

The Joint Chinese College Alumni Association of Southern U.S.A.



ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Sweet Huat Ling Memorial Scholarship

For the academic year 2012, the JCCAA will provide a "need based" scholarships with an endowment from **Mr. William Ling in memorial of his father, Mr. Sweet Huat Ling**. This scholarship, in the amount of \$3,000 is to be awarded to one Houston area high school senior student. The JCCAA will process the application, selection, and award of the scholarship. Senior students who are currently enrolled in the Greater Houston Area high schools, plan to pursue college education, and can demonstrate financial needs are eligible to apply.

Qualified applicants should submit complete documentation postmarked no later than **March 5, 2012** to:

**JCCAA Scholarship Committee
723 Winston Lane
Sugar Land, Texas 77479**

Qualifications:

1. College-bound senior students currently enrolled in the Greater Houston Area high schools;
2. High school GPA of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale;
3. SAT score of at least 1500, or ACT score of at least 25; and
4. Can demonstrate financial needs.

Required Documents:

1. A completed Application Form, available at <http://www.jccaa.net>.
2. A copy of high school transcript.
3. A copy of SAT or ACT test results.
4. An essay in English of 500 words or less that includes a brief biography, family description, reasons for financial needs, thoughts on the applicant's future plans and goals, and any topic that the applicant feels would be of consideration to the selection committee. The essay must be typed, double-spaced, and on letter size paper.
5. Two letters of recommendation directly mailed to the JCCAA Scholarship Committee, one of which must be from a high school teacher or counselor. The letter should indicate class ranking and percentile.
6. A copy of Student Aid Report (SAR) from FAFSA* (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) of Federal Student Aid Program;

Certain qualified candidate(s) will be notified for interview to verify the financial needs.

All applications will be evaluated based on financial needs, academic achievement, leadership, community service, and extracurricular activities.

Scholarship recipients will be notified by JCCAA by early May, 2012. *The Scholarship Award Ceremony will be held at the JCCAA annual banquet on June 23, 2012.*

***FAFSA can be applied free on www.fafsa.ed.gov**

All questions should be directed to: fcheng49@yahoo.com Frank Cheng 281-919-9576

The information supplied must be accurate and will be kept strictly confidential by the JCCAA Scholarship Committee. All documents and material submitted with the application will not be returned.

JCCAA reserves the right to disqualify applicants who provide fraudulent information.

Form: jccaaaling2008

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APPLICATION
Mr. Sweet Huat Ling Memorial Scholarship

Send completed Application Form and Documents postmarked no later than **March 5, 2012** to:

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Please send an email notice to fcheng49@yahoo.com upon mailing the application via surface mail.

Please type or print clearly

Name: (English) _____ (Chinese): _____

High School Name: _____ Yrs. Attended: _____

Home Address: _____ Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy): _____

_____ Gender: Male Female

E-mail address _____ Phone: () _____

The university or college that you intend to attend: _____

Father: (English/Chinese) _____ JCCAA Member: Yes No

Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

Mother: (English/Chinese) _____ JCCAA Member: Yes No

Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

1st Recommender's Name: _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____ Phone: () _____

2nd Recommender's Name: _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____ Phone: () _____

Please answer the following on a separate page listing the most recent first and attach all applicable certificates and/or awards.

1. Honors, awards, and scholarships received including date and event
2. Leadership positions, including organization, date and position
3. Extracurricular activities, including type and degree of involvement
4. Community services, including type and degree of involvement
5. Work experience, including internship, summer jobs and work/study programs.

Applicant's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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