



FBI Construction Scholarship at Eastern Carolina Community Foundation

Application must be submitted by March 31.

Since 1982, people in the Carolinas and beyond have put their trust in FBI Construction, Inc. FBI Construction is a multifaceted construction management and general contracting firm whose client focus has historically included projects within the industrial, educational, commercial, historical, municipal, faith based, and healthcare arenas. FBI Construction's success is a result of its commitment to quality team members and willingness to partner with clients who have the confidence to rely on FBI's experience, financial strength, management expertise, and integrity. FBI Construction created a scholarship fund at ECCF in 2017 to encourage students to enter the construction industry. This interest stems from a strong belief in education and a commitment to improve the quality of life where they do business. In order to optimize the best possible value for its clients they continue to stress the need for competent and qualified individuals within the construction industry. This scholarship funding will improve the talent pool which maintains FBI's commitment to excellence.

Purpose: To provide scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 to students entering a course of study in the construction industry with the goal of finding employment in a career allied with the construction industry. This career could range from construction management or civil engineering to architecture to accounting. Applicants may be graduating high school seniors or returning post-secondary students at a technical school, college or university, or someone continuing education after time spent in the workforce.

Qualifications:

1. Reside in one of the following counties: Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Georgetown, Horry, Marion, Marlboro, or Williamsburg.
2. Be accepted to or enrolled at an accredited institution of higher education.
3. GPA must be 2.5 or better.
4. Demonstrate financial need. The applicant's FAFSA score is required.
5. Desire to pursue a degree or professional certificate in a construction related industry.

Application Process:

1. The applicant must return an application by mail to Eastern Carolina Community Foundation, PO Box 1615, Florence, SC 29503 or by email to info@easterncarolinacf.org by **March 31** with:
 - A personal statement as described on page 2.
 - Your most recent official transcript of grades.
 - Proof of acceptance to or attendance at an institution of higher education - technical school, college or university.
 - Provide 2 letters of reference from adults who are not family members that describe how you will succeed in the field of construction (forms are included.)
2. **Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.** Decisions made by the committee are final.
3. The scholarship is for tuition expenses and will be paid directly to the institution the student plans to attend, not to an individual.



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Personal Statement of: _____
Applicant Name

State why you are seeking this scholarship and how it will benefit your pursuit of education to pursue a career in the construction industry. Please include information about your honors and achievements, extracurricular activities, interests and community involvement as well as why you need financial assistance.

Applicant Signature

Date



Scholarship Applicant Information

Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Present Address: _____

Permanent Address: _____

Parent or Guardian's Name: _____

Address: _____

FAFSA Score (if required by scholarship qualifications): _____

SAT or ACT score (if applicable): _____

High School _____ Graduation date: _____

Name of institution of higher education you plan to and have been accepted to attend:

Address: _____

References

List two references below and provide a completed reference form for each of the persons listed with your completed application by the defined deadline. Do not list names for references of any persons who are related to you in any manner.

Name: _____

Name: _____

Certification

I authorize investigation of all statements contained in this application. I understand that misrepresentation of any information may prevent me from consideration in receiving this scholarship.

Signature of Applicant

Date of Application



Scholarship Letter of Reference Form

I, _____, am applying for the _____ Scholarship at Eastern Carolina Community Foundation. I authorize you to provide the Foundation with requested information about me.

Applicant's Signature

Date

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1. How long have you known the applicant? _____
 2. What is your relationship to the applicant? _____
 3. Please describe the characteristics that you have observed in the applicant that would help him/her be successful as he/she pursues higher education.

4. Additional comments:

Reference name: _____

Signature

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