

## SUFFOLK COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

### GENERAL INFORMATION

The Suffolk County Bar Association is a professional organization, incorporated since 1908, whose purposes include cultivating the science of jurisprudence, promoting reforms in the law, facilitating the administration of justice, elevating the standard of integrity, honor and courtesy in the legal profession and cherishing the spirit of brotherhood among our members. In doing so, the Association seeks to involve and encourage our surrounding community in pursuing these endeavors and accomplishing these ideals.

### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. A high school senior in a Suffolk County high school and a resident of Suffolk County planning to attend a four-year (or greater) college or university program immediately after graduation from high school.
2. Submission of a completed and typed official application form (may be photocopied). (Essay - 60 points; Activities - 15 points)
3. Submission of two confidential letters of recommendation from adults not related to the applicant, such as teachers, school officials and/or community leaders. (10 points collectively)
4. Verification of current enrollment by school official (form enclosed).
5. Submission of high school transcript. (15 points)

ONLY COMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED. Supporting documentation not requested will not be considered. All applications and supporting information become the property of the Suffolk County Bar Association.

### APPLICATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
          First                                Middle Initial                                Last

Present Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and address of current high school: \_\_\_\_\_

Application to be submitted no later than Friday, 5:00 p.m., April 6, 2018 to:

Suffolk County Bar Association  
560 Wheeler Road  
Hauppauge, New York 11788  
Attention: High School Scholarship

Questions to be directed to:

Marion Baumer (631) 234-5511 extension 230

## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Additional pages may be attached, if necessary.

1. Provide list of extra-curricular high school activities, including duration of activity and positions held, if applicable.

2. Provide list of community activities, including volunteer and/or paying activities, in which you have participated since high school, including duration of activity and positions held, if applicable.

3. Briefly state your plans following graduation from high school, including potential areas of study or area(s) of interest you wish to pursue in college.

### APPLICANT ESSAY

Please provide an essay addressing an issue of social concern to you, such as your position on the function of government, a civil rights issue, a newsworthy topic, or similar matter. (Not to exceed **500 words**)– (Your essay may be typed on a separate sheet of paper.)

### DECLARATION BY APPLICANT

I certify that all of the information contained in my application form is accurate to the best of my knowledge and the essay portion of this application is my original product for which I have not relied on the Internet or otherwise received assistance. I consent to the review and release of this application to appropriate members and staff of the Suffolk County Bar Association and, if chosen as the recipient, consent to the use of my name, photographs and information contained in my application and publication of my essay by the Suffolk County Bar Association.

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

