Junior Achievement is the nation's largest organization dedicated to giving young people the knowledge and skills they need to own their economic success, plan for their futures, and make smart academic and economic choices. Junior Achievement's programs—in the core content areas of work readiness, entrepreneurship and financial literacy—ignite the spark in young people to experience and realize the opportunities and realities of work and life in the 21st century.

Junior Achievement's purpose is to inspire and prepare young people to succeed in a global economy.

Junior Achievement Scholarship for the Class of 2023

This application is for the Albert P. Beutel - Buster Curry - Mike Lowrey Scholarship which is overseen by Junior Achievement of Brazoria County. Junior Achievement's main goal is to educate and inspire young people to value free enterprise, business, and economic fundamentals to improve the quality of their lives. It is our intent to award \$1,000 scholarships to deserving students based on their essays including their ideas and the development of the ideas in a well written, organized paper.

Students must be completing their Junior year. Recipients will be notified by August 8, 2022 and will be asked to attend with their parents, the Brazoria County Hall of Fame dinner scheduled in the fall of 2022 to receive their scholarship. The county-wide winning recipient will be awarded \$1,500 and may be asked to read their essay aloud at the dinner.

## Please include in the body of your email

Name of student, gender, school, home address, cell phone number, an alternative phone number, and an email address.

## Directions for completing the Junior Achievement Scholarship Application

Essay must be double spaced, Arial or similar font with a font size 12.

Essay must be a minimum of 500 words but not exceed 600. Word count should be included at the bottom

Essay should cover the free enterprise system and how it has influenced you and/or your family.

Submit your essay as a pdf and do not include your name on the essay.

Please submit your essay on or before May 16, 2022.

No other documentation is necessary.

Please email to Joyce Chapa: <a href="mailto:chapajoyce@gmail.com">chapajoyce@gmail.com</a>

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call the Junior Achievement office at (979) 549-0800 or Joyce Chapa at (979) 373-6620