2020-2021 SCHOOLHOUSE CONNECTION YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

- Provides scholarships to youth who have experienced homelessness to ensure their completion of a post-secondary education program.
- Assists youth with financial aid processes, mental health advocacy and referrals, professional legal advocacy and referrals, and assistance in locating and establishing local contacts for general support and services.
- Builds a stable peer and adult support network for recipients, before, during, and after their college careers, and into their transition into the workforce.
- Offers young people meaningful opportunities to engage in advocacy, while providing sustained support services to help ensure graduation & success in life.

THE AWARD

- ☑ $2,000 scholarship award. A minimum of 10 scholarships are awarded.
- ☑ A trip to a national awards ceremony (travel and expenses included).
- ☑ Second gathering in Washington, DC, one year after the initial scholarship award (all expenses included).

WHO SHOULD APPLY?

- Applicants must have been born on or after Nov. 11, 1999.
- Applicants must be entering college for the first time during the 2020-21 school year. This means that the application is for high school seniors; for those who are in GED programs; or for those who have taken a gap year.
- Applicants who have experienced homelessness within the last six years are eligible to apply.
- Undocumented students who meet these criteria are eligible.
- Students must reside in the United States.

Deadline: Nov. 10, 2019, before 11:59PM PST
Apply Here: https://www.schoolhouseconnection.org/youth-leadership/scholarship-program/
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