



## 2022 MARCHE GAULT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Spartanburg Housing will award the Marche Gault Scholarships for the 2022-2023 academic year. Spartanburg Housing offers a scholarship opportunity to residents to assist students in their pursuit of higher education. This scholarship is for post-secondary educational opportunities to be utilized at a two- or four-year college university, or technical school. The Spartanburg Housing Scholarship Fund was established in 1997 and was later renamed to honor former employee, Marche Gault in 2004.

### WHEN IS THE APPLICATION DUE?

The application must be received no later than Friday, March 4, 2022.

### SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:

Spartanburg Housing will provide the following scholarships for the 2021-2022 academic year:

- One \$2000 scholarship
- Two \$1000 scholarships

### WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

- Current Spartanburg Housing Public Housing resident or Housing Choice Voucher Participant.
- Graduating seniors, high school graduates, GED recipients, or Student enrolled in post-secondary education. Recipients may only attend recognized accredited institutions of higher learning (college, university, trade school, nursing school, etc.)
- In current good standing with Spartanburg Housing.

### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS: *(Please review this material carefully)*

- Current 2.5 GPA or Higher
- Essay describing your ambitions, goals, and what you hope to contribute to society through your education. (100 words minimum and 300 words maximum.)
- One letter of recommendation from school official (guidance counselor, teacher, or principal) OR personal letter of reference from a non-family member (minister, youth director, coach, etc.)
- Certified copy of current transcript

### GENERAL CONDITIONS:

In the event the recipient is not accepted at the designated school or does not remain in school to utilize the full scholarship, the remaining portion will be returned to the scholarship fund for future scholarship opportunities.



## INFORMATION FORM

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### MINOR APPLICANT

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### EDUCATION HISTORY *(Check one)*

- High school graduate/GED recipient
- Technical college/university
- High school senior

### 2022 EDUCATION PLANS

College/University will you be attending or applied to attend:

### 2022 ENROLLMENT STATUS: *(Check one)*

- Plan to attend
- Applied but not yet accepted
- Applied and accepted
- Currently enrolled

Anticipated major or vocational goal: \_\_\_\_\_

Average length of program (2 years/4 years): \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Expected Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_



Non-Classroom Activities: (List your involvement in each of the following categories. Use the right-hand column for numbers to identify school year(s) in which you were involved and to identify those activities in which you held an office or a leadership position.)

| Activity   | Year, Office, Leadership |
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| Extracurricular Activities (including sports):       |                          |
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| Honors and Awards (including academic achievements): |                          |
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| Community/Church Activities:                         |                          |
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| Employment:  |                          |
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In the following space, or on a separate sheet attached to this application, write a short essay that describes areas in your life where you demonstrated leadership and overcame obstacles either through your school, social, or family life. **The essay should not be more than 300 words.**



**SIGNATURE**

By my signature, I agree to the following:

- The information I have given is true to the best of my knowledge.
- To keep Spartanburg Housing informed of any changes in schools or enrollment status.
- Consent to use my profile, progress, and testimonials for marketing and fundraising purposes.
- The Spartanburg County Foundation has authorization to solicit academic information and standard test scores from all secondary schools attended by me.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKET CHECKLIST

\_\_\_\_\_Certified copy of current transcript from your high school, college, or training institution (2.5 GPA or higher, or High School Equivalency Certificate).

\_\_\_\_\_An essay (minimum of 100 - maximum of 30 words) write a short essay that describes areas in your life where you demonstrated leadership and overcame obstacles either through your school, social, or family life.

\_\_\_\_\_One letter of recommendation from a school official (teacher, guidance, counselor, or principal) OR a personal letter of reference from a non-family member (minister, youth director, coach, professional person etc.)

\_\_\_\_\_Mail Application to the attention of Cierra Fowler, Director of Resident Services and Community Engagement P.O. Box 2828 Spartanburg, SC 29304 or use the outside drop box at Spartanburg Housing main office 170 Arch St. Spartanburg, SC 29303.