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Check List for Completed Applications

- Verify eligibility for all scholarships
- Student profile must be at 100% completed
 - ◆ Under Schools, did you mark “YES” for “Do you know where you’re going for college?” **(Note: This is your 1st choice college.)**
 - ◆ Did you mark “Consent given” under the “Parent Information” section?
 - ◆ Did you use “Method 3: Scholarship America’s Suggested Family Contribution” under “Financial information”?
- Did you apply for admission at your 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice colleges?
- Search for the Jefferson Dollars for Scholars Chapter Scholarships under the “My Scholarships” tab
- Did you review, edit and read your essay questions to ensure they make sense and are grammatically correct?
- Contacted and already attached to your Student Profile:**
 - ◆ **Weighted and unweighted transcripts from counselor**
 - ◆ **Letter of recommendation from an adult who knows you well**
 - ◆ **Financial info from parents (they must fill out if you’re under 18)**
- Have you answered all eligibility and custom questions?
- Are the “**Essay**” and “**References**” buttons grayed out on your Jefferson Dollars for Scholars Chapter Scholarship?
- Submit the online application before the **deadline** (is the “Submit” button grayed out on your Jefferson Dollars for Scholars Chapter Scholarship?)
 - ◆ If done correctly, the Jefferson Dollars for Scholars Chapter Scholarship will show up under “Submitted Applications.”

After submission

- Update profile with any new information (**especially ACT scores and class rankings**)
- Inform the Jefferson Dollars for Scholars office of revisions to your 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice colleges
- If **NOT** accepting scholarship, notify the Jefferson Dollars for Scholars office immediately so we can give another student an opportunity.
- If accepting scholarship, you (and your parents) plan on attending the annual Awards Ceremony in **May 2020**.

Contact **Karen Milligan at karen@jeffersondollarsforscholars.org or 504.831.1565 if you have questions.**

GOOD LUCK Class of 2020!