

## CHSWAA SCHOLARSHIPS



Gail Files Wright  
Chairperson

Central High School Wildcats Alumni Association annually awards scholarships to deserving students. The Scholarships are named “The Legend Lives On Scholarship” and “The Maroon and White Scholarship”. “The Legend Lives On Scholarship is award to graduating seniors in the Mobile County High School District who meet the criteria. The Maroon and White Scholarship are awarded to students who are presently enrolled at Bishop State Community College who meet the criteria. The scholarships are awarded from the proceeds of the Maroon and White Scholarship Ball held during Central Weekend.

The first scholarship was awarded to Alfreda LaTrice Smith in 2011. Since the inception of CHSWAA awarding scholarships, numerous scholarships have been awarded, as well as “Gifts” from Frank and Edna (Allen) Seltzer (2015-2018), Shirley Nettles (CHS C/O '69), CHS Alumni Class of 1967 (2017 & 2018) and CHS Alumni Class of 1968.

### The Maroon and White Scholarship Scholarship Criteria

- Applicant must submit a 200 word typed essay on the given topic
- Applicant must attend **Bishop State Community College**

#### Application Process

- Applicant must submit one (1) letter of recommendation
- Submit an official transcript bearing the school’s seal and placed in an envelope secured by the official school stamp over the sealed flap
- Submit a small picture labeled with name on the back must be included

Packet should include: (1) Completed application (2) Transcript (3) Picture  
(4) 1 letter of recommendation (5) Typed essay

### Applications will be accepted between August 11, 2019 – September 30, 2019

Applications must be mailed no later than September 30, 2019. Late or incomplete applications will not be reviewed.

Mail all materials to:  
Gail Wright, Chair Scholarship Committee  
PO Box 7962  
Mobile, Al 36670

## Maroon and White Scholarship

(Please print or type all information)

### Part I

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Home phone number \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Parents' or Guardian's name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

### Part II \*\*\*Must be presently attending Bishop State Community College

Current overall grade point average \_\_\_\_\_

Extracurricular activities:

\_\_\_\_\_

Other Activities: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Leadership positions/honors/awards/ notable accomplishments:

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Certification:

*I certify that the information provided for the applicant seeking to become a Central High Scholar is complete and accurate.*

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

Please print name \_\_\_\_\_ phone number \_\_\_\_\_ ext \_\_\_\_\_

### \*\* Required

Essay:

*Must interview a Central High School Alumnus or do research on Central High and write a 200 word essay of one of the following topics:*

1. An exciting/memorable event/activity that took place at Central
2. The closing of Central and the effects on the black community
3. What it meant to be Central High School Wildcat

*Applicant will be contacted and scheduled for an interview with the scholarship committee*