

DYMOND SHANTYL DANTZLER (DSD) LEGACY FOUNDATION INC.

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The **D'ymond Shantyl Dantzler** (**DSD**) **Legacy Scholarship** is a scholarship dedicated to honoring the memory of the late, D'ymond Shant'yl Dantzler. Our Foundation strives to continue D'ymond's legacy and her passion to excel academically by continuing to educate, empower, and provide positive self-images for women. The **DSD Legacy Scholarship** will provide tuition assistance to a female graduating high school senior who wishes to continue her education toward obtaining a college degree. The recipient is chosen based on academic achievement, community service involvement, resume, essay, and two letters of reference. The DSD Scholarship Committee will select one scholarship recipient annually to receive one thousand dollars. We hope this scholarship will lessen the financial burden on the student and allow them to gain education and knowledge regarding their future career goals.

General Information and Eligibility:

- Must be a resident of the State of Maryland to apply.
- Must be a <u>female</u> and child of a <u>single-parent household</u>.
- Must be a high school graduating senior c/o 2024 and accepted into a two- or four-year accredited institution in the U.S. as a full-time student.
- Must have at least one hundred hours of Community Service. (Verified by school counselor)
- Must have a cumulative G.P.A. of at least 3.0.
- Scholarship must be used toward tuition, college fees, or books. A check will be made payable directly to the institution once proof of full-time admission is verified during the **Fall 2024 semester**.



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Application Material:

- Completed applications must be received by email or mail no later than 11:59 p.m. on Sunday, April 28, 2024.
- All high school transcripts must be submitted. Late or incomplete applications received after the deadline will not be accepted.
- Two letters of recommendation must be submitted. Letters from family members will not be accepted.
- A typewritten resume detailing education, work, or volunteer experience (if applicable), accolades, achievements, extra-curricular activities, and community service involvement should be included.
- Any misconduct, arrest, or infractions will automatically result in your application or award being withdrawn and forfeited.
- The recipient will be notified via telephone, email, and on the **Dymond**Shantyl Dantzler (DSD) Legacy Foundation website and all social media platforms on Sunday, May 12, 2024.
- Submission of a 1–2-minute introduction video on why you deserve to be selected as the DSD Legacy Scholarship Awardee and a 250-400 word essay on one of the following topics:
 - (a) Do you think, we as women, are undervalued when it comes to having a position of power? If yes, how can we change the perception and create more realistic views towards being a woman? If not, what are your perceptions that continue to make us valued in our position as a woman of power?
 - (b) Do you believe having the first woman of color as Madam Vice-President will change or improve the way some men devalue women in superior roles? Explain your answer.