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Scholarship deadline for submission is Friday, March 12, 2021, by 5pm.

To apply for a scholarship with the Bartlesville Community Foundation, please:

- Complete the BCF Scholarship Application Form accompanying each scholarship
- Provide any scholarship-specific addendums to the application form
- Include a copy of your submitted FAFSA application
 - FAFSA means **full FAFSA** with **all** pages. This is not just the cover letter stating whether or not you are eligible for financial aid but the full 10 page report.
- Submit current transcript **with** ACT scores
 - If your transcript does not include your most recent ACT scores, please attach them separately
- Please follow submission guidelines:
 - No staples
 - Printed single sided if possible
 - Do not fold application documents
 - Please submit individual applications and scholarship-specific addendums attached in separate envelopes or folders, paperclipped or binder clipped
 - For example, if applying for multiple scholarships, put each scholarship and specific addendums in the same envelope/folder and the second in another envelope/folder.
 - Do not provide attachments that are not requested by the scholarship
 - For example, if applying for a scholarship that DOES NOT request a resume DO NOT include a resume. It will not be reviewed.

Where applicable, “service to school” is defined as involvement in school activities, such as clubs, service organizations, school government, pep squad, athletics, etc.

Applications should be mailed, delivered or dropped in lock box at:

Bartlesville Community Foundation, Attn: Scholarships

208 E 4th St., Bartlesville, OK 74003

Applications must be completed by the student.

Scholarship recipients will be required to complete and return a scholarship acceptance form providing necessary information about their school of choice prior to grants being paid.

Award recipients will either be recognized at their high school awards assembly or be notified directly by Bartlesville Community Foundation no later than May 31st of that application year.

Please direct any questions to Bartlesville Community Foundation at 918-337-2287

Melvin Shoesmith Scholarship



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Melvin Shoemsmith established this scholarship for graduating students of Copan High School with a financial need related to attending college or technical school. The scholarship is intended for students whose family does not have the financial resources to send the student to college or technical school. Although financial need is the emphasis, the student's grade point average and ACT score need to reflect that they will likely succeed at a college or technical school.

Amount Available: The scholarship amount is \$1,000. The recipient's designated college or technical school will be paid \$500 each semester for one year.

Eligibility Criteria: The applicant must be a senior attending Copan High School. In the event Copan High School no longer exists, the scholarship applies to the school where Copan students attend. The high school grade point average must be 2.5 or above on a 4.0 scale. Previously awarded students may reapply each year. The college grade point average should be 2.0, however, a student can submit an explanation as to why it is less than 2.0. The explanation needs to also include actions the student intends to take to raise their grade point average to a 2.0 or higher.

Letters of Recommendation: Please submit two letters of recommendation with the application. Letters must be submitted by the student with the scholarship application before the scholarship deadline. Each letter must be in a sealed envelope and signed by the author. A portion of each letter is to address the financial need of the student. For high school seniors, one letter must be from their high school counselor. For a reapplying college student, one letter must be from their advisor. The second letter, for both high school and college students, can be from any unrelated community member, instructor, mentor, pastor, etc. of the student's choice.

Required Addendum: Attached less than 200 word essay that describes your immediate family's financial resources and your plans for funding your higher education.

Additional Requirements: ACT Score must be submitted with scholarship material.



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Please clearly complete the applications below in typed or handwritten in pen. Any application that is not legible will not be considered. If additional space is necessary to answer required questions, please add additional typed pages and clearly state which question is being answered.

SCHOLARSHIP NAME: Melvin Schoesmith Scholarship

STUDENT NAME:

ADDRESS:

Street/mailling address. City State Zip

HOME PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ EMAIL: _____

ETHNICITY (if applicable to scholarship criteria): ___ Asian ___ Black ___ Hispanic ___ Native American ___ Pacific Islander ___ White

GENDER (If applicable to scholarship criteria): _____ Male _____ Female

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL: _____ GPA: _____

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ON THIS APPLICATION FORM. ANSWERS MAY BE TYPED OR LEGIBLY HANDWRITTEN. IF YOU MUST EXTEND YOUR ANSWERS PAST THE GIVEN SPACE, PLEASE CONTINUE YOUR ANSWER ON A SEPARATE PIECE OF PAPER IN THE SAME FORMAT AS GIVEN IN THE APPLICATION. NO RESUMES OR OTHER LAYOUTS MAY BE USED TO ANSWER THE APPLICATION QUESTIONS. THANK YOU.



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PLEASE LIST AWARDS, HONORS, SCHOOL CLUBS (including office served, if applicable), & EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

WHAT ARE YOUR COLLEGE PLANS?



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ARE YOU RELATED TO BARTLESVILLE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION EMPLOYEE, BOARD OR COMMITTEE MEMBER? ___ Yes ___ No

If yes, what is the relationship? _____

Signature of student applicant

Date

By signing, you acknowledge that all information is true and correct, to the best of your knowledge, and that you, the student, completed the application and any required addendum/essay. The applicant should understand that the intent of collecting and maintaining this data on individuals is for determining eligibility of the applicant, specifically, term grades and transcripts by Bartlesville Community Foundation and the scholarship committee