

Black Forest Guild Scholarship Application:

Please use Arial Font (14), or Times New Roman Font (14)

Name _____
First _____ *Middle* _____ *Last* _____

Address _____ City _____

Phone _____ Date of Birth _____

High School _____

Advisor/Counselor _____ Phone _____

School Activities

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Roles and Responsibilities</i>
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____

Community Activities

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Roles and Responsibilities</i>
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____

Please scan and attach additional pages, if necessary

Additional Requirements:

Create and attach an essay of 400-600 words, double spaced (NO AI), on the following topic:

Please share your plans for the future. Have you applied and been accepted into a college or trade school? What do you plan to study and how will this training work in relationship to a cause or purpose that is meaningful to you? How do you envision contributing to this cause or project? Discuss any challenges you anticipate and how you plan to overcome them on your journey to making a positive impact to your community or world.

Scan and attach your high school transcripts.

Scan and attach three letters of recommendation – at least one of which must be from a school staff member or if homeschooled, a recommendation from an adult who is not related to you that was involved with your learning.

Provide a list of colleges or trade schools where you have applied or scan and attach copies of acceptance letters.

Scan and attach a picture of your head and shoulders.

No submitted items will be returned.

Certification

By submitting this application, I certify the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. In addition, the Essay is self-created. Falsification of information may result in disqualification of the applicant. I also certify that I will allow the Black Forest Arts and Crafts Guild to use my name, college plans and photograph for publicity purposes. I will expect no further monetary payment for this use.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

***APPLICATIONS MUST BE E-MAILED NO LATER THAN MIDNIGHT APRIL 26, 2026 TO:
BFACGSCHOLARSHIP@YAHOO.COM***

Miscellaneous:

- The winner will be notified by telephone and email.
- The winner will be requested to attend the Guild meeting on May 21, 2026 to accept the award.
- The award will be paid directly to the college or trade school.

Boundaries and Amount of Award

Applicants must reside within the 80908 or 80831 zip code area.

The Black Forest Arts & Crafts Guild is committed to providing at least one scholarship of \$1000. Additional monies or winners may be added to the award by patrons of our fall and spring craft shows and the local community; therefore, the total amount of the award above \$1000 or an additional winner is not known at this time.

Applicants are judged solely on their merits and accomplishments provided in the application. Once notified, the winner has until **May 16, 2026** to claim the award. If the award goes unclaimed, it will be forfeited and awarded to the 2nd place applicant.

Checklist:

- E-mail your application to: BFACGScholarship@Yahoo.com
Please make sure and put your name on the top of each page sent.
- PLEASE be sure that you have attached and included the following:
 - 1) Completed application to include the **signed** Certification page
 - 2) Essay
 - 3) High School Transcripts
 - 4) Letters of recommendation (maximum of 3)
 - 5) College plans, and acceptance letters (if available)
 - 6) Photograph of head and shoulders