



## Great Dames Scholarships to Wilmington University

Great Dames has been invited to award a full-tuition, four-year scholarship to Wilmington University, beginning in the 2021-2022 academic year. The scholarship will be awarded to a graduating female senior who applies and is selected via a competitive process.

### Program Guidelines & Priorities:

- We're seeking a graduating female senior with a record of volunteerism in the community, strong academic performance, participation in extracurricular school activities, and financial need.
- Applicants must plan to attend and complete their undergraduate degree at **Wilmington University**. Scholarship expires by August 2026.
- Applicants must have the endorsement of their Guidance Counselor on their application attesting they are qualified for this scholarship program.
- Applications must be received by Great Dames, Inc by **May 14, 2021**. Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted.
- Scholarship will be awarded during June 2021.

### Application Checklist:

1. Please review the entire application and related documents that must be submitted to us before you begin the process.
2. Please complete the online application [here](#). NOTE: the online application must be completed and submitted in one sitting so be sure to review it before you start.
3. In addition, the following 4 documents must be submitted by mail to: Great Dames, Inc, 318 Queen Street, Philadelphia, PA 19147.
  - Your personal statement
  - Signed endorsement of high school guidance counselor
  - A letter of recommendation from an adult (non-relative)
  - Official** copy of high school transcript or GED certificate.

**NOTE:** Incomplete applications will not be considered.

**DEADLINE: ONLINE APPLICATION AND ADDITIONAL 4 DOCS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY MAY 14, 2021.**

Questions may be directed to: [info@Great-Dames.com](mailto:info@Great-Dames.com)

Great Dames Fund, Inc is a 501(c)3 organization.



## Great Dames Scholarship Application 2021

1. Please enter your personal information below:

First Name:

Middle Initial:

Last Name:

Street Address:

City:

State:

Cell Phone Number:

Personal Email Address:

2. Date of Birth:
3. Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) on a 4.0 scale:
4. Name and location of high school:
5. List any academic honors, awards and membership activities while in high school:
6. List your hobbies, outside interests, extracurricular activities and school related volunteer activities:
7. List your non-school sponsored volunteer activities in the community:
8. If you are awarded the Great Dames scholarship, do you plan to attend Wilmington University in the Fall 2021 and complete your undergraduate degree at Wilmington University?
  - Yes
  - No

If you responded “No” to this question, please explain:

9. Family gross annual income from 2019 Income Tax Form 1040:

- <\$20,000
- \$20,000 - \$40,000
- \$40,000 - \$60,000
- \$60,000 - \$85,000
- >\$85,000

10. Please list any other scholarships applied for and any awarded:

11. Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian:

Name(s):

Street Address:

City:

State:

Cell phone number:

**12. Under separate cover, please submit the following documents by mail to:  
Great Dames, Inc., 318 Queen Street, Philadelphia, PA 19147.**

- Personal Statement (see below)
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**Please obtain the necessary signatures on this page and submit to Great Dames, Inc, 318 Queen Street, Philadelphia, PA 19147, by May 14, 2021.**

**Be sure to also include your Letter of Recommendation, a copy of your *Official* High School Transcript, and your Personal Statement.**

### **Statement of Accuracy for Students**

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent, that if chosen as a scholarship winner, my picture may be taken and used to promote the Great Dames Scholarship Fund. (Winner my waive photo due to unusual or compelling circumstances.)

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to the Great Dames Scholarship Program, it is my responsibility to submit to Great Dames, no later than **July 15, 2021**, a certificate of enrollment for the fall semester, which includes my Student ID number.

I hereby understand I will not submit this application without all required attachments and supporting information. Incomplete applications or applications that do not meet eligibility criteria will not be considered for this scholarship.

Signature of Scholarship Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

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

### **Statement of Support by Guidance Counselor**

I hereby affirm that this application meets the criteria set forth by this scholarship program and support submission of this application to the Great Dames Scholarship Program.

Name of Guidance Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact information (email and phone): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Guidance Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_

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

