To be eligible for this award applicant must be a high school senior with a GPA that is 3.0 or higher.

**All applicants must provide a COMPLETE application package which consists of a:**

1. Scholarship application form
2. Typewritten essay of 100-200 wordsanswering one of the following questions:

* *“How will the Black Excellence Louvenia Johnson Scholarship impact your educational goals?”*
* I became interested in a S.T.E.M career because*?*

1. Copy of a recent report card and transcript documenting a GPA that is3.0 or higher.
2. Typewritten resume which includes a summary of accomplishments and volunteer service.
3. Nomination form from any **two** of the following: principal, counselor, teacher, pastor, mentor or advisor.
4. Forward a headshot picture via email (**Note:** a free photo session will be provided for selected applicants. The dates, times and location for these sessions will be provided at a later date)

**Applications and supporting materials MUST be received by 3:00 PM** on **November 20, 2015; applications received after this date/time will not be reviewed by the Scholarship Committee.** Applicants selected for the 2016 Louvenia Johnson Scholarship will be notified **via email** ***on or by* November 30, 2015**. If selected, recipient mustagree to attend **1.** A college prep workshop at the Milwaukee Urban League (dates and times to be announced) and **2.** The 31st Annual Black Excellence Awards Banquet on Friday, February 26, 2016 at the Italian Conference Center, Milwaukee, WI.

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| **Street Address:** | **City:** | | | **Zip:** | |
| **Phone:** | **E-Mail:** | | | | |
| **School:** | **GPA:** | | **SSI#:** | | |
| **PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION – Please print clearly** | | | | | |
| **First Name:** | **Last Name:** | | | | **MI:** |
| **Street Address:** | **City:** | | | **Zip:** | |
| **Phone:** | **E-Mail:** | | | | |
| **List the name(s) of two College/University/Technical School that you have applied to** | | | | | |
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| **List your intended major(s)** | | | | | |
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| **List volunteer activities and/or church group(s) that you are involved in**  ***(Limit to past 2 years)*** | | | | | |
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**Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**Nomination Form 1**

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NOMINATOR INFORMATION AND RECOMMENDATION

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**Title:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**How long have you known this applicant and in what context?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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It is helpful to know that students are doing their part and accepting their responsibility to help offset the rising costs of College by pursuing “free” sources of educational funding (scholarships & grants).

Please list the scholarships/grants you have applied for/received for the upcoming school 2016-2017 school year.

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| Scholarship/ Grant (Name) | Amount |
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Note: Many students have applied for financial aid but have not received a response as of the completion of this application. It will not score negatively against you if you have not received notification of whether or not you were awarded the grant or scholarship you applied for.

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