



Bloomington Future Leaders Scholarship Application Instructions

The Bloomington Chamber of Commerce recognizes the importance and value of young leaders in the Bloomington community. The Chamber of Commerce is offering multiple scholarships for graduating seniors from Jefferson High School and Kennedy High School who exemplify the characteristics of being a Bloomington Future Leader (BFL). The ideal recipient should challenge himself/herself academically, be a part of Business/Marketing Education courses, and show passionate involvement in school and in the community.

Recommended Scholarship Criteria

Enroll and participate in two Business/ Marketing courses

Participate in a minimum of one Bloomington Future Leaders Business Conference

Participate in community service project(s) through BFL, Bloomington Chamber of Commerce or independently (optional)

Verify acceptance of admission at a post-secondary institution

Submission

Students must electronically submit the following materials in **.PDF form where possible** by March 13, 2020 to Scholarship@bloomingtonchamber.org. Please make sure to include your name on all documents.

1. Scholarship Application Form (below)
2. Answer the following short questions in a Word document.
 - a. What is the most important lesson about business you have learned, and why is it the most important to you? This lesson can be one you learned in class, through BFL activities, working, etc. (approximately 250 words)
 - b. Talk about a significant challenge you have encountered and how you overcame it. (approximately 250 words)
3. Resume
4. Unofficial transcripts
5. Copy of an admission letter to a post-secondary institution.

Interviews will be conducted in early-mid April 2020, and scholarships will be awarded shortly thereafter. Scholarship disbursement is dependent on student's proof of enrollment for the 2020-2021 academic year at an institution of higher education.



Bloomington Future Leaders Scholarship Application Form

Please fill out this form and email it to Scholarship@bloomingtonchamber.com, along with your responses to the short answer questions, resume, unofficial transcripts, and letter of admission **all in .PDF form where possible.**

Name:
Address:
City, State, Zip:
Email address:
Cell phone:
Home phone:
School:

List the Business/Marketing classes you have taken:

List the Bloomington Future Leaders conferences you have attended (month and year):

List community service opportunities in which you have participated (name of project, month, year):