

## A.C. FLORA FIRST FIVE YEARS FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INFORMATION

The A.C. Flora First Five Years Foundation provides scholarships to students graduating from A.C. Flora High School who desire to pursue a college education. The award will be announced in the spring with payment to an accredited college or university of the student's choice for fall enrollment.

*Knowledge is Power...*

*And Power  
Breeds Purpose.*

### **APPLICATION CRITERIA**

- Applicant must be a graduating senior from A.C. Flora High School.
- Applicant must attend an institution of higher learning that is a junior or senior college or university and is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS).
- The Scholarship Committee will select candidates that have demonstrated academic success in high school and therefore have the potential to succeed academically in college.
- Student must have a minimum 2.75 GPA and minimum 1000 SAT or 22 ACT
- Student must show a financial need.
- Student must write an essay entitled, "What this scholarship means to me."
- The A.C. Flora First Five Years Foundation Scholarship is a one-time scholarship and is thus not renewable.
- This scholarship will not be used to substitute for grant aid that an institution has committed to a student.

The A.C. Flora First Five Years Scholarship Selection Committee, consisting of the principal and senior class guidance counselor of A.C. Flora High School, as well as members of classes that graduated in the first five years at the school, will review applicants and make the award selection based on the above criteria. All awards will be made without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex or disability.

The A.C. Flora First Five Years Foundation was launched through the generous support of Charlie and Wilson Farrell who were both members of A.C. Flora's graduating classes in its first five years.

### **APPLICATION PROCESS**

All applicants must complete the A.C. Flora First Five Years Scholarship application and return to their guidance counselor. For more information, please contact Veronica L. Pinkett-Barber at 803.254.5601 ext. 331.

**Applications are due to your Guidance Counselor by March 15.**