

# Junior League of Lake Charles Branch Out and Grow Scholarship Application Cover Sheet

**Traditional Application (High School Sr. Girl)**

Application Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Parish (check one):

Allen  Beauregard  Calcasieu  Cameron  Jefferson Davis

Required Documentation:

- Completed application
- Official high school transcript (sent directly from school; this must reach JLLC office by the deadline of Friday, April 30<sup>th</sup> or your application will be ineligible).
- Letter of recommendation from high school guidance counselor or teacher (Sent directly from the recommender or delivered in a sealed envelope).
- Letter of recommendation from someone who is knowledgeable about your volunteer activities. This letter may not be written by an immediate family member.
- Any additional supportive information that you wish to share
- Please note: All documentation above is needed before the deadline in order to be considered.**

## **Junior League of Lake Charles, Inc.**

### **Branch Out and Grow Scholarship Application**

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JUNIOR LEAGUE OF  
**LAKE CHARLES**

The Junior League of Lake Charles, Inc., will award several \$750 scholarships to community and goal oriented young women that may be used for any accredited college, university or technical trade school.

All applicants must meet the following eligibility requirements:

- Attend high school or college in the 5-parish area (Allen, Beauregard, Calcasieu, Cameron, Jeff Davis Parishes)
- Must have at least a 3.0 cumulative grade point average (GPA) based on a 4.0 scale
- Be a female high school senior, attending college or graduating college (for graduate school)
- Exhibit a commitment to voluntarism
- Cannot be an immediate relative of JLLC Active or Sustaining member

Please contact Melissa Cox, Grants and Scholarships Committee Chair, at 337.794.9321 or grants\_scholarships@jllc.net with any questions.

**Application must be signed and received by**

**Friday, April 1st, 2022**

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5. Any additional supportive information that you wish to share.

**All application materials should be sent to or delivered to: Grants & Scholarships Committee Chair, Junior League of Lake Charles, Inc., 1019 Lakeshore Drive, Lake Charles, LA 70601.**

The Junior League of Lake Charles, Inc., is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women and improving the community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable.

**Junior League of Lake Charles, Inc.**

**Branch Out and Grow Scholarship Application**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Current High School Grade Point Average:** \_\_\_\_\_

**How did you hear about the JLLC scholarship?**

**School** \_\_\_\_ **Organization** \_\_\_\_ **Friend** \_\_\_\_ **Media** \_\_\_\_ **Other** \_\_\_\_\_

Please list all high school organizations and clubs in which you were a member and indicate all positions held (attach a separate page if necessary).

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Please list your community service activities during your high school years and indicate all positions held (attach a separate page if necessary).

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Please list all honors that you received during your high school years.

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Please list and explain any other personal or family circumstances that may be relevant to the consideration of your application:

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Please take a moment to discuss your plans and projected goals for next year and beyond

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**Essay question: (no less than 1,000 words)**

In narrative form, tell us why you should receive our scholarship by answering the following:

- Using two of the organizations listed above, tell us how the volunteer experience(s) impacted yourself and your community.
- Tell us about your most challenging volunteer experience.
- What do you think is the most critical volunteer need or issue in your community?
- How will you continue to make long-term impacts in your community?
- The pandemic surrounding the Coronavirus has posed many extraordinary challenges. Discuss how you have found innovative ways to create or continue involvement in your community.
- Hurricanes Laura and Delta have created severe disruption to our community. How have you provided volunteer work and time into the improvement of restoring our community?

I affirm that the information provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I consent to the verification of information contained in my application.

I understand if I am selected, I will need to provide all required information for payment to the Junior League of Lake Charles, Inc. by Friday, April 1, 2022; otherwise, I will forfeit the scholarship. I hereby agree to these terms.

Signature of applicant:

Date:

Signature of parent or legal guardian:

Date: