommendation from a teacher, administrator, school counselor, or community representative		
If you have questions, please contact Mrs. Garyn C. Moody at (301) 602-6863.		
Applicant Signature:	Date:	
Legal Guardian's Signature:	Date:	



BIO OF GARY C. CLARK



Gary C. Clark is a native of Prince George's County, MD, having been raised in Seat Pleasant, MD. His parents, William C. Clark & Willie Mae Clark, knew the importance of education and made sure Gary and his two older siblings had everything they needed to succeed academically and graduate from college.

Gary is a product of the Prince George's County School System, graduating from Fairmont Heights High School in 1969, with the class called, "The Fine Line of '69." He then enrolled at Virginia State (College) now University, Ettrick, VA, where he graduated in 1974 with a degree in Business Administration.

Professionally, Gary began his work career for C&P Telephone Company, which eventually became Verizon Communications. He retired from Verizon after 31 years of exemplary service, having received numerous awards and commendations.

As a responsible citizen, Gary served many years as an Election Judge, served as Chief Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court, supported many political candidates and even ran for public office, all in Prince George's County. Gary has also been an active member in all of his Home Owners Associations. He served as a HBCU tour chaperone for over 10 years, helping students to further their education.

Gary's other affiliations include: Membership, Trustee Emeritus and former Treasurer at First Baptist Church of Highland Park in Landover, MD; and a Life Member of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., where he has held many positions, received numerous awards & honors, is currently the Chairman of the International Protocol Committee and a PROUD 50+ YEAR member of the Fraternity.

Most importantly, Gary is a devoted family man. He is married to Grace, his wife of over 35 years; he is the father to Garyn C. Moody and Gary C. Clark, II; the father-in-love to Elliott O. Moody and Dommonique Clark; and the Exuberant grandfather, "G-Pop" to Elijah O. Moody & Gracie C. Moody.

His love of God, Family, Friends & Country is undeniable. He feels just as strongly about Education and pushing, encouraging & supporting young people to attain the best education possible.