Security Benefit is providing one, $2,000 scholarship for a student pursuing a degree within the K-12 education field from an academic institution beyond high school.

Criteria

☐ Graduating high school senior
☐ Resident of the state of Oklahoma
☐ Pursuing a certified degree in education or directly support the education system, including (but not limited to);
  • Teaching
  • School Administration
  • Counselling
  • Librarian
  • Child Psychology
  • Occupational Therapy (speech, learning disabilities, etc.)
  • Dietician
  • Music Instructions
☐ Letter of recommendation
  • From school administrator, teacher, counselor, coach, or another civic leader
☐ Letter of application

Applicants should submit a letter of application that covers some of the following questions;
  • Why they chose their specific career path
  • The impact they want to make in education, the classroom, or the lives of children
  • Describe an issue/program that they've experienced or seen that they want to change or improve or Provide an example of an experience or program that made an impact upon them as a student

Application Submission

All materials must be received by March 16, 2020 at:
Oklahoma ASBO
Attn: Security Benefit & OKASBO Scholarship
P.O. Box 18882
Oklahoma City, OK 73154

Selection Criteria

Ad-hoc committee formed within each territory to choose recipient; include at least one (1) Security Benefit representative by the Oklahoma ASBO Board and Security Benefit representative.

Recipient will be chosen who best fits the mission and spirit of the program.

As a guideline, applications will be reviewed and selected based upon the materials submitted:

  • 30% scholarship
  • 50% letter of application
  • 20% letter of recommendation

Scholarship Distribution

Scholarship award amount will be distributed to the college, university or vocational school student will be attending. Funds cannot be distributed directly to the student.
2020 Strength in Education Scholarship

Personal Information
Name: __________________________________________________________________________________
  First  Middle  Last
Address: __________________________________________________________________________________
  City: ___________________________    State: ____     Zip Code: ________________
Phone Number: _________________________   (home/cell)
Email Address: __________________________
Date of Birth: ________________

Academic Information
High School Graduation Date: ________________
Name of High School Attending: __________________________________________________________
  Address: _______________________________________________________________________________
  City: __________________________________    State: _____    Zip Code: __________
Cumulative GPA: __________
Name of College, University or Technology Center attending during 2020/2021 Academic Year:
  __________________________________________________________
  Address: _______________________________________________________________________________
  City: ___________________________    State: ____     Zip Code: ________________
Anticipated Degree Completion Date: ________________
Planned Area of Study in the K-12 Education Field: ______________________________________________
Signature: _________________________________________  Date: _____________________________
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### Other Information

- **Yes**
- **No**

- I am a U.S Citizen and resident of the State of Oklahoma
- I have applied or have been admitted to a college, university or technology center that offers a certified degree program in the K-12 education field
- I took the SAT and/or ACT
- I have a relative who works for Security Benefit