

**African Methodist Episcopal Church  
Eleventh Episcopal District Lay Organization**

**Eleventh Episcopal District 2025-2026 **Scholarship** and **Award** Deadlines and Procedures for  
The Selmo Bradley Scholarship, The Willie J. Williams Music and The Arts Scholarship and The Hall of Fame Award**

Scholarship Applications and Award Applications must be submitted, received, reviewed, selected and forwarded to the designated level as scheduled below. To be eligible for selection for a scholarship or award, all applications must meet the required criteria.

**LOCAL LEVEL**

Dec. 10, 2025 – Feb. 4, 2026

Receive, review, select applications.

**U.S. Mail selected application(s)  
to the District Level Designee,  
Postmarked no later than  
Feb. 5, 2026**

**DISTRICT LEVEL**

Feb. 9, 2026 - Mar. 16, 2026

Receive, review select application/s.

**U. S. Mail selected application(s) to  
the Conference Level Designee,  
Postmarked no later than  
Mar. 17, 2026**

**CONFERENCE LEVEL**

Mar. 21, 2026 – April 25, 2026

Receive, review, select Scholarship and Award applications that meet the required criteria.

**U.S. Mail to the Episcopal Level  
Designee, Postmarked no later than  
April 26, 2026**

**EPISCOPAL LEVEL**

April 30, 2026

Receive, review, select Scholarship, Award Recipients

**EPISCOPAL LEVEL**

**U.S. Mail Scholarship Applications to:**

Ms. Lolita Brown  
2927 – 16<sup>th</sup> Avenue South  
St. Petersburg, Florida 33712

**EPISCOPAL LEVEL**

**U.S. Mail Award Applications to:**

Mrs. Loretta Coppock  
11499 Sir Barton Court  
Jacksonville, Florida 32218

**REMINDERS**

1. All scholarship applications and award application forms must be forwarded by U.S. Mail.
2. Each Conference may submit, by U.S. mail, all scholarship and award applications that meet the required criteria
3. All scholarship and award application forms NOT postmarked by the designated dates are ineligible for review and will be returned to the sender, unopened.
4. Each level of the AME Church, with an organized Lay Organization, is required to have an active Lay Scholarship Committee and an active, Lay Awards Committee.
5. All scholarship applications and award applications must be mailed from each level by a designated Lay Organization scholarship or, awards committee member, or an eligible, designated Lay member.