



BROOKWOOD JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL |

LINK UNLIMITED SCHOLARS

# BJHS | PARENT NEWS BULLETIN

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Dear Parent(s) / Guardian(s) Of A BJHS Student:

I want to share some very important information with you regarding a program that has helped many of our students in the past. The program, [LINK UNLIMITED SCHOLARS],



offers scholarships to our students that help to pay the cost of tuition at

private high schools and/or provide mentoring to our students during high school.

Founded in 1966, LINK Unlimited Scholars is Chicago's highest performing and most experienced high school mentoring and scholarship program.

LINK has successfully transitioned more than 2,200 economically disadvantaged African American youth to college by providing academic support, scholarship and one-on-one mentoring through the high school years and beyond.

LINK scholars have attended many selective colleges and universities, and have moved on

to become successful in their own right, as business professionals, educators, engineers, architects, attorneys, doctors and more. Many LINK alumni are now mentors and benefactors of current LINK scholars.

LINK is one month away from the [Deadline of November 18<sup>th</sup>] for scholarships for high School! LINK Unlimited Scholars is looking forward to our students' applications.

To apply, a family must follow the application link on their website:

<http://linkunlimited.org/web/prospective-scholars/student-application/>

- **Phase 1:** Families research, visit, and apply to high school
- **Phase 2:** Submit complete application ONLINE by the November 18<sup>th</sup> deadline \$41 fee\* | \$43 after Nov 1<sup>st</sup>

**Applications will be read through November 30<sup>th</sup>**

- **Phase 3:** Interview (qualified applicant and parent(s)) with LINK staff member (Approx. 150 will be invited)

**Interviews will take place in**

## January

- **Phase 4:** Notification of program acceptance

**All applicants attending private schools will be notified by February 1<sup>st</sup> of our final decision (Families enrolling in non-tuition based high schools will be notified in late spring)**

- **Phase 5:** Attend New Scholar Orientation in Spring
- **Phase 6:** Participation in a 6-week summer school program

If you have any questions or if I can be of assistance, please contact me.

Thank you for your ongoing support!



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