



## I Have a Dream Award Application for Curriculum Students

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_

Durham Tech Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

What program/course(s) are you enrolled in for spring 2024? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently enrolled in a minimum of 6 credit hours of curriculum courses?  Yes  No

Have you previously completed a minimum of 9 credit hours of curriculum courses?  Yes  No

What is your current GPA? \_\_\_\_\_

Please list all financial aid you are receiving or plan to receive (grants, loans, scholarships, tuition waivers, veteran's benefits, or other) \_\_\_\_\_

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Please explain your financial need and how will this scholarship help you meet your goals:

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Please describe any volunteer work, extracurricular activities, or other ways in which you have been involved in your community: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Personal Essay:**

In approximately 500 words, choose a quote by Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and explain how that quote guides you in achieving your dream to complete your education and career goals. Please write your essay in a separate document and attach with your completed application.

**Certification:**

I certify that the information in this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I authorize Durham Technical Community College (Durham Tech) and the Durham Tech Foundation to access my personal and education records at Durham Tech. If I receive the award, I understand that I must continue to meet the eligibility criteria for my award to receive additional disbursement of funds.

If awarded, I agree to participate in the Friday, January 12, 2024 MLK Celebration Event by reading the winning essay. Winners will be notified as to how their essay will be recorded. I understand that my name and information for my academic history may be released to the I Have a Dream Award Selection Committee and the donor(s).

If I am selected to receive an award, I release to Durham Tech and the Durham Tech Foundation the right to arrange a meeting with me and the donor(s) and to use my name, information, and picture for printed materials, reports, and press releases.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Email completed application form and personal essays to [Scholarship Committee](#) by **Thursday, December 7, 2023**.