



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT of COLORED PEOPLE
CARTERET COUNTY UNIT
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Branch 5478

January 2026

Dear Student:

Thank you for applying for the 2026 Carteret County NAACP Scholarship. Several scholarship awards will be given to deserving graduating students from Carteret County high schools. Please complete the application thoroughly. To be considered, you must meet the criteria listed below:

1. **Must be a graduating senior at East Carteret, West Carteret, or Croatan High School .**
2. **Please provide a brief statement highlighting your educational objectives, challenges you face or have faced in meeting those objectives, how you respond to those challenges, and how this scholarship will help you reach your goals.**
3. **Must be active in community, church, or other civic organizations.**
4. **Must be accepted to an accredited university or community college. *Seniors must provide a letter of acceptance or a verification of enrollment before the scholarship is awarded.**
5. **Must have a minimum 2.5 GPA (please attach transcript)**
6. **Must have three letters of reference**

Applications should be returned or postmarked by **April 13, 2026**, at the address provided on the application. If you have questions, please contact Arnetta LaMae at 252-723-4082 or Lucy Bond at 252-726-8332. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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Lucy Bond lucia.m.bond@gmail.com
Scholarship Committee Co-chairs
NAACP, Carteret County
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"The Mission of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored Persons is to ensure the Political, Social, and Economic Equality of Rights for All Persons and to Eliminate Racial Hatred and Racial Discrimination."

Carteret County Branch NAACP Scholarship

Application Form 2026

(Application must be legible. Each item must be answered.)

PERSONAL DATA

Home Address _____

City	State	Zip Code
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Home telephone number (____) _____ Cell number (____) _____

E-mail address

Date of birth

Mother and Father or Guardian **Address** **Phone Number**

Mother's Occupation **Name of Employer**

Provide number and ages of siblings living in the home, including applicant.

Number of sibling(s) in school Number of sibling(s) enrolled in college

Number of sibling(s) employed full time who live at home

Are there other dependents in your family?

Do you depend on your parent(s)? _____ Most of the time _____
Less than half _____ Are you an independent student? _____

The SAI (Student Aid Index) is a number that helps determine how much financial support you may need, such as Pell Grant and other federal aid. What is your SAI number?

Are you a member of the Youth & College Division of the NAACP?

List community service activities:

List extracurricular activities (sports, clubs, jobs):

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Name of High School

Address of High School

Cumulative GPA _____ Class Rank _____ out of _____

SAT/ACT Score _____

Which colleges and/or universities have you been accepted to attend?

Have you received any scholarships so far? _____ Please list them:

What is your intended major, course of study and/or career goals? _____

***Please provide a brief statement highlighting your educational objectives, challenges you face or have faced in meeting those objectives, how you respond to those challenges, and how this scholarship will help you reach your goals (use additional pages- typed, not to exceed 2 pages)**

WE MUST HAVE THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTATION TO PROCESS YOUR APPLICATION:

- Completed Paper Application (we do not have an online application this year)
- Transcript sent in a sealed envelope.
- 3 letters of reference: 2 school letters from teacher/counselor, and 1 letter from clergy, employer, or other adult in sealed envelopes.
- Copy of college acceptance letter.
- Essay stating your educational goals, challenges you have had reaching those goals, your solution to meeting them, and how this scholarship will help.
- Must be received or at least postmarked by April 13, 2025.

Mail application package to:
Carteret County Branch NAACP
Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 154
Morehead City, NC 2855