

SCSHA
South Carolina Speech-Language-Hearing Association

**2023 SHARONDA COLEMAN-SINGLETON SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION**

This scholarship is a merit-based scholarship and is to be awarded for one year only. It is open only to current, student members of SCSHA who are enrolled in SLP or COMD programs with at least one semester of major course work and a GPA of 3.0 or higher.

I. Personal Data

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Home phone: _____ - _____ - _____

Cell Phone: _____ - _____ - _____ E-Mail Address: _____

College/University Attending: _____

Name of Program or Dept. _____

Is this a graduate training program? YES NO

Current Semester in Graduate Program _____ Total Number of Semesters in the Program _____

Is this an undergraduate training program? YES NO

Current Year in Undergraduate Program (*if applicable*) _____ Senior _____ Junior

II. Academic Data:

Current grade point average (GPA) _____ Rank in class (if known) _____

Anticipated graduation date _____ (month) / _____ (year)

Name of college/university _____

Address of college/university _____

Other scholarships received: _____

ATTACH A SEPARATE DOCUMENT TO RESPOND TO BELOW SECTIONS

NOTE: Be sure to use the following format as headings for each section.

III. **Please submit a Personal Statement of at least 1 page addressing:**

- 1) Leadership Ability in student and/or community service
- 2) Demonstrate and provide description of athletic involvement in at least 1 sport in the community or school setting
- 3) School, community and/or church involvement.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

VII. Must submit three (3) letters of recommendation:

At least 2 letter must be from a clinical and/or academic instructor familiar with applicant's performance as a student, describing the applicant's academic and/or clinical ability. Letters may be from academic faculty members, clinical supervisors, or both. One of three letters may be from a teacher.

One of the letters must come from a teacher, counselor, coach or supervisor, who is knowledgeable of the applicant's volunteer efforts and participation (i.e. athletic participation and/or school or community involvement).

VIII. Must submit an OFFICIAL, CURRENT transcript from the student's college or university. (including Fall semester, 2022);

IX. An original personal essay of between 300-500 words related to the profession and the applicant's professional aspirations. (Do not exceed 500 words).

IMPORTANT NOTES TO ALL SCSHA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS:

- 1) The SCSHA Sharonda Coleman Singleton Scholarship is a competitive, merit-based scholarship.
- 2) Applicants must adhere to ALL application instructions and guidelines.
- 3) Only COMPLETE scholarship applications will be reviewed by the outside review committee.
- 4) The scholarship application, along with an official CURRENT transcript from the student's educational institution, **must be** delivered to the address below and **received NO LATER THAN December 31, 2022**: You can email to: scshaed@gmail.com
Sharonda Coleman Singleton Scholarship
c/o South Carolina Speech-Language-Hearing Association
PO Box 2471
Columbia, SC 29202
- 5) Scholarship recipient(s) will be notified prior to the 2023 SCSHA Convention and will be invited to attend the SCSHA annual awards luncheon to be held during the convention.

Questions about the application process may be addressed to:

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