

TIDEWATER BUILDERS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

Six \$5,000 scholarships* were awarded in 2019!

(*\$1,250 per academic year)

2117 Smith Ave., suite A, Chesapeake, VA 23320-2515

2020 scholarship application instructions ▶

- Type or legibly print, in black or blue ink, all information requested.
- Fill in all spaces. If a question is not applicable to you, indicate by inserting "N.A."
- If there is not sufficient space for all of your information, you may attach additional pages to the application.
- DO NOT ATTACH PHOTOS.

attach (in the following order) ▶

- Attach the OFFICIAL transcript of your high school records. **Transcripts MUST include your first semester grades of your senior year.**
- Attach SAT scores if they are not on your transcript.
- Attach two or more evaluations/recommendations made by your teachers, counselors and/or community service providers in support of your application.
- Attach a full resume.
- Attach a typed or handwritten description of why you are deserving of a Tidewater Builders Association Scholarship.
- Attach page 1 of each of your parents' or guardians' 2018 or 2019 Federal Income Tax Return(s). This form is required to validate family income. For confidentiality concerns, please mark through social security numbers.
- Attach **complete** Student Aid Report from FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), **including** Expected Family Contribution (EFC).
- Attach financial award letter from college you will attend, if received.
- Attach any additional award letters for scholarships received.
- **IF ALL OF THESE ITEMS ARE NOT ATTACHED, YOUR APPLICATION WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.**

**DEADLINE: APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED OR
POSTMARKED BY TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2020.**

Mail completed application to TBA, 2117 Smith Ave., suite A, Chesapeake, VA 23320
QUESTIONS? Email laura.williamson@tbaonline.org or call (757) 305-9018

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE | To be completed by TBA

High school _____ Class standing _____ GPA _____

SAT scores: Reading/writing _____ Math _____ **TOTAL** _____



I. scholarship guidelines ▶

- You must be a high school senior residing in Chesapeake, Franklin, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk, Virginia Beach, Eastern Shore of Virginia, Southampton County, Hampton, Newport News, Williamsburg, and the counties of Gloucester, Isle of Wight, James City, Mathews and York.
- You must be a U.S. citizen.
- You must have a demonstrated need for monetary assistance.
- You must pursue a four-year degree beginning in the fall immediately following your high school graduation. *(Please see VII. "recipient selection" for information pertaining to two-year community college.)*

II. personal information *(Make sure all information is legible. This form is set up in a 'fillable' format so if you'd like to download the pdf file at www.tbaonline.org/scholarship, information can be directly entered on form, printed and mailed.)* ▶

Last name _____ First name _____ Middle name _____

Address _____

Phone number (home) _____ (mobile) _____

Email address* *(Please check your email on a regular basis; this is our primary mode of communication)* _____

Date of birth ____/____/____ Are you a U.S. citizen? ____ Number of siblings under 18 living at home ____

FATHER, PARENT/GUARDIAN

Last name _____ First name _____

Address _____

Phone number _____ email address _____

Employer _____ Occupation _____

MOTHER, PARENT/GUARDIAN

Last name _____ First name _____

Address _____

Phone number _____ email address _____

Employer _____ Occupation _____



III. financial information ▶

Father/guardian total yearly income \$ _____ Mother/guardian total yearly income \$ _____

If you are not living in a two-parent home, to what extent is the non-resident parent contributing to your college education? \$ _____

IV. description of need ▶

State in your own words, on a separate sheet of paper, why you are deserving of a TBA Scholarship, including your financial needs. Please print or type.

V. high school ▶

HIGH SCHOOLS ATTENDED

Name _____ City _____ Dates _____

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VI. colleges/universities ▶

COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES YOU HAVE APPLIED TO

Name _____

Name _____

Name _____

COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES YOU HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED TO

Name _____

Name _____

Name _____

Application must be 100% completed in order to be considered.



VII. recipient selection ▶

RECIPIENT SELECTION IS BASED UPON:

1. Academic performance throughout high school
2. SAT/ACT scores (if applicable)
3. Community involvement
4. School-affiliated activities
5. Written description of financial need (section IV.)

- Finalists chosen will be sent a scholarship award acceptance form by May 8, 2020 that must be completed and returned within seven days of notification.
- This form requests that recipients accept or decline the scholarship, attach a copy of their financial aid award letter from their selected college and list all private scholarships received.
- Scholarship money is sent each semester directly to the college/university and not to the student.
- Recipients are not allowed to receive financial aid in excess of their school's budgeted cost of attendance.
- Beginning in the award year, the recipient must attend and pursue an accredited four-year undergraduate degree program as a full-time student. The four-year period of study must be continual and uninterrupted (not including summer semesters). If the recipient chooses to start his degree program at a fully-accredited two-year institution, he must be a full-time student both of those years. Beginning in his third year, he must attend an accredited four-year institution. The entire four-year period of study must be continual and uninterrupted.
- Each semester, the student must provide an official transcript from the college/university he/she is attending, as well as a form requesting to continue the scholarship. (The form will be provided by TBA each semester.)
- Student must remain in good standing with college/university and maintain at least a 2.0 GPA.

VIII. certification ▶

STUDENT

To the best of my knowledge, the information in this application is complete and correct. I have also read and agree to all the terms of the scholarship guidelines.

Student's signature _____ Date _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN

To the best of my knowledge, the information in this application is complete and correct. I understand _____ is applying for financial aid to help with the educational expenses of college, and I approve this application.

Parent/guardian's signature _____ Date _____