

SCALES OF JUSTICE ACADEMY, INC.

APPLICATION 2023

(In Person This Year)

- The purpose of the program is to provide underserved high school young women with the early life skills necessary to succeed academically in law school.
- A **TWO-WEEK PROGRAM (IN PERSON) (NO FEE)** LEGAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM AT FORDHAM UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, 150 W 62nd Street, New York NY, July 10- 21, 2023 –**MONDAY-FRIDAY** from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Several lectures on legal subjects per day.
- Distinguished Guest Speakers including law professors, attorneys, judges, and elected officials.
- 40 high school females from the New York area.
- Must submit most recent report card with academic achievement.
- Must submit a personal statement to include your interest in this legal educational program (one page). Be sure to include your name on this statement.
- Must submit a letter of recommendation from school guidance counselor or teacher.
- Must provide all completed application documents.
- Must complete Understanding of Expectations form.

The deadline by which to submit the application is May 31, 2023. For more information please visit: SCALESOFJUSTICEACADEMY.ORG

Please submit the completed application to:

HON. LA TIA W. MARTIN, J.S.C.

EMAIL: SCALESOFJUSTICENY@GMAIL.COM

If you have any questions, please contact Dafina O. Cobbinah-Pinckney, Esq. at scalesofjusticeny@gmail.com.

2023 STUDENT APPLICATION *SCALES OF JUSTICE ACADEMY, INC.*

PART I: PLEASE FILL OUT COMPLETELY

Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Home Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ **Cell Phone Number:** _____

Date of Birth: _____

School Information:

- **Name of School:** _____
- **Address of School:** _____
- **2023-2024 Entering Grade:** _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian's Home Phone Number: _____

Parent/Guardian's Work Phone Number: _____

Parent/Guardian's Cell Phone Number: _____

Parent/Guardian's Email: _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Areas of Academic Interests: _____

Extracurricular/ Volunteer Activities: _____

Hobbies and Special Interests: _____

How did you hear about this program? (Check one)

School Official (name): _____

Past Participant (name): _____

Other, Please Specify: _____

PART II: MOST RECENT REPORT CARD MUST BE ATTACHED

PART III: PERSONAL/INTEREST STATEMENT (One Page)

PART IV: LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

The following question will be saved anonymously and used for demographic purposes only:

Ethnic Identity (check one): **OPTIONAL**

- American Indian or Alaskan Native
- Asian
- Black or African-American
- Latino / Hispanic
- White
- Other _____

Disclosure of Household Annual Income:

- Less than \$30,000.00
- More than \$30,000.00

UNDERSTANDING OF EXPECTATIONS

If selected to participate, the student is **required to dress in business casual clothing each day**. The program commences on **Monday, July 10, 2023** at **10a.m.** Participant is required to participate daily, **Monday through Friday**, and attend all program sessions, scheduled from **July 10, 2023 through July 21, 2023, from 10:00a.m. until 4:00 p.m. to be held at Fordham University School of Law, 150 W 62nd Street, New York, NY 10023**. Each participant is expected to be respectful of other participants, lecturers, and administrators. Failure to do so may result in immediate expulsion from the program.

Student Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date