JAMES M. & ERMA T. FREEMONT FOUNDATION

2027-2028 Scholarship Program for Graduating High School Seniors

GUIDELINES

PURPOSE AND ELIGIBILITY

- The Freemont Foundation seeks graduating high school seniors attending school in the United States who demonstrate leadership, community volunteerism outside school-sponsored activities, and participation in extracurricular school activities.
- Applicants must complete high school by Spring 2027.
- Applicants must be U.S. citizens and have a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (excluding home-school studies, consistent with the existing program requirement).
- Applicants must have a minimum SAT score of 1150 or ACT score of 21.
- Applicants must plan to attend an accredited Historically Black College or University (HBCU) beginning Fall 2027 and intend to maintain full-time enrollment throughout the 2027–2028 academic year.
- Applicants who are applying to an HBCU may apply before receiving an admissions decision, but must be accepted into an accredited HBCU by July 1, 2027.
- Applicants must intend to pursue an undergraduate degree in the sciences as a career. Eligible fields: Biomedical and Biological Sciences; Computer Science; Engineering and Engineering Technology; Health Professions; Mathematics and Statistics; Physical Sciences; Psychology; Science Technology.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- Completed and signed application (electronic applicant signature permitted).
- Typed resume (PDF) describing academic honors, awards, memberships, hobbies, extracurricular activities, school-related service, and community volunteer activities outside school.
- Typed 300–350-word essay submitted as a separate PDF.
- Two recommendation letters specific to this scholarship: one from a high school teacher, counselor, or principal; and one from a local community member or officer of an organization with which the applicant is affiliated. *Handwritten signatures are mandatory.*
- Most recent official high school transcript from the last completed academic term.
- SAT or ACT scores demonstrating eligibility (scores may appear on the official transcript).

APPLICATION DEADLINE

All application materials and supporting documents must be received by February 5, 2027, at 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

WHAT TO EMAIL

Email your completed application, resume (PDF), essay (PDF), and SAT/ACT score documentation if not shown on your official transcript to scholarship@freemontfoundation.com.

Suggested subject: Last Name, First Name - 2027–2028 High School Scholarship Application.

The two recommendation letters may accompany the application or be emailed separately by their authors. Do not submit more than two letters. Each letter must bear a handwritten signature; *electronic or digital signatures are not accepted*. Each letter should identify the applicant by full name.

OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT REQUIREMENTS

- Official transcripts must be transmitted directly by the high school or an authorized transcript service. Applicants must NOT email their own transcripts or attach them to the application.
- If an official electronic transcript service is unavailable, a school official may email the transcript directly from an institution-associated email account to scholarship@freemontfoundation.com. Transcripts from a generic or personal email accounts will not be accepted.
- If a former school is closed and academic records cannot be obtained, contact info@freemontfoundation.com for instructions no later than seven working days before the deadline.

SELECTION, AWARD AND PAYMENT

Finalists may be invited to interview. Award recipients must provide proof of Fall 2027 enrollment, student ID number, and institution information by the deadline stated in their award letter. Scholarship funds will be paid directly to the college or university, not to the recipient.

Award announcement date no later than April 2027. Disbursement date: September 2027.

Questions: scholarship@freemontfoundation.com.

Website: www.FreemontFoundation.com.

Applications may be downloaded from the Freemont Foundation's website at www.FreemontFoundation.com

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

☐ Completed and signed application
☐ Resume (PDF)
☐ Essay (PDF; 300–350 words)
☐ Two hand-signed recommendation letters
☐ Official transcript sent directly by school or transcript service
☐ SAT/ACT scores (if not on transcript)

DOCUMENTS MUST BE SENT TO scholarship@FreemontFoundation.com

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11:59 PM ET February 5, 2027.
NO EXCEPTIONS

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HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2027–2028

Type your answers.

1.	Last Name:	First Name:
2.	Mailing Address Street: City: State: Zip:	
3.	Daytime Telephone Number: Email Address:	
4.	Date of Birth: Month Day Year	
5.	How did you find out about this scholarship program?	
6.	Current high school name: High school address (street, city/state, zip): Guidance counselor name: Guidance counselor email: Expected high school graduation (month/year):	
7.	Parent(s) or legal guardian(s) name(s): Parent/guardian mailing address: Parent/guardian email: Parent/guardian daytime phone:	
8.	First-choice HBCU (name, city, state): Second-choice HBCU, if applicable (name, city, state): Intended undergraduate major: Current college admission status: ☐ Still Applying ☐ Already Applied ☐ Accepted	

ESSAY (SUBMIT AS A SEPARATE PDF)

In 300-350 words:

Tell us about a person who has had a significant impact on your life and your decision to study STEM.

Attach a resume that includes the following:
academic honors, awards, and memberships; hobbies, extracurricular activities, and school-related volunteer activities; and community volunteer activities outside school

APPLICANT CERTIFICATION AND AUTHORIZATION

- I certify that the information in my application and supporting materials is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the Freemont Foundation may verify submitted information.
- I understand that all required materials, including those sent by third parties, must be received by the published deadline. Incomplete, late, or ineligible applications will not be considered.
- I understand that if selected as a finalist, I may be asked to participate in an interview.
- If awarded a scholarship, I agree to provide proof of enrollment and the institution and student ID information requested in my award letter by the stated deadline. Funds will be paid directly to my educational institution.
- If selected as a scholarship recipient, I authorize the Freemont Foundation to use my name, photograph, video, educational institutions, field of study, and a brief biography to announce and promote its scholarship program in Freemont Foundation publications, its website, and social media. The Freemont Foundation will request any additional personal information needed for these purposes.

☐ I am a United States citizen.

☐ I intend to enroll full-time at an accredited HBCU beginning Fall 2027 and throughout the 2027– 28 academic year.

☐ I understand that I must be accepted into an accredited HBCU by July 1, 2027.

☐ I have read and agree to the applicant certification and publicity authorization above.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ Date: _____

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