



City of Riviera Beach Education Scholarship Program



Funds for the 2017 - 2018 Riviera Beach Education Scholarships were made available through a \$20,000.00 budget appropriation by the City Council. Additional funds may be received from city business partners, and private donations. Scholarship awards will be \$1,000 each. The City's goal is to award every qualified applicant. However, only the 19 top ranked qualified applicants are guaranteed a Scholarship Award. Additional Scholarships will be awarded in ranked order based upon available donations received.

The Scholarship Program is administered by the Riviera Beach Education Advisory Committee under direction of the Mayor, City Council, and City Manager.

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City Council Chair Pro-Tem

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Riviera Beach Education Advisory Committee

Hyacinthia Becton, *Chairperson*

Rose Anne Brown, *Co-Chairperson*

Return Completed Applications
In A Sealed Envelope

Via Mail To:

Riviera Beach Education Advisory Committee
Attn: Scholarship Review Team
P.O. Drawer 10682
Riviera Beach, Florida 33419

In Person To:

Riviera Beach City Hall
Attn: Scholarship Review Team
2nd Floor - City Manager's Office
600 West Blue Heron Boulevard
Riviera Beach, Florida 33404

NOTE: Applications received after
5:00 PM Friday, April 28, 2017,
WILL NOT be considered.

For additional information, call (561) 845-3489
or email imonroe@rivierabch.com

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Suggested Format For Letter of Recommendation

Applicant's Name: _____

Your Name: _____ Organization/Business: _____

Position: _____ Number of Years Known: _____

I Know Applicant as: _____ Student _____ Employee _____ Other (Specify): _____

Statement of Recommendation: _____

Must be dated within last 6 months

**Signature: _____ Date: _____

****NOTE: Letters of Recommendation must be signed.**

Applicant will not receive credit for unsigned letters.

How will you finance the balance of your educational expense? _____

What do you plan to do after graduating from college? _____

Other schools you have attended: _____

School Activities: _____

Academic And Other Honors Received:

Honor: _____ Date: _____

Honor: _____ Date: _____

Honor: _____ Date: _____

Honor Societies: _____

Community Activities: _____

Extra-Curricular Activities: _____

(Attach additional sheets if more space is required)

I Hereby Certify That All Information Submitted Herein Is Correct:

Signature - (Applicant): _____

*Signature - (Parent/Guardian): _____

Date: _____

**If applicant is under age 18*



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Provide all requested information. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Email: _____

*Father / Guardian Name: _____

*Address (If different from applicant): _____

*Occupation: _____ Phone: _____

*Mother / Guardian Name: _____

*Address (If different from applicant): _____

*Occupation: _____ Phone: _____

Number of Dependents Living in Household: _____ Age(s): _____

Total Annual Family Income: (Based upon 2016 Federal Income Tax Return)

_____ Under \$30,000 _____ \$30,000 - \$50,000 _____ Over \$50,000

Number of Family Members Currently Attending College At Least Part Time: _____

Have You Submitted Your FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)? Yes _____ No _____

School You Currently Attend: _____

Grade Point Average: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

Major Career Objective: _____

College/School You Plan To Attend Beginning in Fall of 2017: _____

Have You Applied For Admission? _____ Yes _____ No

Have You Been Accepted? _____ Yes _____ No

Anticipated Classification as of Fall 2017 Term:

_____ Freshman _____ Sophomore _____ Junior _____ Senior

*If applicant is under age 18



The City Of Riviera Beach College Scholarship Program

Application Deadline: April 28, 2017 - 5:00 PM

City of Riviera Beach Scholarships are offered to qualified entering freshmen, sophomores, juniors, and seniors who are **enrolled full time by September 29, 2017**, at an accredited College, University, or Trade/Technical School.

Requirements: (Please check off to confirm your qualification to apply)

- Be a resident of Riviera Beach (*proof of residency required*)
- Be enrolled as a Full Time Student (*at minimum of 12 credit hours*) by September 29, 2017
- Have a 2.0 or above cumulative grade point average
- Complete **all** sections of the application
(*Incomplete applications **will not** be considered*)
- Have proof of Community Service completed within the **last 12 months**

Required Attachments: (Please check off as you complete each attachment)

- Current **Official** Transcript (*High School, College, or Trade School*)
- Resume' that includes High School and/or College achievements, organizations, community service activities, and other activities you are involved in
- A **typed** one (1) page single spaced essay stating why you should be awarded a scholarship **and** your plans for further studies at a College, University or Technical / Trade School
Essay MUST include Applicant's Name
- Three (3) signed letters of recommendation **dated within the last 6 months.** (*sample format on page 5*) **Letters MUST be signed**
- Proof of Riviera Beach Residency

A personal interview with the applicant may be required.

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