



**FBI Construction Scholarship**  
**at Eastern Carolina Community Foundation**  
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**Application must be postmarked by March 31, 2020**

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.

In the spirit of partnership, FBI Construction created a scholarship fund 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 up to four scholarships of \$1,000 to a student entering a course of study in the construction industries field 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 an accredited institution of higher education.
3. GPA must be at least 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.

**Process:**

1. The applicant must return a complete application to Eastern Carolina Community Foundation, PO Box 1615, Florence, SC 29503 postmarked by **Tuesday, March 31, 2020** with:
  - A personal statement as described on the next page.
  - Your most recent official transcript of grades.
  - Proof of acceptance to or attendance at an institution of higher education - technical school, college or university.
  - 2 letters of reference from adults that are not family members that describe how you will succeed in the field of construction.
2. **Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.** Decisions made by the committee are final.
3. The scholarship grant 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**

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.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_