

FORBES FAMILY REUNION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCESS

PURPOSE: Our purpose is twofold: (1) To encourage and stress the importance of higher education and technical training; and (2) To reward deserving and aspiring family members for outstanding academic achievement.

SCHOLARSHIP: One-Time Scholarship Award with amounts between \$500 - \$1,000. The amount of the scholarship and the number given each year will be determined by the Scholarship Committee. This will be based on the availability of funds.

These inaugural scholarships will be announced/awarded at the 2018 Forbes Family Reunion in St. Petersburg, FL.

I. **REQUIREMENTS:**

1. Applicants must currently be a high school graduate with a spring or summer graduation in 2018. Also he/she must be in pursuit of a post-high school degree/certification; OR in the first or second year of Post-Secondary Education (i.e. a Four-Year College, Jr. College or Technical Program). Age is not a factor.
2. Must present proof of graduation and proof of acceptance/enrollment in college or technical institution.
3. Must be a member of the Forbes Family (through birth or marriage).
4. Must submit and complete scholarship award application in its entirety **by stated deadline (June 13, 2018)**.
5. Must be prepared for an interview (in person or by phone), if requested

II. **RULES, FORMAT, & SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS (READ CAREFULLY):**

1. All applicants must complete the application form
2. The applicant should write a short biographical narrative describing who they are, their future plans and accomplishments.
3. The applicant must write an essay on the following topic “What Can I Do To Make A Positive Impact On Today’s Society?”
4. The essay should be prepared with two covers on the front.
 - a. The first cover must have your name, address, city, state, zip code, telephone number, email address and title of your essay
 - b. The second cover must have the title of the essay ONLY.
5. The essay must be between 400-500 words typed, double spaced in Times New Roman 12 pt. font.

**FORBES FAMILY REUNION
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
10119 Vista Pointe Drive
Tampa, FL 33635**

Personal Information:

STUDENT'S NAME: _____

STUDENT'S FULL ADDRESS: _____

PHONE (AREA CODE) _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____

HOW ARE YOU CONNECTED TO THE FORBES FAMILY? _____

Parents Information:

Father's Name: _____

Father's Address: _____

Mother's Name: _____

Mother's Address (if different from above): _____

Employment:

Are you currently employed? Yes ____ No ____ Full-time ____ Part-time ____

Position (if applicable): _____

I have included: Cover Sheet ____ Essay ____

IF YOU CHOOSE TO MAIL THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION THEN PLEASE MAIL BY JUNE 13, 2018 TO:

**Forbes Family Reunion Scholarship Committee
10119 Vista Pointe Drive
Tampa, FL 33635**

You may also email the Application as an attachment to Walter Hall at whall713@hotmail.com or ffrofflorida@gmail.com no later than 11:59 PM on June 13, 2018. If you have any questions, you may contact Walter Hall at 813.244.4006 or Garry Forbes at 813.340.4869.