

Academic Year 2019 to 2020



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Hollywood Florida Scholarship Foundation
 P.O. Box 817616, Hollywood, Florida, 33081-1616

NAME OF APPLICANT	
HOME ADDRESS (Your Legal Residence)	
HIGH SCHOOL	COLLEGE / UNIVERSITY
PERSONAL EMAIL ADDRESS	UNIVERSITY EMAIL ADDRESS
BRACE Advisor or Scholarship Coordinator Signature Advisor Email Address <i>(Advisor signature for incoming University Freshmen only)</i>	

SECTION 1: CRITERIA AND REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

Student applicant must meet the following criteria:

1. **IMPORTANT:** Must be a legal resident of Hollywood, Florida or Dania Beach, Florida.
2. Have demonstrated financial need, which can be verified by a current, complete IRS return, including any schedules, as well as an SAR (Student Aid Report) and FAP (Financial Aid Package).
3. Must have a minimum unweighted State GPA of 3.2 (3.0 for continuing students), SAT of 1070 or ACT of 23 (*SAT/ACT scores are for incoming Freshmen only*), & have worked or exceptional community service.
4. Must be accepted at an accredited 4-year college or university.
5. First time applicant must be a high school senior or have previously applied as such.

✓ Photocopies of the following are required:

- Parent & Student IRS returns & schedules that match your FAFSA
- Student’s OFFICIAL school transcript (photocopy not accepted)
- Copy of SAR (Student Aid Report) from the FAFSA website (www.fafsa.gov) that shows EFC (Estimated Family Contribution)
- Copy of FAP (Financial Aid Package) from the college
- Copy of college acceptance letter if entering freshman
- Copy of SAT and/or ACT scores (*incoming Freshmen only*)

OFFICE USE ONLY			
Student IRS		FAP	
Mother IRS		SAR	
Father IRS		EFC	
IRS Schedules		Grades Spring	
ACT/SAT Scores		Grades Fall	
College Acceptance Letter for Freshmen			

Completed application must be postmarked by April 8, 2019 for high school seniors. For continuing students, applications are due by July 31, 2019. Send applications to the PO Box address at the top of this page.

All data treated confidentially.

SECTION 2: STUDENT AND FAMILY INFORMATION

STUDENT APPLICANT (*Print*): _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ FL Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Mobile Phone: _____ () MALE () FEMALE

Date of Birth: Mo. _____ Day _____ Year _____ What is your expected month/year of University graduation _____

Is student a U.S. Citizen? Yes No If no, what is student's visa status and are you eligible for Federal Financial Aid?

PARENTS: (Student Lives with) FATHER STEPFATHER MOTHER STEPMOTHER OTHER

Check any that apply: Parents Separated Parents Divorced Student has legal guardian (not parents)
 Parent(s) Unable to Work Other Unusual Family Circumstances Exist Enclosed Explanation

FATHER: Name: _____

Home Address: _____ Age: _____ Tel: _____

Occupation: _____ Title: _____

Employed by: _____ Address: _____

Years with company: _____ Do you have a retirement plan in addition to Social Security? Yes No

If not employed, do you have independent income? Please explain: _____

MOTHER: Name: _____

Home Address: _____ Age: _____ Tel: _____

Occupation: _____ Title: _____

Employed by: _____ Address: _____

Years with company: _____ Do you have a retirement plan in addition to Social Security? Yes No

If not employed, do you have independent income? Please explain: _____

STEP PARENT OR GUARDIAN: Name: _____

Relationship to Student Applicant: _____

Home Address: _____ Age: _____ Tel: _____

Occupation: _____ Title: _____

Employed by: _____ Address: _____

Years with company: _____ Do you have a retirement plan in addition to Social Security? Yes No

If not employed, do you have independent income? Please explain: _____

SIBLINGS: (*question is for incoming University Freshmen only*)

Other siblings currently attending college: _____

Have you or any siblings been awarded a scholarship from us?: _____

If YES, please name student(s) and Year(s): _____

Are you the first person in your family to attend college? Yes No

SECTION 3: STUDENT'S FINANCIAL INFORMATION

College: _____ Your Upcoming Year in School: FR SOPH JR SR

Major: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

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(continued from prior page, "Student's Financial Information")

STUDENT APPLICANT'S EXPENSES FOR THE COMING YEAR:

Tuition and Fees:..... \$ _____

Will you be living on campus? YES NO

Student's Room and Board:..... \$ _____

Books and Supplies:..... \$ _____

TOTAL EXPENSES:..... \$ _____

STUDENT APPLICANT'S ESTIMATED AVAILABLE RESOURCES FOR THE COMING YEAR:

Resources from Parents:..... \$ _____

Resources from Other Family Members (grandparents, etc.):..... \$ _____

Savings from your Earnings:..... \$ _____

Social Security, V.A., or other Benefits:..... \$ _____

Educational Loans:..... \$ _____

Grants or Scholarships (applied for):..... \$ _____

Do you have a **Florida Prepaid College Fund?** YES NO **If yes, what is the value** \$ _____

Any other Sources (list):..... \$ _____

TOTAL RESOURCES/FUNDS AVAILABLE:..... \$ _____

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN EXPENSES AND RESOURCES:..... \$ _____

If you have unmet financial need, are you willing to take a loan? _____

STUDENT APPLICANT'S ASSETS AND BENEFITS:

Do you currently work? YES NO

Do you plan to work while in university? YES NO

What are your plans for this summer? _____

Savings: \$ _____ Other (endowments, trusts, inheritance, investments): \$ _____ \$ _____

Governmental assistance of any type (social security, etc.) _____ \$ _____

Any other income: _____ \$ _____

Signature of Student Applicant: _____ **Date:** _____

SECTION 4: PARENTS' / GUARDIANS' FINANCIAL INFORMATION

PARENTS' ASSETS & LIABILITIES:

HOME:

If Owned, What is Your Unpaid Mortgage Principal: \$ _____ and Monthly Mortgage Payment: \$ _____

If Rented, What is your Monthly Rent Payment: \$ _____

Do you Own All or Part of a Business? YES NO

Please explain: _____

OTHER REAL ESTATE, CURRENT ESTIMATED MARKET VALUE:

Hotel/Motel: \$ _____ Apartment: \$ _____ 2nd Home \$ _____ Unimproved Acreage: \$ _____

Please explain: _____

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(continued from prior page, "Parents'/Guardians' Financial Information")

PARENTS'/GUARDIANS' SAVINGS ACCOUNT:..... \$ _____

PARENTS'/GUARDIANS' CHECKING ACCOUNT:..... \$ _____

PARENTS'/GUARDIANS' RETIREMENT ACCOUNT: (IRA, 401K, 403B, 457, or other retirement/pension acct)_ \$ _____

OTHER INVESTMENTS (Itemize and Give Dollar Amounts): _____ \$ _____
_____ \$ _____
_____ \$ _____

PERSONAL / BUSINESS LOANS, EXPLAIN: _____

PARENTS' SIGNATURE: _____ Date: _____

(Signature of Both Parents or Guardians): _____ Date: _____

SECTION 5: STUDENT APPLICANT ESSAY

Write an essay about yourself. Include what you have accomplished and why you are applying for this scholarship. Include any involvement in community activities, leadership positions, organizations, clubs, employment. Describe any special circumstances.

Submit your typed essay on a separate piece of paper, please include your full name on the essay, and attach it to this application.

For continuing students only – please attach an essay and let us know any changes that have occurred in the past year.

**Optional:
Attach
Recent
Wallet Size
Photograph**

About Us . . .

We are the Hollywood Florida Scholarship Foundation, Inc. (HFSF), a 501(C)(3) non-profit organization which provides college scholarships to deserving high school seniors residing in Hollywood, Florida and Dania Beach, Florida, to help finance their pursuit of higher education. Since 1963, the Foundation has provided more than three (3) million dollars in scholarship aid to more than 3,000 students.

The Foundation works closely with the guidance department of each high school. Students are interviewed personally by at least two qualified members of our organization. Proceeds from all fund-raising endeavors are used to aid those students who have qualified for scholarships.

Donations go directly to the students' educations. We welcome special grant money from personal foundations, trusts, and businesses to assist worthy students.

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