

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS  
SCHOLARSHIP OFFICE**

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**THE JAMES EDGAR THOMAS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

**This scholarship is dependant upon donor financial support.** This application places the applicant's name in consideration for the above book fund, which will be awarded in the fall and spring for the 2012 – 2013 academic year.

The recipients shall be United States citizens who are enrolled as undergraduate students at the University of Memphis. Both full time and part time students are eligible to apply, and recipients must have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0. Preference will be given to students who exhibit a need for financial assistance, and who are either employees (or dependents of an employee) of the Tiger Book Store, or descendants of Edgar Thomas. The Tiger Book Store shall be responsible for verifying employment and/or descendant information. If there are no applicants who meet these criteria, the award may be given to other University of Memphis students who meet the citizenship and GPA requirements. A recipient may receive this award for a maximum of two semesters. You will be notified by official letter if you have been awarded the James Edgar Thomas Memorial Scholarship. You will be notified by email/portal announcement if you were not selected for the scholarship. Notification of Scholarship awards will be made in August.

Instructions:

1. Please complete each item in ink or type. Use N/A for sections that do not apply to you.
2. Apply and be accepted for admission to the University of Memphis by March 1, 2012.
3. **This application must be received by March 1, 2012.**

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LAST NAME                                      FIRST NAME                                      MIDDLE                                      University I.D.#: U

PERMANENT ADDRESS:

Street \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
County \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

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Street \_\_\_\_\_  
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County \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

ARE YOU AN EMPLOYEE (OR DEPENDENT OF AN EMPLOYEE) OF TIGER BOOK STORE? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

ARE YOU A DESCENDANT OF MR. EDGAR THOMAS? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT CURRENT LEVEL AT THE U OF M: Circle One: Freshman      Sophomore      Junior      Senior

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

H.S. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_  
Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_  
GPA \_\_\_\_\_ (4.0 scale)

COLLEGE INFORMATION

College Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_  
Hours Earned \_\_\_\_\_ Graduate Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Degree Earned \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATION:** I certify that all of the information provided on this application is true and that I have not willingly withheld any pertinent information. I will use scholarship funds for educational purposes only. I give permission for information to be given to appropriate committees so that they may recommend eligible recipients. I give permission for information to be released to Communications Services for publication purposes.

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Signature

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Date

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