



Bridges to Success Scholarship Application

The North Clackamas Education Foundation offers Bridges to Success Scholarships to North Clackamas School District (NCSD) graduating seniors with a 2.5 or higher GPA to attend community college, 4-year colleges and universities or career school.

All applications must be received by **Friday, April 30th, 2020** by email to ncefscholarships@gmail.com. In addition to this application, you must also submit a **Counselor Recommendation Form** located at <https://www.nc-foundation.org/applications>

Complete the following information: (type or print clearly)

Applicant's name: _____

Home address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

*If selected as a recipient of an NCEF scholarship, I intend to use the funds to further my education. If I decide not to use the scholarship, I will notify NCEF in a timely manner, so that the scholarship money may be given to another student. I agree to have my name and photo used by the Foundation for publicity. I understand the scholarship funds will be sent directly to the institution I choose to attend. I will provide the name of the school I am attending, the address that the scholarship funds should be sent to at this institution and my school identification number to NCEF by August 1, 2020. **By submitting this application, you are agreeing to have read, understood and agreed to the application procedures, guidelines and award process.***

Student's signature: _____

I/We, the parent(s)/guardian(s) of _____ support his/her application for an NCEF scholarship. We will do everything possible to encourage him/her to use this scholarship to further his/her education.

Parent/guardian name: _____ Signature: _____

I, the teacher/administrator of _____ support his/her application for an NCEF scholarship. I believe this student will be successful in college or career school.

Teacher/administrator: _____ Signature: _____

Once completed (with all requested signatures), please send as an email attachment, along with the answers to questions on the following page, to: ncefscholarships@gmail.com

On a separate piece of paper, please answer the following questions and return with the signature page to ncefscholarships@gmail.com. Please do not exceed the word limit and be sure to proofread or have someone proofread for you.

1. Name of High School
2. High School Student ID Number
3. Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA)
4. GPA for last semester only
5. Did any of your parents earn a 4-year college degree?
6. What institutions are you likely to attend (for each, list the school and its location)?
7. List any other scholarships you have or will apply for and the amount you are seeking or have received.
8. Give examples of projects on which you have volunteered to improve your community, help others, or provide extra support to your family. Please do not include required school activities. For example, you may have served as a mentor, engaged in environmental restoration, or helped out at the food bank or homeless shelter. *(300 words maximum)*
9. What are your goals for school and career? Explain your decision-making process including any considerations you have made to accommodate your other responsibilities such as caring for a family member or working while in school. *(300 words maximum)*
10. Describe your need for the scholarship. Also, describe how you are planning to fund your educational costs in order to graduate and achieve the goals you described? *(300 words max)*

You must also submit a Counselor Recommendation Form (may be emailed separately). Applications will not be considered without a Counselor Recommendation Form.

If you have questions regarding your NCEF scholarship application, please contact the Foundation at ncfoundation@nclack.k12.or.us or 503-353-6053 or talk with your counselor. Please send your completed application to ncefscholarships@gmail.com

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