

Atherton High School Scholarships: Common Application

Atherton High School currently receives multiple scholarships from the Alumni Association, Parent Teacher Student Organization, Jim Marshall Memorial Fund, Business & Technology Scholarship Fund and the Phenomenal Women “Have Hope” Fund. The criteria for these scholarships are based on student academic determination, school and community involvement as well as financial need.

PURPOSE: To provide scholarships to deserving Atherton High School graduating seniors who will be full-time students at a college or university in the coming academic year. Scholarship will be in the form of credit to the institution of higher learning upon verification of enrollment.

AWARD COMPONENTS: Scholarship funds and individual certificates awarded to students selected by the Scholarship Committee.

CRITERIA:

- Applicant must be a graduating Atherton senior in the year of the award.
- Applicant must submit this application before the deadline.
- Applicant must be a full-time college/university freshman in the coming academic year.

APPLICANT MUST SUBMIT:

1. Completed application form.
2. Letter of application addressed to the Scholarship Committee. Your letter should contain a brief explanation (one page maximum, double spaced, Times New Roman, 12-point font) of college goals, areas of interest you want to pursue in your college studies and/or possible career paths.
3. Signature of two (2) of your Atherton teachers indicating their recommendation of you for the scholarship.

Deadline for application is May 1 of each school year.

Submit application packet to:

**Atherton High School Scholarship Committee
c/o Principal, Atherton High School
3000 Dundee Road
Louisville, KY 40205**

Should any of the chosen recipients of the scholarship fail to attend an accredited college or university the following fall term, then the applicant who was judged as an alternate will receive the award if he or she has enrolled in an accredited college or university.

Atherton High School Scholarship

APPLICATION

Please read this form carefully and answer each question completely.

PERSONAL DATA

Full Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone Number _____

Full Name and Address of Parents or Guardians:

Father's Name _____

Street Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Mother's Name _____

Street Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

Where do you plan to attend college? _____

College or University location _____

Have you applied for admission? _____

Have you been accepted? _____

Proposed major? _____

ACTIVITIES/ORGANIZATIONS

Please list sports, clubs, activities, or organizations in which you have participated in school or outside of school. Indicate accomplishments while involved in these groups.

HONOR/AWARDS

List any honors or awards you have received in high school. These may be formal (certificates) or informal (principal, teacher, counselor, school staff, coach, or community sponsor who have recognized you for your work or selected you to participate in something apart from others).

APPLICATION ESSAY

Please attach an essay (one page maximum) explaining your college goals. If you have decided on a major, please tell us why you selected that particular major. If you have not yet decided on a major, what academic disciplines do you want to study in college and why?

Applicant's Signature

Date

Teacher

Date

Teacher

Date

Application checklist:

- Completed 2-page Application form**
- Application Essay – describing college/career goals**
- Signature of two of your Atherton teachers**