



BSO Memorial Scholarship Application

Applications are open to Junior and Senior high school students planning to attend Junior college or University; as well as current college and university students.

Please complete all sections of the application. All applications must be submitted via email at Info@BSOfoundation.com or submit a physical copy via mail:

BSO Scholarship
P. O Box 1298
Irmo, SC 29063
USA

Note: All information will be kept confidential

Applications will be reviewed by a panel of judges ("the Panel") chosen by the BSO Foundation Board of Directors. All names will be concealed or removed from applications and the Panel will receive applications with applicant #'s. (PLEASE INCLUDE LAST 4 OF SS# TO AIDE IN IDENTITY)

The Panel will use a point base rubric or the most effective rubric criteria to assess each application. The rubric criteria includes points for Financial Need, University/College, GPA (if applicable), SAT Score, High School GPA, Extracurricular Activities, Community Service, and Essays submitted. In addition, after scoring is complete, the Panel will contact references provided to verify any information and may ask for additional references from the applicant.

PLEASE BE AWARE OF THE APPLICATION END DATE LISTED ON THE FOUNDATION WEBSITE.



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Please type or print your answers.				
1.	Last Name:	First Name:		
2.	Mailing Address: <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;">Street:</div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> City: State: ZIP: </div>			
3.	Daytime Telephone Number:			
4.	Date of Birth: Month	Date	Year	Gender
5.	Current High School or college:		Number of years attended:	
6.	I will be attending the following school: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Starting in the term: Major: </div>			
7.	I will be entering the above-mentioned school as a: (Check one) <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 10px;"> Freshman <input type="checkbox"/> Sophomore <input type="checkbox"/> Junior <input type="checkbox"/> Senior <input type="checkbox"/> </div>			
8.	Grade Point Average (GPA) (On a 4.0 scale) .	9. Writing Math Reading <div style="margin-left: 40px;">ACT Score:</div> <div style="margin-left: 40px;">SAT Score:</div>		
10.	Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): Use reverse side of application if you need more space. Name (s) <div style="margin-top: 10px;">Street:</div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> City: State: ZIP: Home phone: </div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;">List names of Brothers & sisters:</div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Father's Income: Father's Profession : </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Mother's Income: Mother's Profession : </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> Father's Education level: Mother's Education level: </div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;">How long has the family been in US</div>			



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11.	Name and city of other high schools attended:	Number of years attended:			
12.	List the name of any college you have attended.	Year Began	Year Ended	Year Graduated (If applicable)	Type of Degree Received (If applicable)
	A.				
	B.				
	C.				
13.	If decided. What specialty/major and/or minor do you plan to study as you continue your education?				
14.	List expenses you expect to incur per semester or quarter: (Approximate figures acceptable)				
	A.	Tuition:	Amount: \$		
	B.	Books:	Amount: \$		
	C.	Room & Board:	Amount: \$		
	D.	Other expenses:	Amount: \$		
	E.	Other expenses:	Amount: \$		
Comments: Describe Other expenses					
15.	List other financial assistance you will receive per semester or quarter				
	A.	Personal:	Amount: \$		
	B.	Other Scholarship(s):	Amount: \$	Describe below under comments	
	C.	Grants:	Amount: \$	“	
		Have you applied for the Pell Grant?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
	C.	Student Loan(s):	Amount: \$	“	
	D.	Other Financial Resources:	Amount: \$	“	
Comments:					

Use an additional sheet if you need more room to list financial information, educational goals, academic honors and community service activities as requested in items 14, 15, 16, 17 & 18.



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16.	What are your educational and professional goals and objectives?
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17.	List your academic honors, awards and membership activities while in high school or college:
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18.	List your community service activities, hobbies, outside interests, and extracurricular activities:
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19.	<p>Personal Essay (Maximum word count 300-500 double space, typed and attached to this application)</p> <p>Please answer the following question:</p> <p>A. What role do non-profit organizations play in today's society?</p> <p>B. Discuss some innovative ideas you have that will move BSO Foundation forward for the future. What will you bring to BSO Foundation?</p> <p>C. How has your involvement in a non-profit changed you as a person? What lessons have you learned through your experience?</p>
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20.	<p>Checklist:</p> <p>A. The following items must be attached to this application in order for the application to qualify to be reviewed by the scholarship committee.</p> <p>B. Your application will be returned to you if these items are not attached to this application. (No exceptions.)</p> <p>C. Check "YES" or "NO" to be sure you have attached each item as required.</p>												
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STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent that my picture may be taken and used for any purpose deemed necessary to promote the BSO Foundation Inc. memorial scholarship program.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to the BSO Foundation, Inc. Scholarship policy, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ Date: _____

Applicant Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Email address: _____

Parents Email address: _____