



SPIRIT 2017 *fest*

2018 Scholarships Application Form

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ERay Promotions presents the annual McDonalds / SpiritFest Scholarship, Greenville Technical College - James Curtis Harkness Scholarship, Terry Moore SpiritFest Scholarship, Arche Designs - Samuel Moore Laptop Scholarship, and the NJ Productions / SpiritFest Scholarship. These scholarships were established to recognize academic excellence and total leadership qualities of minority students. ERay Promotions, a Gospel concert promotions company located in the Upstate of South Carolina, recognizes twenty-six years of Gospel Music promotions, as it presents SpiritFest 2017 Labor Day Weekend Celebration on September 3, 2017 at the Bon Secours Wellness Arena. SpiritFest is the longest running yearly concert in the Upstate and one of the largest Gospel concerts in the Southeast.

Greenville Technical College's mission is to provide high-quality learning opportunities at a cost people can afford and at locations, they can reach. Arche Designs is an innovative company that specializes in Professional Website Development and Small Business Solutions. NJ Productions, LLC provides one-stop promotional services. ERay Promotions sponsors a scholarship benefit program each year and this year in conjunction with SpiritFest, these great organizations will offer scholarships

**McDonalds 1 - \$2500 scholarship, Greenville Technical College 2 - \$1500 scholarships
Terry Moore SpiritFest 1- \$1000 scholarship, Arche Designs - 1 Laptop Computer, NJ Productions - \$500 scholarship**

Scholarships will be awarded, September 3rd, onstage at the 2017 SpiritFest Concert featuring: **Tye Tribbett, Tamela Mann, Travis Greene, The Walls Group, The Rance Allen Group Doc McKenzie and the Hi-Lites, Roy & Revelation, The Gospel Legends, and Men of God** at the Bon Secours Arena in Greenville SC. We believe that you will be excited to attend this year's SpiritFest Concert. Group tickets are available to both SpiritFest Concerts of 15 or more to receive a discounted ticket rate. **To apply** - submit the complete application packet to: ERay Promotions Attention: Scholarship Committee 342 Crepe Myrtle Dr. Greer, SC 29651 by July 25, 2017.

Criteria

The scholarship criteria is below and applications should be postmarked by July 25th

- Minority Graduating Senior 2018
- New students, current students or non-traditional students *i.e Part time students/adult seeking an education* (Greenville Technical College only)
- Cumulative G.P.A. of 3.0, 2.5 for Arche Designs (*Must maintain during 2017 / 2018 school year, where applicable*)
- Applicants must be residents of South Carolina & recipients be available to attend the SpiritFest Concert, September 3rd to receive the award (*NO exceptions*); Recipients will receive 3 complimentary tickets to the concert.)
- Acceptance and attendance at an accredited institution of higher education for the 2018 school year before funds are released (*Full-time registration and letter of acceptance*) or enrolled at Greenville Technical College
- NJ Productions Scholarship can be used for books & supplies
- Completion of application along with the following attachments:
 - a) Autobiography (at least 300 words) - Include volunteer activities, leadership experience, extracurricular activities, work experience, honors and special awards. Please provide the committee with any pertinent information which you would like us to consider in reviewing your application.
 - b) Three letters of recommendation: one from a person not related to you (*i.e., employer, church official*) and two from school personnel (*i.e., counselors, teachers, coach*)
 - c) Photo of applicant (*Color Photo*)
- Copy of your official transcript (*must contain the school seal and be forwarded by your school to*): ERay Promotions, Attention: Scholarship Committee 342 Crepe Myrtle Dr. Greer, SC 29651



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Applicant Information

Full Name: _____ Date: _____
Last First M.I.

<input type="checkbox"/>	Male	<input type="checkbox"/>	Female
Sex		Date of Birth	

Address: _____
Street Address Apartment/Unit #

_____ *City State (SC required) Zip*

Phone: _____ Email _____

Parent Information

_____ *Father's First Name* _____ *Father's Last Name*

_____ *Mother's First Name* _____ *Mother's Last Name*

Social Media

_____ *Facebook* _____ *Twitter* _____ *Instagram*

Current School Information

_____ *Current School* _____ *Cumulative G.P.A.*

College Information

College Name _____

Intended Major _____ Intended Minor _____

Career Goals

I am applying for the following scholarship (s)

- McDonalds / SpiritFest \$2500 (2018 Graduate or Adult)
- James Curtis Harkness Scholarship (2) \$1500 (2018 Graduate, Existing Student or Adult)
- Terry Moore / SpiritFest \$1000 (2018 Graduate; College of your choice)
- Arche Designs / SpiritFest Laptop Computer (2018 Graduate)
- NJ Productions / SpiritFest Scholarship (2018 Graduate)

Refer to Criteria & then check only scholarships for which you are eligible. Thanks

Application Deadline July 25, 2017



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Scholarship Application Agreement

Briefly list ***Please read, complete and sign***

1. It is my understanding that all application spaces must be complete and my application packet & the separate official transcript must be postmarked by August 1, 2017.
2. I, _____, understand that any false information on the application will result in rejection of the application from the scholarship committee.
3. It is my understanding that if I receive this scholarship, I must maintain a 3.0 GPA for the 2017/2018 school year & 2.5 GPA for Arche Designs.
4. I, _____, understand that if I am awarded this scholarship I must submit the following information before funds are released:
 - a) Letter of Intent and Letter of Acceptance from an accredited college or Statement of Enrollment from a college official.
 - b) Request for scholarship funds must be received in writing at least one month before funds are to be forwarded to the college. Included in the request will be my name, social security number, name and address of college.
5. It is my understanding that if I receive the scholarship; I must reside in the South Carolina & be present to accept the award onstage at the SpiritFest 2017 Concert on September 3rd at the Bon Secours Wellness Arena in Greenville, SC (NO exceptions).
6. It is my understanding that if I am awarded this scholarship, I will represent SpiritFest, McDonalds, Greenville Technical College, Arche Designs, and ERay Promotions, so I will excel in school and conduct myself in an ethical manner.

Disclaimer and Signature

I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. If I am a finalist, I understand that further documentation may be required.

If this application leads to selection for a scholarship, I understand that false or misleading information may result in revocation of any offer of funding.

Signature: _____ Date: _____