

# *The Daniel Payne Scholarship*

## *Application Eligibility Requirements*

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The Daniel Payne Scholarship Ministry (DPSM) will award scholarships in July 2021 to graduating high school seniors, who will attend a college or university for the first time in the fall of 2021.

### **Eligibility Requirements for the Daniel Payne Scholarship are as follows:**

- Be a member of Bethel A.M.E. Church in good standing
- Be a spring 2021 high school graduate
- Submit a completed and signed Daniel Payne Scholarship application
- Submit a photograph of yourself as a separate file
- Submit a college or university acceptance letter
- Submit a letter of recommendation from an educator at your school, an adult member at Bethel (not a family member) or an officer of any Bethel A.M.E. Church ministry/organization
- Submit a biographical essay of at least 300 words

Note: The essay should include your church activities and Christian experience, community involvement, volunteer work, extracurricular activities outside of school, future goals, and why you should receive a scholarship. The essay should be typed with the following format: font size 12, 1 inch margins at top, bottom and sides of 8x11 paper, double space, paragraph format and a header with name, address, phone number and e-mail address centered.

- Interview with DPSM members at a time, date and location scheduled by DPSM.

### **For questions, contact:**

Sister Adrienne Morrow at [danielpayne@bethell.org](mailto:danielpayne@bethell.org)

**The application package must be received by Saturday, May 29, 2021. Email the completed application package to [danielpayne@bethell.org](mailto:danielpayne@bethell.org)**