

Quarles Scholarship Required Documents Checklist and Application Questions

The electronic application must be completed in one sitting and does not allow you to come back to a saved version. Subsequently, we have prepared this outline to help you prepare your answers and documents in advance.

Only complete application packets submitted by the deadline will be considered.

Required Documents Checklist

The following items are required:

- Completed Online Application Form (all questions answered)
- Essay (Attached to online application form)
- School Transcript (Attached to online application form)
- SAT/ACT Scores (Attached to online application form)
- 2 Letters of recommendation (to be emailed directly from your teacher/mentor to scholarship2@griffinmiddlefoundation.org - please ask them to put your name in the subject line)

Online Application Questions

Applicant Information:

- Name
- Address
- Email
- Phone number
- Name of the school you currently attend
- Name, email, and phone number of your guidance counselor

Eligibility Confirmation

- Check all that apply.

Academic Experience

- What STEAM classes/activities/clubs have you taken/participated in during high school?
- What awards or recognitions have you earned?
- GPA (will require you to attach a copy of your transcript)
- SAT and/or ACT Scores (will require you to attach a copy of these scores that includes your name)
- The names and email addresses of two people who will be submitting recommendation letters for you.

Future Academic and Career Plans

- Name of college or accredited institution you will attend in the 2022-2023 school year.
- Name of the degree or program you plan to pursue.
- Name of profession or field of employment you plan to pursue.
- What do you hope to be doing 5-7 years from now?
- How will you use your formal education to help your community?

The Essay (Attach in word or pdf format)

Prompt: Ms. Quarles was famous at Griffin for declaring she was 'living the dream.' What does 'living the dream' mean to you and why? How are you pursuing this or plan to pursue this?

The committee members will be especially interested in these points: an explanation of the role-specific values have in your decision making, how your values reflect your character, and your approach to achieving the “dream.”

Requirements: The essay is limited to 2.5 double spaced pages (approximately 1,000 words or 6000 characters). Carefully proof your essay and know that well-done concise essays are admired.