



MERCY'S SMILE

Mercy's Smile Scholarship Program Application

Scholarship can cover:

- Tuition
- Books
- Supplies
- Room/Board
- Stipend

**Scholarship coverage and amount will vary and will be determined upon acceptance.*

Requirements to apply:

- Minimum of 350 points on the standard eight final examinations
- Minimum B average across all subjects for Class 8
- Teacher letter of recommendation
- Community or religious leader letter of recommendation

Ongoing Requirements:

- Annual essay - At least one page typed or handwritten in blue or black ink answering one or more of the following questions: Why is it important for you to continue to make an effort at your current school? What have you learned about yourself or about life this year? What do you hope to achieve in the future?
- Community Service (30 hours per year)
- Minimum C average throughout your secondary education
- Positive disciplinary standing throughout secondary school
- Extracurricular activities are encouraged
- Report/Interview from Mercy's Smile mentor each term

**Academic dishonesty is strictly forbidden and will result in immediate disciplinary action. This includes but is not limited to: cheating, changing grades, false reports, etc.*

**If a student encounters behavioral issues, a plan of action is to be determined by a team of a Mercy's Smile representative (preferably the mentor), the Families Liaison, and the guardian or guardians of the student, with participation and in compliance to school policies and procedures.*

**If grades in each class go below the minimum average of C for any given term, the student will be placed on academic watch. If the student's grades go below the minimum for a second time, the student will be placed on probation. A third violation will result in a termination of the scholarship with Mercy's Smile.*



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Required documents for scholarship:

- Birth Certificate
- KCPE result slip
- Form one admission
- Report Card
- Proof of economic status

Scholarship Application:

Instructions:

1. Please fill out the application neatly and clearly in blue or black pen or typed.
2. Only complete applications will be considered.
3. Attach documents to support your responses.
4. Applications due August 30th every year, late applications will not be accepted.

Basic Information:

Full Name: _____
Date of Birth: _____ Gender: Male Female
Mailing Address: _____
Student Phone Number: _____

*Personal Background:

Do you have any disability: Yes: No:

If yes, briefly explain. _____

Religious Affiliation: _____

**Mercy's Smile does not discriminate based on disability or religious affiliation. This information is collected in order to match candidates with other scholarship opportunities.*

Emergency Contact:

Full Name: _____
Relationship: _____
Contact Number: _____
Address: _____

Guardian Information:

Guardian 1 Full Name: _____
Relationship: _____
Occupation: _____

Guardian 2 Full Name: _____
Relationship: _____
Occupation: _____

Academic Report:

KCPE Results: _____
Class Rank 7th: _____ 8th: _____



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Major Interest for College:

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

School Activities/Community Activities/Sports/Awards/Etc.

Non-Sport School Activities:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Community Activities/Volunteer Activities

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Sports Participation

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

In which activities would you want to participate next year?

School/Community/Sports Awards

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Other

Please share anything else you would like for us to consider in regards to your application.



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Short answer essay:

Please write one to three paragraphs to respond to each of the following:

1. What academic challenges have you gone through and how have you or how will you overcome them?

2. What personal challenges have you gone through and how have you or how will you overcome them?

3. What hopes and dreams do you have for your future?
