

# Taylor Scholars Awards Program

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## Request for Taylor Scholars Awards Program Certificates/Membership Cards for 2018-2019 School Year

Please note that due to the recent passage of Acts (#677 and #837) by the Louisiana Legislature, we can no longer request names or other data about your students. Instead, this year, we ask that you submit **only the number of qualifying students for each award level. We will ship blank membership certificates for you to personalize and distribute to students.**

Please email us at [taylorawards@bellsouth.net](mailto:taylorawards@bellsouth.net) with the correct number of BLANK certificates you will need for each award level to present to your students this year. Again, the qualifications are:

- Those in grades 7-12 earning a **2.5-2.9 GPA** during the 2018-19 school year are **TAYLOR STUDENTS** and will receive a one-year membership to Audubon Aquarium of the Americas, Audubon Butterfly Garden and Insectarium, and the New Orleans Museum of Art.
- Those in grades 7-12 earning a **3.0+ GPA** during the 2018-19 school year are **TAYLOR SCHOLARS** and will receive the same as benefits as Taylor Students, plus a one-year membership to Audubon Zoo.

For shipping purposes, please include the following information in your email:

1. Contact name at your Parish School Board office
2. Name of your Parish School Board
3. School Board office address (we cannot ship to post office boxes)
4. School Board office city, state, and zip code
5. Number of BLANK certificates/membership cards needed for:  
Students with 2.5-2.9 GPA for each school in your district  
Students with 3.0+ GPA for each school in your district

Awards for each school within your district can be separated by colored dividers to make distribution easier on your end. Simply let us know the number of blank certificates needed for each award level for every school in your district **and if you want us to separate by schools within your district.**

Please respond by **April 11** to allow enough time for shipment of your **blank certificates and membership cards for your staff to personalize.**

Please let us know if you would like us to **email you a Microsoft Word template for the placement of the student information** allowing you to print names directly on the certificates.

**NOTE: Membership cards must have the student's name and school on the cards in order to be admitted to any facility.**

Feel free to email us at [taylorawards@bellsouth.net](mailto:taylorawards@bellsouth.net) with any questions regarding this new process.