



Florida Juvenile Justice Foundation Youth Investment Award Application



The Youth Investment Award is an initiative to assist youths ages 15-21, who are or were served by the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice. Funding may be requested to assist with the next step essential to academic achievement or workforce readiness which cannot be met through any other available resources and is essential to the youth's success.

Awards may contribute to tuition, equipment, supplies, transportation, education or employability assistance (e.g., uniform, medical goods or services, bus passes, special tools) with funding paid directly to the vendor. Applicants must complete this form, write an essay, and include demonstrated past initiative taken. Applications are reviewed by a committee at a minimum of once a month. **ONLY** applications that are **COMPLETE** will be forwarded to the committee for review. Notification of the application status and decision will be sent via mail and email within 30 business days after committee review. If awarded, the youth will submit 4 quarterly progress reports to the Foundation.

Date of Application: _____

Youth's Full Name: _____ Social Security #: _____ -- --
(LAST, FIRST MIDDLE NAME)

Date of Birth: _____ - _____ - _____ Does Youth Currently Live with Parent/Guardian? Yes No

Parent/Legal Guardian: _____
(LAST, FIRST MIDDLE NAME)

Youth's Home Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____ Email: _____

Address of Youth at time of application (if different from home): _____

Is the Youth Currently In School? Yes No If yes, Name of School: _____

Current Grade: _____ GPA: _____ Anticipated Graduation Date: _____

Requested Assistance (Select all that apply):

Academic Progress:

- Testing Fee: \$ _____
- College/ Vocational Application Fee: \$ _____
- College/ Vocational Tuition (including online classes) \$ _____
 - (include acceptance letter)

Employability Progress:

- Work Supplies/Equipment \$ _____

Other:

- Transportation \$ _____
- Drivers License Fee \$ _____
- Birth Certificate Fee \$ _____

Total Amount of Funding Requested (please list each amount included i.e. Tuition/books): \$ _____

Youth Investment Award Application

Youth's Name: _____
Last, First, Middle

Youth Consent:

I, _____, do hereby consent to the release of my name, social security number, grades and school transcripts and other confidential information to the community college or other institutions/officials requiring the information in order to administer the gift to be made on my behalf. This information will be provided on the condition that it is kept confidential by the receiving parties. I agree to allow the post-secondary educational institution or high school to release my grades and other institutional information about my performance and progress. Further, I hereby agree to notify the Florida Juvenile Justice Foundation of any physical or mailing address change or of any telephone or e-mail address change within five (5) days of its occurrence.

Youth's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Professional Advocate (e.g. Youth's counselor, teacher, probation officer, etc.)

Home Circuit # _____ County: _____

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Signature: _____

Email: _____

To Be Completed by youth or Nominator

Nominator's Full Name: _____ Job Title: _____

Place of Employment: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip Code: _____

Work Phone: (____) _____

Ext.: _____

Cell Phone: (____) _____

E-mail: _____@_____

Relationship to Applicant: _____

Please state the reason(s) you believe this youth should receive a scholarship or grant through the Florida Juvenile Justice Foundation, Inc. Also, please identify the youth's strength(s). (You may attach one additional page if needed.) If the youth is nominating himself or herself, the essay provided will substitute for this section.

