The J.R.E. Lee (Jacksonville) Chapter of the Florida A & M University National Alumni Association is committed to providing scholarships to prospective students of Florida A&M University who might otherwise not have access to attaining their higher education goals.

**Applicants must meet the following criteria:**

* Applicant must be accepted to attend Florida A & M University as a full time student for the Fall 2015 Semester
* Applicant must be a high school senior attending school in Baker, Bradford, Clay, Duval, Nassau or St. Johns Counties
* Applicant must have a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or above

**All applicants must submit the following documents:**

* Applicant must complete a typed application package
* Applicant must submit an official high school transcript in sealed envelope as provided by the high school
* Applicant must provide a copy of official Sat and/or ACT score report
* Applicant must obtain two (2) letters of recommendations
  + One (1) from school official (teacher, principal, guidance counselor, etc.)
  + One (1) from a member of your community
* Applicant must provide a typed essay responding to the following: **Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBUCs) were established well before the 21st Century. However, many face challenges and are deemed unnecessary. As a student at Florida A&M University, what do you believe will be your greatest challenge and contribution? Consider the reason(s) you want to attend Florida A&M University and your expectations as a college student and future graduate.** 
  + Essay must be typed and not to exceed two (2) pages
  + Essay must be formatted using 12 point Times New Roman and one (1) inch margins

All completed application packets must be mailed and **postmarked by Saturday, April 25,** **2015**. The application and all required information must be included in one packet. Please send correspondence to:

**FAMU National Alumni Association**

**J.R.E. Lee Chapter**

**C/O Scholarship Committee**

**P.O. Box 43515**

**Jacksonville, Florida 32203-3515**

If you have questions, please contact Robyn Lawrence at [rllawren1@gmail.com](mailto:rllawren1@gmail.com) or (904) 413-1771.

**Personal Information**

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| **Name:** | | **Age:** | |
| **Home Address:** | | | |
| **City:** | **State:** | | **Zip:** |
| **Home Phone:** | | **Cell Phone:** | |
| **Email:** | | | |
| **Parent/Guardian Name:** | | | |
| **Parent/Guardian Phone Number:** | | | |
| **Will you be a first generation college student? Yes No** | | | |

**Academic Information**

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| **High School:** | **County:** |
| **GPA (Unweighted/Weighted):** | |
| **SAT (Total Score):** | **ACT (Total Score):** |
| **Have you applied to FAMU? Yes No** | |
| **If yes, please list your date of acceptance:** | |
| **Describe your participation in extracurricular activities:** | |
| **Describe active participation in civic/community service:** | |

**Financial Aid Information**

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| **Are you a recipient of free or reduced lunch? Yes No** |
| **Have you received any scholarships for college? Yes No**  **If so, please indicate the awards and amounts below:** |
| **Scholarship Award:**  **Award Amount:** |
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The information provided in my application packet is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and accurate. I understand that any false statements in this application may disqualify me from consideration of the scholarship award. I also understand and agree that any and all information submitted as part of this application packet will become property of the Florida A & M University National Alumni Association – J.R.E. Lee Chapter and will be kept confidential. By signing below, I agree to accept the decision of the scholarship committee.

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| **Applicant Signature:** | **Date:** |