



## TRADITIONAL CITE® SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

Non-CITE Verizon employees and their immediate family members (*i.e., son, daughter, sister, brother, grandchildren*), or anyone who has legal/permanent residence in the household of an employee of Verizon or its affiliates, are ineligible to receive a CITE scholarship award.

- A. APPLICANT must be African - American and a United States citizen.
- B. APPLICANT must be a high school senior at the time the application is submitted.
- C. APPLICANT must have a Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better *based on a 4.0/5.0 maximum scale* at the time of the application.
- D. APPLICANT must be accepted by accredited college/university and a full-time student.
- E. APPLICANT must major in one of the required Business related majors. (*Advertising, Marketing, Business, Finance, Accounting, Engineering/Electrical/Industrial, Math and Computer Science/Information Technology*)
- F. APPLICANT must provide proof of enrollment before actual allocation of the awarded funds.
- G. Total Family Income of Applicant must be \$55,000 per year or less.
- H. The application must be postmarked by Friday, March 21, 2008.
- I. TO RECEIVE A SCHOLARSHIP AWARD, RECIPIENT MUST ATTEND THE ENTIRE 2008 CITE CONFERENCE. Recipient may need to arrive June 5, 2008 – one day before the conference. (NOTE: The 2008 CITE conference will be held June 6-8, 2008 at the Hilton Washington – 1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington DC – Phone: 202 483 3000)
- J. CITE will cover most expenses for the scholarship recipient to include travel, lodging and conference registration fees. Additional information regarding hotel and transportation will be provided at a later date.

**SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED BY THE END OF April 2008**

**Incomplete applications or applications postmarked after Friday, March 21 2008 WILL NOT be considered.**

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### SECTION A: STUDENT'S INFORMATION

1. Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last, First, Middle) (Area Code & Number)
2. Legal Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_ F \_\_\_\_ M Race: \_\_\_\_  
U.S. Citizen: Yes: \_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_ If yes: City/State of Birth \_\_\_\_  
Or Naturalization Number \_\_\_\_\_
5. Name and Address of Attending High School: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address)
6. Your Cumulative G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_ Based On a \_\_\_\_\_ (i.e., 4.0; 5.0) Maximum Scale
7. Extracurricular Activities (See Attachment A) \_\_\_\_\_
8. Name/Address of College/University Where Accepted for Admission: (use separate  
sheet if necessary) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address)
9. Anticipated Field of Study: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Were you employed during the current school year? Yes: \_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_  
If yes: Name of Company \_\_\_\_\_  
Supervisor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Do you live with your parent(s) or legal guardian(s)? Yes: \_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_  
If yes: Complete Lines 12-16

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## SECTION A: STUDENT'S INFORMATION (cont'd)

12. Give total number of household members during the current year: \_\_\_\_\_  
(This number must be the same as that indicated on federal tax returns filed by the student or parent/guardian.)
13. How many persons in **Line 12** will be in college during the upcoming school year? \_\_\_\_\_
14. If you do not live with your natural parents or a legal guardian, a **COMPLETE EXPLANATION and OFFICIAL proof of your living arrangements are required** (i.e., foster home, ward of the state.)

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## SECTION B: INFORMATION ON PARENT(S)/LEGAL GUARDIAN(S)

15. Marital Status:    \_\_\_Single \_\_\_Married \_\_\_Divorced \_\_\_Separated \_\_\_Widowed

16. Personal Income Information: **VERIFIABLE EMPLOYMENT & INCOME INFORMATION IS REQUIRED (first two pages only)**

### FATHER/GUARDIAN

### MOTHER/GUARDIAN

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Yearly (Gross) Income \_\_\_\_\_

IRS Filing Status \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Employer/Case Worker: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## SECTION C: STUDENT'S INFORMATION

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION:

17. A copy of the **acceptance letter from the college/university that you will attend.**
18. An **official** copy of your high school transcript, up to **at least** the first two quarters or first semester of your senior year.
19. **Two letters of recommendation.** (See Note B on the checklist page)  
*(Note: Each letter must be TYPED, signed by the recommending person(s), and include that person's telephone number for information verification.)*
20. **A typed one-page student essay stating your educational and career goals.**  
(See Note C on the checklist page)

**\*\*\*\*PLEASE READ NOTE BEFORE SIGNING\*\*\*\***

**NOTE:** By signing this application, you authorize CITE to fully investigate and verify all information provided herein; and you indicate your awareness that false statements may be sufficient cause to disqualify your application.

Student's Signature : \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*\*ALL INFORMATION HEREIN IS CONFIDENTIAL \*\*\*\***

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**INCOMPLETE OR LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED**

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*Attachment A*

## Extracurricular Activities

**List School Activities** (*Please type or print legibly*)

Name of Organization	Office/Position Held	Advisor/Supervisor & Phone Number
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
9.		
10.		

**List Community Activities** (*Please type or print legibly*)

Name of Organization	Office/Position Held	Advisor/Supervisor & Phone Number
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
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# TRADITIONAL CITE® SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CHECKLIST



Please ensure that all items on this checklist are included before submitting your scholarship application.

## REQUIRED ITEMS CHECKLIST:

- ⊕ **PROOF OF INCOME** for Parent(s)/Guardian(s)  
2007 Income Tax Return(s) AND/OR Social Security Benefits, Social Services, AFDC, etc. (See NOTE A below)
  
- ⊕ **COPY OF YOUR ACCEPTANCE LETTER IF AVAILABLE FROM THE COLLEGE or UNIVERSITY OF CHOICE**
  
- ⊕ **OFFICIAL HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT**
  
- ⊕ **AT LEAST TWO TYPED, SIGNED LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION**  
(See Note B below)
  
- ⊕ **ONE-PAGE, TYPED ESSAY OUTLINING YOUR EDUCATIONAL AND CAREER GOALS** (See Note C below)
  
- ⊕ **COMPLETED CITE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION; SIGNED AND DATED.**

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### **Incomplete or Late Applications WILL NOT Be Considered**

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**Note A: Applicant's parents/legal guardians who have a current IRS filing status of "Separated," "Married/Filing Separate," or "Head of Household" MUST provide copies of both tax returns. IF TAX RETURNS ARE NOT SUBMITTED, A DETAILED EXPLANATION OF THE FILING STATUS IS REQUIRED.**

**Note B: Letters of recommendation may be obtained from school administrators, business and community leaders, church officials, employers, etc. (LETTERS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FROM FAMILY MEMBERS.)**

**Note C: Essays can highlight such topics as your intended field of study and what influenced your decision; how your college education will impact you and society; why you feel you deserve a CITE scholarship.**

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