

The Broward Futures Scholarship

The Broward Futures scholarship provides an opportunity for incoming freshmen to complete an Associates in Arts (AA), Associates in Science (AS), or Certificate not to exceed 75 credit hours per student. This scholarship is also available to students who have graduated from high school within the past two years and have not taken any college courses. The Broward Futures scholarship will cover the cost of tuition and fees up to 30 credit hours and contribute towards the cost of books and supplies for each academic year until student reaches 75 credit hours.

To be considered for the Broward Futures scholarship, the applicant must:

- Have a Standard High School Diploma, GED or certificate of completion with an overall GPA of 2.0.
- Be a U.S. citizen or an eligible non-citizen.
- Complete the Broward College application and meet all requirements of admission.
 - Broward College Applications can be completed at: <https://www.broward.edu/FCCSC/student/applogon.jsp>
- Enroll in a degree or eligible certificate program of study.
- Qualify for in-state tuition.
- Demonstrate financial need as determined by the completion of a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
 - Free Application for Federal Student Aid can be completed at: <https://www.fafsa.ed.gov>
- Demonstrate one or more of the following at-risk factors:
 - Successful completion of a prevention or treatment program
 - Reside with single parent (divorced, widow, widower)
 - Reside with a guardian or foster parent
 - Have a parent or sibling who is incarcerated
 - Reside with a relative (non-parent)
 - Display behavioral issues identified by school or community intervention
 - Reside with a parent with Limited English Proficiency (LEP)
 - Parent of a dependent child
 - Homeless or living in a shelter
 - First Generation in College
- Complete a Mentorship Program Verification Form and have the form signed by a representative from one of the youth mentoring programs or otherwise eligible referring programs operated by one of the organizations listed below:
 - Best Buddies Florida
 - Big Brothers Big Sisters of Broward
 - Boys and Girls Club
 - Broward Sheriff's Office Explore Program
 - Broward Sheriff's Office Youth Program
 - Broward County Schools (BRACE Advisors or Guidance Counselors)
 - Communities in Schools
 - Delta Sigma Theta
 - HANDY
 - Jewish Adoption and Foster Care Options (JAFCO)
 - LINKS of Broward Incorporated

- Marine Cadet Program
- Mentoring Tomorrow's Leaders
- New Day Community Justice Program
- PACE Center for Girls
- Police Athletic League
- SOS Children's Village
- STARS Academy
- Take Stock in Children
- Urban League of Broward County
- Urban Teacher Academy Program (UTAP)
- 100 Black Men

***NOTE:** This form must be uploaded and submitted with the online application. There are no exceptions to this requirement.

- Complete a 2018-2019 Broward Futures Scholarship Application and upload the completed Mentorship Program Verification Form by the published deadline.
 - 2018-2019 Broward Futures Scholarship Applications can be completed at: <https://www.broward.edu/scholarships>

In order to retain the scholarship, the student must:

- Attend a mandatory orientation session hosted at Broward College by Student Financial Services - Students selected to receive the scholarship will receive an email detailing the location, date and time of the orientation session.
- Meet with academic advisor within the first month of enrollment to create an academic plan.
- Be enrolled in a degree or eligible certificate program.
- Enroll in at least (6) credits each term and maintain at least a 2.0 GPA.
- Enroll in and successfully complete a three-credit Student Life Skills (SLS) course during the first three terms of enrollment.
- Apply for financial aid by completing a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) annually.
- Have financial need as determined by the completion of a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) annually.
- Have a complete financial aid file annually.
- Remain in good academic standing as defined by Broward College.

Apply online at: www.broward.edu/scholarships

Questions? Email: scholarships@broward.edu

Note: Broward College (BC) shall determine which students receive the Broward Futures Scholarship. The completion of an application will not automatically guarantee a scholarship award.