



SANKOFA - "return and get it" A West African symbol for importance of learning from the past.

HIGHLINE COLLEGE

UMOJA BLACK SCHOLARS

Student Application

ACADEMIC YEAR 2016-2017

Please
PRINT
clearly.

Name: _____

Student ID #: _____

Highline Email Address: _____

Alternate Email Address: _____

Cell Phone: (_____) _____ Other: _____

Ok to text: Yes No Cell phone carrier: _____

Have you attended any college besides Highline? Yes No # of Credits _____

**If yes please attach an unofficial copy of your transcript.*

Umoja Scholars take the following courses together as a cohort. Have you taken any of the following? (please check)

English 101 ENVS 101 CMST 220 SOC 101 Math 146* English 205

**Math course dependent on degree pathway*

What is your current educational goal?

- Transfer to a 4-year college/university with an AA/AS degree from Highline
- Transfer to a 4-year college/university without an AA/AS degree from Highline
- Complete an AA/AS degree or certificate at Highline

If so, which one: _____

Undecided

Have you decided upon a major or area of emphasis?

Yes No

If so, which one? _____

How did you hear about the Highline College Umoja Black Scholars?

Teacher Friend Student Organization Poster/Flyer around campus

Outreach Events (Black/Brown Summit or Y.E.L.L.) Other: _____

FUNDING FOR COLLEGE

Have you submitted your 2016-2017 FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) Application (fafsa.gov)? Yes No

**Please attach a print out of your Financial Aid Portal for confirmation. Completing your FAFSA is a pre-requisite for joining Umoja Scholars.*

Do you need assistance submitting the 2016-2017 application? Yes No

Funding Situation Comments: _____

TO COMPLETE YOUR APPLICATION:

Attach a 300-500 word (about 1 page, single-spaced) addressing the following:

1.) Why you are interested in joining the Umoja Black Scholars Community?

and

2.) What Umoja Principle do you find most interesting or exciting and why?

**Learn about Umoja Principles here: <http://umojacommunity.org/training-resources/umoja-practices/>*

Attach a copy of your unofficial transcripts if you attended any other college **and** a high school transcript or GED scores **if you completed either in the last 3 years.**

Return application to the Umoja Black Scholars by July 1, 2016 for priority consideration, c/o Liz Word, 18-108 or scan and email to umoja@highline.edu applications will be accepted until September 15, 2015 on a space available basis. The learning community is limited to 30 students each year. Thank you!

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Any questions? Email umoja@highline.edu or call 206-592-4651