

City of Belton and Waste Management Scholarship Application

A \$2,000 scholarship is available to a graduating high school senior living in the Belton city limits and attending a Belton High School, home school program, or private school.

Eligibility:

1. Must be a graduating senior.
2. Must reside within the City of Belton, TX boundaries and be a citizen of the United States.
3. Applicant must be able to verify admission to a two-year or four-year college or university or accredited trade school or technical school (submit copy of acceptance letter, SAT and/or ACT scores, or applicable entrance test).
4. Applicant must be committing to full-time college status (minimum of 12 hours per semester).
5. Submit this completed application and requested attachments to the school counselor's office or Belton City Hall, 333 Water St., by April 27, 2018. Under no circumstances will any late applications be considered.

Instructions:

1. Please type or print clearly.
2. Attach the following to the completed application:
 - Application form
 - Applicant essay of up to 500 words – How can you contribute to a clean and productive society?
 - Teacher/counselor recommendation form
 - Letter of recommendation (should be from someone outside of school -- not an immediate family member or relative)
 - Copy of college acceptance letter and/or scholarship award letter(s).
 - Copy of unofficial high school transcript, SAT, or ACT test scores (or applicable entrance test).

Deadline for Submission: April 27, 2018

TURN IN TO HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR or at Belton City Hall.

Applicant Check List – Do Not Forget to Include:

- ___ Completed application signed by parent or legal guardian and an authorized school representative
- ___ Essay
- ___ Counselor/Teacher Recommendation Form
- ___ Personal letter of recommendation (No more than two)
- ___ Proof of college acceptance for upcoming school year
- ___ Unofficial Transcript and Test Scores
- ___ Additional pages if necessary



Personal Information
(Please Type or Print Clearly)

Full Name of Student:

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Student Social Security Number: _____ - _____ - _____ **Gender:** M or F

Date of Birth: _____ - _____ - _____ **Home Phone Number:** ____ - _____

Current Home Address:

Parent/Guardian Information:

Father's Name _____ **Age** _____

Father's Occupation _____

Place of Employment _____

Daytime Phone Number _____

College Attended, if any _____ **Years** _____ **Degree** _____

(yes or no)

Mother's Name _____ **Age** _____

Mother's Occupation _____

Place of Employment _____

Daytime Phone Number _____

College Attended, if any _____ **Years** _____ **Degree** _____

(yes or no)

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Academic Information
(Please Type or Print Clearly)

High School GPA _____ at the conclusion of junior year.

School Representative's Authorized Signature

Printed Name

Title

Date _____

High School Achievements: (Clubs, Athletics, Awards, Offices Held)
(Attach additional pages if necessary)

9th Grade: _____

10th Grade: _____

11th Grade: _____

12th Grade: _____

Activities and Achievements Outside of High School:
(Church, Scouts, Community Service, Work, Other)

9th Grade: _____

10th Grade: _____

11th Grade: _____

12th Grade: _____

College/University To Be Attended _____ Accepted? Y N

College/University 2nd Choice _____ Accepted? Y N

College/University 3rd Choice _____ Accepted? Y N
(Please attach a copy of school acceptance letters)

When do you plan to attend? _____ summer _____ fall _____ spring.

Anticipated Degree Plan _____

Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) score _____
(Please attach a copy of your results)

and/or

American College Test (ACT) score _____
(Please attach a copy of your results)

and/or

Other College Entrance Test score _____
(Please attach copy of your results)

Student Signature

Parent Signature

Date _____

Additional Student Information

Applicant Essay:

Please attach an essay of up to 500 words that answers the following statement:

As a student planning to attend college, you have begun a lifelong pursuit to develop important talents and skills. Explain how you may use your talents and skills to contribute to a clean and productive society.

Letter of Recommendation:

Each applicant must submit a personal reference letter from someone well acquainted with him or her. The reference must not be from the ISD or a family member. The letter may be typed or handwritten, and should include the name, address, and daytime phone number of the person making the recommendation, as well as an indication of the person's relationship to the applicant (neighbor, minister, employer). The letter must be attached to the application. Reference should indicate knowledge of applicant's character, determination to pursue a college education and any other factors, which would assist evaluation.



Counselor/Teacher Recommendation Form

Student Name:

_____ Last First MI

Counselor/Teacher Recommendation Comments: _____

Please choose below which best describes the student.

	Fair	Good	Excellent	Unknown
Attendance/Participation	()	()	()	()
Motivation	()	()	()	()
Responsibility	()	()	()	()
Integrity/Honesty	()	()	()	()
Diligence/Perseverance	()	()	()	()
Cooperation	()	()	()	()
Leadership	()	()	()	()
Task Completion	()	()	()	()
Judgment	()	()	()	()
Character	()	()	()	()

Name: _____
(Please Print)

Title/Department: _____

Signature: _____