



## Buncombe County Early College Scholarship Application Form

Buncombe County Schools Foundation  
Scholarship Award Application Form

**Deadline – School Counseling Office Friday, March 5, 2021**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Eligibility**

To be eligible for a BCSF scholarship, student must be currently enrolled in a Buncombe County High School, and a graduating senior. Student must be planning to attend an appropriate secondary program (technical/community college, junior college, four-year college/university).

### **Guidelines**

1. Complete fillable application. **Download, save, fill out and save again.**
2. Copy of transcript must be included.
3. Provide two letters of reference (See Selection Criteria about each scholarship for additional information about reference letters. In most cases, only two recommendation letters are needed.) **DO NOT PUT IN SEALED ENVELOPES.**
4. To be considered for any BCSF scholarship, it is recommended that student provide the Financial Aid Information in this Scholarship Application and a copy of Page 1 of student's SAR (Student Aid Report) generated from their FAFSA. The Expected Family Contribution (EFC) is located on Page 1, underneath the date near the top right on the SAR.
5. **Print on front only. Please do not print on back.**
6. Please **do not** staple. Paperclip the pages together
7. Completed applications must be printed and submitted to your school Counselor

### **Checklist**

**(Please submit information in this order) – Incomplete application packet will not be considered.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Student Scholarship Application (This Application can be used for the BCSF Sponsored Scholarships and Scholarships chosen by your High School Scholarship Committee, unless otherwise noted) (Please attach additional sheets, if needed)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Financial Aid Information (in Scholarship Application)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Copy of Page 1 of student's SAR (Student Aid Report) generated from your FAFSA.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Resume
- \_\_\_\_\_ Transcript
- \_\_\_\_\_ Copy of ACT and/or SAT Score Report (Counselor to complete on first page of Application)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Two Letters of Reference (Please read the section entitled **Selection Criteria** about each scholarship for additional information about reference letters. In most cases, only two recommendation letters are needed.) Please do not put in sealed envelopes.
- \_\_\_\_\_ An essay of 500 words or less that describes your career goals, future plans, etc. If you are applying for a scholarship that specifies a career (i.e. education or nursing), explain why education or nursing is your career goal and discuss any event that has influenced your choice. Also, you may want to talk about a specific person who has been instrumental in your decision. Please print your essay on the front only. **Essay required for ALL scholarships. See scholarship description for essay topic. If essay not noted on scholarship description, use topic stated in this paragraph.**

### **Scholarship Award**

Scholarship checks will be written and mailed to the college/university in late June/early July. Receiving full scholarships from other sources may eliminate for certain BCSF scholarships. The Buncombe County Schools Foundation reserves the right to revoke the scholarship if the guidelines are not met or majority of costs are covered through other means. Scholarship Agreements will be collected from all recipients before payments are finalized. If you are awarded a Paddison Family Scholarship, you will be required to provide BCSF a copy of your Financial Award Letter/form from the college/university you are attending, before payment is made to your college/university.

**Buncombe County Schools Foundation  
Student Scholarship Application  
Deadline: March 5, 2021**

**Student Information** (Please print in black ink or type)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip

Home Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please list the college(s) you have applied to for acceptance:**

| College | Accepted<br>(Y/N) | Pending Notification<br>(Y/N) |
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Name of College you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Major Area of Study: \_\_\_\_\_ Minor Area of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Career Goal: \_\_\_\_\_

**List any additional scholarships and/or loan assistance (federal/state/private) you have applied/received and amounts: (Please attach sheet if additional lines are needed)**

| Name of Scholarship/Type of Loan Assistance | Received<br>(Y/N) | Pending<br>Notification | Amount of Scholarship/Loan<br>Assistance |
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Please check the scholarships for which you are applying:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Wells Fargo Scholarship<br><input type="checkbox"/> Paddison Family Scholarship<br><input type="checkbox"/> BCSF PROSPECTIVE TEACHER Scholarship<br><input type="checkbox"/> John W. Abbott Scholarship-(4 yr college/university)<br><input type="checkbox"/> John W. Abbott Scholarship-(AB Tech)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Kayla Dezaray Hensley Memorial Scholarship<br><input type="checkbox"/> Ann Sizemore Memorial Scholarship<br><input type="checkbox"/> The Buncombe County Chapter School Nutrition<br>Association Scholarship (complete separate application) | <input type="checkbox"/> Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company Scholarship<br><input type="checkbox"/> Washel Student Scholarship |
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| <b>Counselor's Verification</b>   |
| School Name: <b>BC Early College</b> Counselor's signature: _____<br>Class Rank: _____ GPA: _____ Highest SAT: _____ ACT: _____ |



Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: APPLICANT MAY CHOOSE TO SUBMIT AN ATTACHED SHEET OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IN LIEU OF USING THIS FORM.**

**SCHOOL ACTIVITIES**

Please list extracurricular activities in which you have participated during the past four years. (Include clubs, school sports, student government, fine arts, other honors/awards, etc.)

| ACTIVITY | # MONTHS/YEARS | LEADERSHIP POSITION, LETTERS EARNED, AWARDS, RECOGNITION, ETC. |
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**COMMUNITY & PERSONAL ACTIVITIES**

Please list community, religious and personal activities in which you have participated during the past four years. (Include volunteer work, youth programs, athletic programs, music, dance, scouts, 4-H, and hobbies to which you have devoted time).

| ACTIVITY | # MONTHS/YEARS | # Volunteer Hours | LEADERSHIP POSITION, LETTERS EARNED, AWARDS, RECOGNITION, ETC. |
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**WORK EXPERIENCE**

Please list any work experience (including self-employment) you have made during the past four years. (Include employment during the school year and summer months.) Complete this information beginning with your most recent work experience.

| Employer | Position | Dates of Employment | Hrs/Wk |
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**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**By signing this application, you are stating that the information you submitted is accurate and correct to the best of you and your parent/guardian knowledge.**

**Student:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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