



Friends of Forward

Graduation Package Award

Application

CONGRATULATIONS on your upcoming graduation from SHSU! To be eligible for consideration for the *Graduation Package* which will include a free cap and gown along with other gifts, you **must** be a former foster, adopted, ward of the court, homeless, or orphaned student, graduating in the semester for which you are applying.

You must complete and submit this application approximately 60 days prior to the date of graduation. The FORWARD committee will review all applications and notify recipients via their SHSU email.

Please submit your completed applications to forward@shsu.edu or bring it to the Student Success Initiatives office in ABIV Suite 202. For more information, please call: 936.294.3422.

First and Last Name:

SAM ID:

Email:

Phone Number(s):

Address:

Please list your major(s) and minor(s):

Status:

Former Foster

Adopted

Orphan

Homeless

Ward of the Court

Please include a **200** to **300** word essay with your application describing your college experience through the eyes of a unique student. Please explain how these experiences have shaped you and helped you to reach your goal of graduation.