



Baton Rouge Community College Scholarship Application

Application Deadline: Friday, June 16, 2017

PURPOSE

The Baton Rouge Community College Foundation, Inc. (BRCC Foundation) is a non-profit corporation existing and operating for the purpose of securing recurring philanthropic support to advance, promote, and otherwise benefit the mission of Baton Rouge Community College, its faculty, and its students. The BRCC Foundation is governed by a board of trustees and is funded entirely with private resources.

The BRCC Foundation provides direct financial support for Baton Rouge Community College by expending resources to fund financial assistance for students, including scholarships; providing professional development opportunities and programmatic grants awards for faculty; and local, federal, or private appropriations and/or grants for research, public outreach, cultural enhancement, and other BRCC mission-focused initiatives.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

BRCC Foundation Scholarship awards on the basis of a comprehensive process. Scholarships are awarded each semester and will be continued each semester if the student maintains a GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale and continues enrollment.

Eligibility Criteria

- Applicants must be completing or have completed high school successfully with a minimum GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.
- Must be a new or continuing student at BRCC.
- Applicants must be a citizen or legal permanent resident of the United States.
- Student must submit a copy of their 2017-2018 Student Aid Report (SAR)

Instructions

1. **DEADLINE** for scholarship applications is **Friday, June 16, 2017 at 5:00 p.m. (NO EXCEPTIONS)**
2. Refer to application process below for a list of the supporting documents needed (i.e., reference letters, evidence of GPA, etc.) ***Incomplete applications will not be considered.***
3. If any question does not apply to you in this application please put N/A in the space.
4. Type or print legibly. Illegible applications will not be accepted.
5. At the discretion of the Scholarship Review Committee applicants may be interviewed.
6. Awards will be made only to students attending BRCC.
7. If you have any questions about the application, please call Theryl Drew, Executive Assistant to the Vice Chancellor for Institutional Advancement at 225-216-8190 or by email, drewt@mybrcc.edu

Required Documentation

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS MUST PROVIDE:

New Students

- Completed application form.
- Proof of acceptance at BRCC.
- Official high school transcript in a sealed envelope from the institution. **(New students only)**
- A copy of your ACT or SAT score sheet. **(New students only)**
- Two letters of recommendation from an employer, school administrator, teacher, guidance counselor or other community member.

(Recommendation letters must be mailed or emailed from the person making the recommendation to Theryl Drew at drewt@mybrcc.edu.)

Continuing Students

- Two letters of recommendation from a faculty member, Single Stop Program Director, school counselor, or college administrator.
- Proof of enrollment at Baton Rouge Community College. **(Current students only)**

(Recommendation letters must be mailed or emailed from the person making the recommendation to Theryl Drew at drewt@mybrcc.edu.)

Deadline for the application is **June 16, 2017**.

Applications received or postmarked after this date will not be considered.

Please mail or submit application in person to:

**Baton Rouge Community College Foundation, Inc.
Attention: Theryl Drew
201 Community College Drive,
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70806**



Please check one of the following:
 Current Student applicant ____
 High School Senior Applicant ____

Application must be filled out by applicant.

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| Please type on a separate sheet or print your answers below. If application is illegible it will be returned to you. | |
| 1 | Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ |
| 2 | Home Address: _____ _____ Street City State Zip Telephone |
| 3 | Social Security #: _____ Student I.D. # _____ |
| 4 | Daytime Telephone Number: () _____ Email address: _____ |
| 5 | Current High School: _____ City and State: _____ |
| 6 | Will you be a full time student? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 7 | Cumulative GPA (based on 4 point scale): _____ Attach proof of GPA; most recent official school transcript required. |
| 8 | ACT Score: _____ Or SAT Score: _____ (For High School Applicants Only. A copy of your ACT or SAT score sheet is required.) |
| 9 | Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): Name: _____ Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Home phone of parents or legal guardians: () _____ |

Please list the following information on a separate sheet if needed.

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| 10 | SCHOOL EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: Please list school extra-curricular activities in which you have participated. Please note leadership roles. |
| 11 | ORGANIZATIONS: Please list organizations such as service, volunteer and religious organizations in which you are now active or have previously been active. |
| 12 | RECOGNITIONS: Please list important awards and recognitions received. |
| 13 | CAREER Goal: What are your career plans? |

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| 14 | <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. Circle "YES" or "NO" to be sure you have attached each item as required.</p> | |
| YES | NO | <p>Two letters of recommendation.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ADDRESSED TO:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Baton Rouge Community College Foundation Attention: Mrs. Theryl Drew 201 Community College Drive, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70806</p> <p>Recommendation letters must be mailed or emailed from the person making the recommendation to Theryl Drew at drewt@mybrcc.edu.</p> |
| YES | NO | Proof of college acceptance or current student enrollment. |
| YES | NO | Most recent <u>official</u> high school or <u>official</u> college transcript. Photocopies of your transcript are <u>not acceptable</u> . |
| YES | NO | Answers to questions 1-14 |

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I agree that the application and all attachments may be used for the purpose of evaluation and selection by the Scholarship Committee of the Baton Rouge Community College Foundation and/or representatives designated by the Awards Committee.

I affirm that all the above stated information provided by me to the Baton Rouge Community College Foundation Scholarship Committee is true, correct and without forgery. I also consent that my picture may be taken and used for any purpose deemed necessary to promote BRCC Foundation's Scholarship Program.

I understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at Baton Rouge Community College before scholarship funds can be awarded.

APPLICATION MUST BE SIGNED TO BE CONSIDERED

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

NOTE TO APPLICANT: To be considered, the application and all attachments must be complete and postmarked by June 16, 2017. THIS DEADLINE IS STRICTLY ENFORCED.