



2023 Employee-Funded Scholarship Application

The employees of Horizon Financial Bank are once again offering five-hundred-dollar (\$500) scholarships to area students graduating this year. These scholarships are made possible through employee contributions to the "casual Friday" program at the bank. The intent of this scholarship is to help further a student's education at a college or university of their choice.

Entry Requirements:

- ❖ Applicants or their parents must be customers of Horizon Financial Bank.
- ❖ Please note that students from these schools whose parents work at the bank are also eligible but are not given special consideration.

Application Requirements:

- ❖ Completed Application Form
- ❖ **Essay:** What's on your Horizon? Where do you see yourself in 5 years? How will this scholarship help you reach your future goals?
 - Complete an essay on the above topics (no more than 500 words) and include it with your application.
- ❖ A letter of recommendation from a teacher, employer, clergy member, or coach.
- ❖ Please enclose a senior picture for publicity purposes only. (Note: This is not a requirement. You will not be taken out of consideration for the scholarship should you choose not to include a photo in your application).

Applicant Submission:

Email: Scott McCarthy, Marketing Chair – scottm@horizonfinancialbank.com

Mail: Horizon Financial Bank
Attn: Scott McCarthy
1207 West Divide Ave
PO Box 7160
Bismarck, ND 58507-7160

All entries must be received or postmarked by 4:00 PM on May 1, 2023.

*Any late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

*Applications will be reviewed and chosen anonymously by the employees of the bank.

Name: _____ Parents: _____

Are you an HFB Customer? (Y/N): _____ Are your Parents HFB Customers? (Y/N): _____

Phone: _____ E-mail address: _____

Address: _____

High School: _____ Ranking in Class: _____ GPA/GED score: _____

Intended College/University to Attend: _____

Anticipated College Graduation Date: _____ Intended Major and/or Minor: _____

List extra-curricular activities you have been involved in during high school and the number of years in each activity as well as any honors or special awards associated with each. (Ex: sports, FFA, FBLA, honor society, etc.)

List any leadership roles you have held during high school. (Roles outside of school should be listed also.)

List any academic and/or community awards and honors that you have received during high school.

List community service or volunteer activities you have been involved with during high school and approximate hours.

Explain your work experience during your high school years and specify whether it was during the summer or after school as well as the months and years worked. (This can include any part-time jobs such as babysitting, farm work, lifeguarding, etc.)

Describe any additional information relevant to this scholarship.
