



## EMMA FREEMAN SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

*The San Antonio Lighthouse for the Blind & Vision Impaired seeks to promote further education for students who are blind and visually impaired. Emma Freeman, the founder of this scholarship, believed that education is essential to achieving one's full potential and becoming a full participant in society.*

*Scholarship amounts are up to \$5,000 a year and renewable for up to 5 years or until you earn your degree (whichever comes first).*

**Deadline:** This application form and all other required documentation must be received by March 2, 2022. Mail, fax or email to: The San Antonio Lighthouse Scholarship Program, 2305 Roosevelt, San Antonio, TX 78210. Fax: 210-533-5240. Email: [scholarship@salighthouse.org](mailto:scholarship@salighthouse.org) Questions? Call (210) 533-5195.

### Eligibility:

1. Submit application in full and by deadline;
2. Applicant must have a 2.5 cumulative GPA or higher;
3. Provide documented proof of blindness (20/200) or visual impairment (20/70) from an optometrist or ophthalmologist;
4. Awards will be based on full-time status (12 hours undergraduate and 9 hours graduate) and pro-rated if hours are fewer;
5. Must reside in Texas;
6. Must be attending or applying to an accredited university or certified vocational school;
7. Sign Release of Information Form.

### Applicant Information

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Primary telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

4. E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_



### Academic Information – Schools Attended

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

City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

College: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree: \_\_\_\_\_

College Major: \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

What college/university/vocational program do you plan to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

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How many hours do you plan to take per semester? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you attending full-time or part-time? \_\_\_\_\_

What year and semester do you plan to graduate? \_\_\_\_\_

### Essay Question

On a separate document, provide a 300 to 500 word typed, double spaced essay about you. Please include how the scholarship award would help you achieve your goal to attend college or a vocational program.



### **Release of Information & Acknowledgement**

I/We authorize the San Antonio Lighthouse to release applicant information to possible donors, colleges/universities, and or the news media.

I/We understand that the decision of the Scholarship Committee is final and may not be appealed. The San Antonio Lighthouse/Scholarship Committee is not responsible for an incomplete application.

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Applicant signature & date

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Parent or Guardian if applicant is minor & date