

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION SCORING RUBIC

| Review Criteria | Score Descriptors | | | | Points Awarded |
|--------------------------|---|---|---|--|----------------|
| | 1 (Below Average) | 2 (Average) | 3 (Above Average) | 4 (Excellent) | |
| Application completeness | Application is incomplete | Application is Complete | Application is complete, accurate, and clear | Application is complete, accurate, proofed, and clear. | |
| Essay Prompt | Response lacks any comprehension of the essay question | Response to writing prompts is unclear or vague | Response occasionally addresses essay prompt | Response addresses essay prompt and provides good connections | |
| Heart of the Essay | No personal experience or examples addressed | Little personal experience demonstrated, or weak examples | Personal Experience present, demonstrates adequate personal experience or examples | Demonstrates strong personal experience or examples | |
| Organization | Essay lacks clear organization and appropriate transitions | Essay shows good organization but may lack appropriate transitions | Essay shows clear organization with appropriate transitions | Essay is well organized with progression of ideas, linking ideas to supporting points from start to finish | |
| Writing Mechanics | Writing includes many typographical, spelling, grammatical, and structural errors | Writing includes several typographical, spelling, grammatical, and/or structural errors | Writing includes a few typographical, spelling, grammatical, and/or structural errors | Writing includes very few or no typographical, or structural errors | |
| Total Points | | | | | |