



NATIONAL HOOK-UP OF BLACK WOMEN, INC.

Advocating for Women and Their Families

National President Dr. Lona C. Bibbs

DR. WYNETTA A. FRAZIER “SISTER-TO-SISTER” SCHOLARSHIP Scholarship Amount - \$500.00



Dr. Wynetta A Frazier was the Assistant Director of Early Childhood Research and Intervention Programs, Department of Education, University of Illinois, Chicago, Illinois. This program served many multi-cultural families from various socio-economic levels who had children, 0-3, with disabling conditions.

Dr. Frazier holds an earned Ph.D. from Columbia Pacific University and completed undergraduate and graduate work at DePaul University and Governors State University in Illinois. Dr. Frazier is actively involved in her community and has membership in a wide range of professional, social and civic organizations. She provides leadership to many groups. Dr. Frazier is Past-President of the National Hook-Up of Black Women, Inc.; past President of the Chicago Commission for Women; Commissioner, Chicago Commission on Human Relations; President, Chicago Urban League, and a member of the National Organization for Women. She is an achiever, a woman who makes a difference professionally and personally in her community. Dr. Frazier has achieved numerous awards including: Ebony Award - U. S. Civil Rights Commission; Chicago Consortium of Early Intervention Providers - 1997 Award of Excellence; Women of Achievement, International Churches of God in Christ - 1997; Who's Who of Black Americans - 1987, 1988, 1991 and 1997; and VIP Award - Illinois Parents Too Soon.

SCHOLARSHIP PURPOSE - The Wynetta A. Frazier “Sister-to-Sister” Scholarship was created to provide financial assistance to mature African American Women in their pursuit of post-secondary education. An applicant must be a returning student, whose education was interrupted by family responsibilities or other personal demands and is now ready to complete college or one who is entering college for the first time because of these factors. (Please explain) All applicants must meet the prescribed scholarship criteria.

ABOUT NATIONAL HOOK-UP OF BLACK WOMEN, INC. (NHBW, Inc.) - NHBW, Inc. was established in 1974 as a communication network between women’s organizations and individuals to support the Congressional Black Caucus Legislative efforts and to provide a national forum to articulate the needs and concerns of Black women and families.

NHBW, INC. MISSION STATEMENT – NHBW, Inc. is a charitable organization dedicated to improving the lives of families through the arts, culture, health wellness, education and human service programs. Advocate for well-being of women and their families

NHBW, INC. MEMBERSHIP - NHBW, Inc. membership reflects a rich diversity of dedicated women from varied business, professional, and community disciplines, representing a broad constituency that crosses all economic, social and educational backgrounds. Membership is open to anyone who embraces the mission of the organization.

Eligibility Requirements

- At least 21 years of age and meet at least one of the criteria stated under “Scholarship Purpose”
- Proof of being accepted to or currently attending a college or university
- Demonstrate written communication skills in a 450-500-word essay, typed, double-spaced essay explaining the circumstances that qualify you for the scholarship and how receiving the scholarship will impact your post-secondary plans.

Additional Requirements

- Two (2) Letters of Recommendation (Letters from family members are not acceptable.)
- An official transcript from the last college/university you attended, if you are a continuing or returning student **OR** official high school transcript, if you are a first-time student
- A recent photo with full name listed on back
- Personal Statement

Applicant’s Personal Information

Name _____

Address _____ City _____

State & Zip _____ Phone No _____

Email _____

Last high school or college attend _____

College Major _____

Please list your favorite school or community activity and why it is your favorite.

Please list your most recent work experience.

Please list one (1) of your special talents

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

I hereby understand that if selected as a scholarship recipient, it is my responsibility to submit the documentation needed to disburse the scholarship award and if documentation is not received by the Scholarship Committee by September 30, 2018, I forfeit my right to the scholarship.

Printed Name of Applicant: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Checklist

- _____ Scholarship Application
- _____ Proof of being accepted to or currently attending a college or university
- _____ Essay
- _____ Two (2) letters of recommendation
- _____ An official transcript from the last college/university you attended, if you are a continuing or returning student
_____ or official high school transcript, if you are a first-time student
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The complete application packet must be received by the National Scholarship Committee no later than March 1, 2018. Please mail to:

**National Hook-Up of Black Women, Inc.
ATTN: Ms. Debra Ware Roberts, Chairperson
National Scholarship Committee
PO Box 555
Midway, FL 32343**

Scholarship recipients will be announced at our 2018 National Annual Meeting and will be posted on our national website, www.nhbwinc.com on April 30, 2018. If you have questions, please contact Ms. Debra Ware Roberts at (850) 980-4729 or email scholarships@nhbwinc.com.