

LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP COMMON APPLICATION



**WILLIE JAMES JONES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

The scholarship is named in the memory of Lincoln High School valedictorian and outstanding citizen Willie Jones, Jr. Willie was expected to graduate with Cornell's Class of 1998, but was tragically killed only days before he was to matriculate at Cornell

**AWARD AMOUNT**

Two - \$2,000.00 scholarships will be awarded to one male and one female who will be attending a four year college or university.

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**PRINCIPAL'S SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship will be awarded to one graduating senior in Center for the Arts, Public Safety and Science and Engineering that will be attending a 4 year college or university.

**AWARD AMOUNT**

Three - \$1000 scholarships will be awarded to graduating senior in Center for the Arts, Public Safety and Science and Engineering

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**COUNSELOR'S LEADERSHIP AWARD**

Each counselor in Center for the Arts, Center for Public Safety and Center for Science and Engineering will award two students that will be attending community college in the fall of 2009.

**AWARD AMOUNT**

Six - \$500 awards will be given to six graduating seniors; two students from Arts, Public Safety and Science and Engineering.

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**MONIQUE PALMER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship is in memory of Monique Palmer, a senior at Lincoln High School who was a member of the 2009 graduating class. This scholarship was funded through the successful 1<sup>st</sup> annual event, Emeralds and Pearls. Emeralds and Pearls is a collaboration of Lincoln staff, students, community members and friends who share the common goal of keeping the vibrant spirit of Monique alive.

**AWARD AMOUNT**

Four - \$500.00 scholarships will be awarded to graduating seniors, who will be attending a two or four year college or university.

## CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

1. Applicants must be a graduating senior from Lincoln High School, who has committed to attend a four year college or university or community college beginning the fall of 2009.
2. Applicants must have a cumulative grade point average that meets the requirements of each scholarship.
  - Willie James Jones – 3.5
  - Principal’s Scholarship Award – 3.0
  - Monique Palmer Scholarship – 2.8
  - Counselor Award – 2.5
3. Applicants must complete the Scholarship Application Form.
4. Applicants must include 2 letters of recommendation from an administrator, teacher, counselor or community service mentor.
5. Applicants must include an official transcript.
6. If applying for the Monique Palmer Scholarship, you must complete a 2 page maximum essay using the following prompt: *What I have done to make Lincoln High a better place?*

**All scholarship applications and supporting documents MUST be submitted to the 100 bldg – Central Administration Office by Monday, June 1<sup>st</sup> by 3:30 p.m. - NO EXCEPTIONS!!!**

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*INDICATE SCHOLARSHIP CATEGORY*

- ( ) WILLIE JAMES JONES JR MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ( ) MONIQUE PALMER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \*
- ( ) PRINCIPAL'S SCHOLARSHIP
- ( ) COUNSELOR'S LEADERSHIP AWARD

Name	Birthdate
Address	City/State
Zip Code	Center
Email	

**ACADEMIC INFORMATION** (*ATTACH OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS*)

9-12 Weighted Cumulative GPA:
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*(Please feel free to type up an additional sheet of paper if necessary)*

**Academic Awards:**

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**Other Academic Distinctions:**

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**Activities / Organizations:**

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**Community Service:**

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**Honors and Awards Received:**

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**Signature**

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**Date**

\*MONIQUE PALMER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP – Remember if you are applying for this scholarship to include your essay along with your application.

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