JAMES M. & ERMA T. FREEMONT FOUNDATION

2027–2028 Scholarship Program for Undergraduate Students

GUIDELINES

PURPOSE AND ELIGIBILITY

- The Freemont Foundation seeks undergraduate students who demonstrate leadership, community volunteerism outside school-sponsored activities, and participation in school extracurricular activities.
- Applicants must be U.S. citizens and have a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
- Applicants must be enrolled in an accredited Historically Black College or University (HBCU) for Fall 2027 and intend to maintain full-time enrollment throughout the 2027–2028 academic year.
- IMPORTANT: This application is for CURRENT UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS only. It is NOT for graduating high school seniors or incoming first-year college students. Graduating high school seniors and incoming freshmen must use the 2027–2028 Scholarship Program for Graduating High School Seniors application.
- Applicants must be pursuing an undergraduate degree in the sciences with the intention of entering that field 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 college-level academic honors, awards, memberships, hobbies, extracurricular activities, school-related service, and community volunteer activities outside school. Do not include activities from before college.
- Typed 300–350-word essay submitted as a separate PDF.
- Two recommendation letters specific to this scholarship: one from a professor, counselor, or administrator; and one from a community member or officer of an organization with which the applicant is affiliated. *Handwritten signatures are mandatory.*
- Most recent official college transcript from the last completed academic term.

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), and essay (PDF) to scholarship@freemontfoundation.com.

Suggested subject: Last Name, First Name - 2027–2028 Undergraduate 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 college 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.
- **First-Semester Undergraduate Students:** Applicants who are currently enrolled in their first semester of college must wait until that semester has been completed and final grades have been posted before submitting their official college transcript. The transcript must be received by the application deadline. *High school transcripts will not be accepted under any circumstances.*

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 institution or transcript service

DOCUMENTS MUST BE SENT TO scholarship@FreemontFoundation.com

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NO EXCEPTIONS

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UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT 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.	Name of HBCU currently attending: HBCU city and state:	
7.	Undergraduate major(s) and minor(s), if applicable: Undergraduate degree sought: Anticipated graduation (semester and year):	
8.	Hometown (city, state): High school attended: High school graduation year: High school city and state:	

ESSAY (SUBMIT AS A SEPARATE PDF)

In 300-350 words: *Identify a problem in your community or society that you believe could be addressed through science, technology, engineering, or mathematics. Explain why this problem matters to you and how you hope to contribute to a solution through your education and future career.*

RESUME (SUBMIT AS A SEPARATE PDF)

Attach a resume that includes the following: Include college-level academic honors, awards and memberships *(do not include anything prior to college)*; hobbies, outside interests, extracurricular activities and school-related volunteer activities; and non-school-sponsored community volunteer activities.

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 am enrolled at an accredited HBCU and intend to maintain full-time undergraduate enrollment throughout the 2027–2028 academic year.

☐ I confirm that I am a current undergraduate student and understand that this application is not for graduating high school seniors or incoming freshmen.

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

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ Date: _____

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