

FBLA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

The procedures and requirements must be followed completely! All incomplete application packets will be disqualified without review.

FBLA BUSINESS THROUGH EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP:

- * High School Senior
- * Member of Florida FBLA for a minimum of two years
- * Top 20 percent of graduating class (be sure that your transcript shows class rank)
- * Full time Florida Resident
- * Must apply scholarship to a post-secondary institution in the state of Florida

A complete application includes:

1. A cover page stating name, social security number, birth date, address, phone, high school, adviser's name, and name of scholarship.
2. Two letters of recommendation: one from a peer in Florida FBLA and one from a teacher, administrator, counselor, or employer.
3. An essay, of no more than 500 words, describing FBLA and its effect on your development and education.
4. An autobiographical essay, **creatively done**, of no more than 500 words.
5. An official transcript that must include ACT or SAT scores and class rank.
6. A resume including FBLA awards, offices, and achievements (limit of 2 pages).

BEAU SCHENECKER LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP:

The Calyx and Beau Schenecker Memorial Fund/Community Foundation of Tampa Bay awards two \$2500 leadership scholarships in honor of Beau Schenecker, former member of FBLA. As a member of FBLA he was an example of teamwork and sportsmanship. He and his sister, Calyx, were murdered on January 28, 2011.

- * High school graduating seniors that plan to attend a post-secondary institution.
- * Be a current FBLA member and a chapter *officer* for at least two years.
- * A record of school and community involvement, leadership, and good character.
- * 3.0 GPA (unweighted)

A complete application includes:

1. Original application (pages 26 and 27 of this packet)
2. An official transcript.
3. Essay of no more than 1000 words.

Use this as a checklist to ensure that you have included all of the required documentation for this scholarship. A complete application must include the following items in sequential order and be stapled together.

- 1. **ORIGINAL APPLICATION FORM**--Typed, Arial, 10 points
- 2. **TRANSCRIPT/GPA**--GPA of 3.00 or above, must be a graduating high school senior
- 3. **ESSAY**--Your essay should consist of no more than 1000 words, typed, double spaced, Arial, 12 points, and answer the following questions:
 1. Why it is important for you to receive this scholarship?
 2. What is something about you that makes you stand out from your peers?
 3. How FBLA has impacted your life?
 4. How do you define Leadership?
 5. Looking at a personal hero, how have you worked in your life to be an example of a leader?
- 4. **PERSONAL REFERENCES/RECOMMENDATION LETTERS**

Two (2) letters are required:

 - One recommendation letter must be from an FBLA Adviser
 - One recommendation letter must be from a community member (non-relative) such as employer, neighbor, etc.

These scholarships are for one year. The scholarships will be paid as reimbursement of tuition. Applicants' packets must be RECEIVED by February 17, 2017. Mail application packet to: Mrs. Jody A. Jones, 38834 Alston Avenue, Zephyrhills, FL 33542.

**BEAU SCHENECKER LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP
2016-2017 APPLICATION FORM**

ALL AREAS MUST BE COMPLETE TO BE CONSIDERED FOR SCHOLARSHIP--PLEASE TYPE

Student Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Birth date: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

School Currently Attending: _____ Grade Level: _____

Which post-secondary institution do you plan to attend? Attach letter of acceptance.

Intended major: _____

Are you currently employed? Yes No If so, where? _____

Grade Point Average (GPA): State Unweighted _____ District Weighted _____

ACT Composite Score _____ SAT Score _____

LIST ALL FBLA OFFICER POSITIONS BELOW INCLUDING MIDDLE LEVEL (add more rows if necessary):

Office	Dates	School	Adviser

LIST ALL COMMUNITY SERVICE BELOW:

Organization Name	Contact Person	Phone Number	Hours Volunteered

LIST All CLUBS (other than FBLA), PROGRAMS, SPORTS, AND HOBBIES BELOW:

Clubs	Programs	Sports	Hobbies

LIST ALL AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS BELOW:

Awards & Achievements	Year Received

Statement of Accuracy

I hereby affirm that all of the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I have read and understand the criteria of the scholarship that I am applying for. I understand that this application only makes me eligible for consideration in the selection process. I further agree to give permission to have my transcripts and test scores attached to my application. Should I be selected as a scholarship recipient, I agree that a copy of my application may be given to the scholarship donor. My name and photograph may be publicized as a scholarship recipient. I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner I must be present at the FBLA Leadership Awards Conference in the spring to receive my scholarship award.

Applicant's Signature Date Parent's/Guardian's Signature Date
(If under 18 years of age)

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY FEBRUARY 17, 2017.