



## The Foundation's General Scholarship

The Barrow Community Foundation's General Scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior from Barrow County's public high schools. The student must live in Barrow County, and be enrolled in or accepted at an accredited college or technical college. The Barrow Community Foundation General Scholarship check for the scholarship winner will be mailed to the Registrar of the college or technical college designated in the student's name. Scholarships range from \$500-\$1000.

Return this completed application and attachments **by February 28** to your school's Career Center Coordinator or your Counselor. A Scholarship Committee representative will pick up all completed applications from the schools or USPS mail it to BCF Scholarship Committee at P.O. Box 1482, Winder, GA 30680 by the deadline.

### **APPLICANT INFORMATION (please print neatly)**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Contact Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Counselor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

College Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address of Registrar at your college: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Student ID number at the college, if you have this already: \_\_\_\_\_

Collegiate Degree Pursuing: \_\_\_\_\_

Program Start Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (please print neatly)**

What is your senior class rank number? # \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_ total # of seniors

What is your GPA? \_\_\_\_\_

SAT Score: \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you presently employed? YES \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Where are you employed? \_\_\_\_\_

Average number of work hours per week? \_\_\_\_\_

What type of work do you do?  
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Describe other work responsibilities at home (family, farm, other).

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List any previous employers. Include company name, position, and dates of employment.

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Number of family members in your household \_\_\_\_\_

Number of children (other than you) in the family \_\_\_\_\_

Number of children currently attending college, not counting you \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE TYPE THE FOLLOWING RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS 1-6.**

1. **GOALS and ASPIRATIONS:**
  - a. What are your educational and career goals?
  - b. Why did you select this college or technical college?
2. **ESSAY:**
  - a. Why have you chosen this career path as your college major?
  - b. What strengths will contribute to your success in college or technical college?
  - c. How have you explored and learned more about this career choice?
  - d. Where would you like to work in your future career?
3. **UNUSUAL CIRCUMSTANCES:**
  - a. Please explain how any unusual family or personal circumstances have affected your achievement in school, work experience, or your participation in community activities.
  - b. Please include how this scholarship would help.
4. **FINANCIAL CIRCUMSTANCES:** Explain any financial considerations or extenuating circumstances you would like the committee to consider when reviewing your application.
5. **SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENT:** List any extracurricular school activities, organizations, clubs (including offices held), honors and awards.
6. **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:** List any community-based volunteer activities, organizations, clubs, honors and awards.

**ATTACHMENTS Checklist:**

- Completed Application
- Responses to Questions 1-6 above.
- Letter of acceptance or enrollment in your college.
- 2 letters of reference.
- Your current high school transcript