



Remembering Mom: The Barbara Franklin Cancer Foundation Scholarship Application & Guidelines

Remembering Mom: The Barbara Franklin Cancer Foundation is accepting scholarship applications from young women between the age of 18-25 who have experienced loss due to the death of their mother, but desire to continue their educational path in spite of their mother's absence. (*Mother-loss is not restricted to cancer*).

Scholarship Award:

- ❑ One scholarship will be awarded in the amount up to \$500 for the spring and \$500 for the fall semester.
- ❑ Must show proof of enrollment in a minimum of 6 credit hours at an accredited institution of higher learning.
- ❑ Scholarship recipient will be honored at the Annual Remembering Mom Luncheon Celebration.

Eligibility:

- ❑ Applicant must be a young woman between the ages of 18-25 with plans to attend an accredited institution of higher learning during the academic year (fall and spring semesters).
- ❑ Applicant must have a 3.0 cumulative grade point average.
- ❑ Applicant must live in the State of Texas.
- ❑ Applicant must provide a copy of mother's death certificate or obituary.

Application Process:

Applicants must submit the following items along with a completed application:

- ❑ Copy of most recent academic transcript (with school's seal), SAT or required assessment test for entry into institution of higher learning.
- ❑ Two letters of recommendation (one from a school counselor or teacher/professor and one from a community leader such as a pastor/minister, school principal, employer, civic or political leader).
- ❑ A typed 500-word essay about your mother loss experience and the importance to pursue an education in spite of your mother's absence.
- ❑ A selection committee will screen applications and essays.
- ❑ The scholarship will be awarded to the student who best meets the eligibility requirements.
- ❑ The scholarship recipient will be notified by telephone and invited to attend the Annual Remembering Mom Luncheon Celebration on the second Saturday in May.

Deadline:

Completed application form and typed essay **must be received by the last day of March**.

Applications/essays postmarked after the deadline and/or incomplete packages will be disqualified.

Mail applications to: Remembering Mom Scholarship Committee * P. O. Box 670161 * Dallas, Texas * 75367-0161

www.rememberingmom.org



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APPLICANT DATA

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/ST/Zip: _____ Home phone no. _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Female: Yes

U.S. Citizen: Yes No Social Security #: _____

EDUCATION

High school, college or trade school currently attending: _____

Address: _____ Phone no. _____

Cumulative G.P. A. _____ SAT Score: _____ ACT Score: _____

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

Do you require financial aid? Yes No

Have you applied for federal financial assistance? Yes No

Have you been awarded any financial assistance for the academic school year? Yes No

If yes, please list the financial aid source and amount (*List on back of application if necessary*).

What institution of higher learning (College, Junior College, Trade School) do you plan to attend during academic year? _____

ESSAY

Please submit a typed 500-word essay (double spaced) describing your motherless experience and the importance to pursue an education in spite of your mother's absence (include copy of death certificate or obituary).

CERTIFICATION: The information provided in this form will be disclosed only to the Remembering Mom Scholarship fund as required to determine your eligibility for an award. The information will be available only to qualified people who need to see it in the course of their duties.

I hereby certify that the information provided in this application is to the best of my knowledge, true and correct. I have not knowingly withheld any facts or circumstances that could otherwise jeopardize consideration of this application.

Applicant's signature

Date