



**YMCA of Coastal Georgia  
2017 Teen Achievers Scholarship Application**

**Part 1: Checklist**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The following checklist will help you gather all the supporting documents required to submit a complete scholarship packet. The YMCA of Coastal Georgia Teen Achievers program looks forward to serving you.

Please Include the Following:

- Checklist Form (*Part 1*)
- Student Essay Form (*Part 2*)
- 2-Confidential letters of Recommendations (*Part 3*)
- Student Profile (*Part 4*)
- Proof of acceptance letter to a college, university, or technical institution.
- High School Transcript (most updated)

**Scholarship Application Deadline: May 1, 2017**

- Scholarship is open to YMCA of Coastal Georgia Teen Achievers High School Seniors only who has actively participated in program for two+ years.
- Scholarship fund will be distributed directly to institution of choice.

Mail completed Scholarship packet to:

YMCA of Coastal Georgia Inc.  
P.O. Box 14142  
Savannah, GA 31416  
Attn: Audrey Rodriguez  
Youth Development Director  
(912) 351.3622  
AudreyR@ymcaofcoastalga.org



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**Part 2: Student Essay**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please prepare a well-planned, carefully written essay.  
Responses must be attached on a separate sheet of paper and type written in Times New Roman font, double-space format. Please proof read your work.

**Essay:**

**You have been invited to address a Joint Meeting of the United States Congress at the Capitol Building in Washington D.C. All 100 US Senators and 435 US Representatives will be in attendance. Write your speech. (250-500 words)**



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**Part 3: Confidential Letter of Recommendation/Evaluation  
(Complete two)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The participant named above is applying for a scholarship from the YMCA of Coastal Georgia Teen Achievers Program. Your recommendation is needed as part of the application process. Please return this form to the applicant in a sealed envelope with your signature so he/she may submit it for review. In addition to completing this form, you may also include a personal letter of recommendation (Optional).

Name of Evaluator: \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Please answer the following questions. Use a separate sheet of paper.

1. How long have you known the applicant? What is the nature of your relationship?
2. What observations can you make regarding the applicant's potential for success in college?
3. Please rate the applicant on a scale from 5 to 1. (5 being the highest and 1 being the lowest).

Work ethic: \_\_\_\_

Awareness of & Concern for others: \_\_\_\_

Emotional Maturity: \_\_\_\_

Leadership potential: \_\_\_\_

Self-motivation: \_\_\_\_

Responsibility/Accountability: \_\_\_\_

Integrity: \_\_\_\_

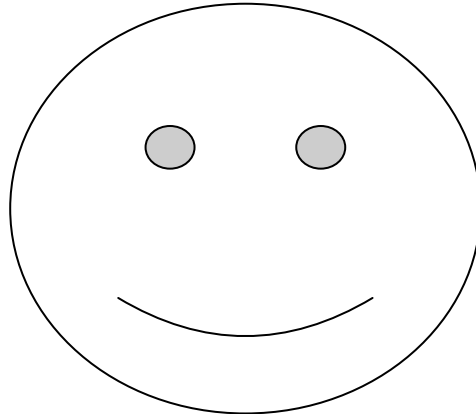
Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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**Part 4: Student Profile**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



Attach Photo Here

**Please answer the following questions. Use a separate sheet of paper or send Resume that includes all info below.**

1. Please list all clubs, school organizations and /or programs with whom you are affiliated, or for which you have volunteered for. Include total amount of hours that you have volunteered.
2. List any "awards of achievement" you have received.
3. Have you been involved in community service? Please list community organizations you have helped or benefited and explain why this volunteer opportunity is important to you. Include total amount of hours that you have volunteered.
4. How many years have you participated in the Teen Achievers program? (provide specific dates)

I/we certify that the information provided on this form is accurate and complete to the best of my/our knowledge. I/we further understand that any false statement subjects me to forfeiture of my scholarship.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Applicant's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*