

**2023 Scholarship Application**

Breathing Blessings is offering an opportunity to access funds that will assist a deserving student on their educational journey.

Scholarships are being offered **March 6 - June 1, 2023**, to the following students:

* High school seniors who will graduate in the **Spring of 2023** and plan to enroll in a community college, technical school, or a four-year college/university in the Fall.

**Eligibility Requirements**

* Must meet income requirements. \* See income requirements document (page 3)
* Must reside in one of the following counties:
	+ Caroline County
	+ City of Fredericksburg
	+ King George
	+ Prince William County
	+ Spotsylvania County
	+ Stafford County
* Complete Breathing Blessings Scholarship application. \* See application (page 4)

**High School Applicants:**

1. Must be graduating in the **Spring of 2023**.
2. Must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher.
3. Must have applied and been accepted to a community college, technical school, or four-year college/university.
4. Must have two (2) letters of recommendation. Recommendations may come from:

 School Counselor, Teacher, Principal, Employer, Pastor, etc. **All letters must be on official letterhead and signed.**

1. Copy of official enrollment letter (if you have been conditionally accepted, you will be asked to provide your official letter at a later time).
2. **Submit a brief biography**.



**ESSAY TOPIC**

* **What is one thing you could do today to improve our local community? How would you accomplish this goal?**

**ESSAY REQUIREMENTS**

**Submission must be:**

* Double spaced
* 300 to 500 words



**Breathing Blessings Scholarship Income Requirements**





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**Scholarship Application (**\*Applications received after **June 1, 2023,** and/or incomplete, will NOT be processed)

**Applicant Information**

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| Full Name: |  |  |  | Date of Birth: |  |
|  | *Last* | *First* | *M.I.* |  |  |

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| Address: |  |  |
|  | *Street Address* | *Apartment/Unit #* |

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|  | *City / County* | *State* | *ZIP Code* |

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| Phone: |  |  Email: |  |

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| School you currently attend: |  Current GPA:  |

School you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| Field of study:  |

**Application Checklist**

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| Completed application? | YES☐ |  |
| Essay attached? | YES☐ |  |
| Brief biography attached? | YES☐ |  |
| Acceptance letter attached (Due no later than June 1, 2023)? | YES☐ |  |
| Two letters of recommendation attached? | YES☐ |  |

**Disclaimer and Signature**

All documentation must be received or postmarked by **June 1, 2023**.

​Once you have been notified that you are a Breathing Blessing Scholarship recipient, you will need to submit your official acceptance letter from the institution to Breathing Blessings no laterthan**July 7, 2023.**

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| Applicant’s Signature: |  | Date: |  |
| Parent or Guardian signature (If applicant is under age 18): |  | Date: |  |