

# ERNEST L. KNIGHT SCHOLARSHIP

The Office of Alumni Affairs is accepting applications for the  
**Ernest L. Knight Scholarship**

**Scholarship Amount: \$1,500 per academic year**

## Award Criteria

- ✍ **Must be a full-time student enrolled at the University and in good academic standing .**
- ✍ **Must be a student of the following classification: freshman, sophomore, junior, senior, and majoring in the life sciences or science education e.g. biology, mathematics, etc.**
- ✍ **Must have cumulative GPA of 3.0**
- ✍ **Must be an African American student and involved in extra-curricula and community activities.**
- ✍ **Must submit an essay on why he/she should be awarded the scholarship (see essay criteria below).**

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## Essay Criteria

Essay should answer the following questions:

1. Why he/she should receive the scholarship?
2. What are his/her future goals after college?
3. How will you assist Alabama A&M University and its students after graduation?
4. How will you assist the African-American community after graduation?

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## Scholarship Application Procedures

1. Complete a scholarship application.
2. Write a two-page essay addressing the questions listed in the essay criteria.
3. Request and official copy of transcript to be sent to the Office of Alumni Affairs, P. O. Box 348, Normal, AL 35762.
4. Submit scholarship application, essay and official copy of transcript to the Office of Alumni Affairs, P. O. Box 348, Normal, AL 35762 (Room 302 Patton Building).