



APPLY FOR MULTIPLE SCHOLARSHIPS ONLINE!

The Outer Banks Community Foundation manages more than 40 scholarships for Dare, Currituck, and Ocracoke students — and you can apply for them all in one place, online! To apply, go to www.obcf.org and click on 'Scholarships' in the title bar. Next, select 'How to Apply for Scholarships' in the dropdown menu. From there, you will see a link to APPLY ONLINE. Online applications are open on March 3, 2014. **The application deadline is March 31.**

Before you can create an application, you will need to answer a few questions to determine your eligibility and to match you with the right scholarships. Once you submit your answers to these questions, you will see a list of scholarships for which you are likely eligible. From there, please read the list of requirements for each scholarship that has been selected for you, and confirm that you meet all requirements before applying.

Throughout the process, you can save each application and return later to complete them.

All scholarships require a transcript. You will need to upload your most current transcript into the application form; contact your guidance department for an electronic copy. You may use an "unofficial transcript" for this application. All scholarships also require three letters of recommendation. The application form will prompt you to email your recommenders with pre-written instructions for uploading their letters. It is your responsibility to ensure that your recommenders upload their letters by the March 31 deadline.



Some scholarships are need-based, and for these scholarships you will need to complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), and upload the Student Aid Report (SAR) that is automatically sent to you upon completion of the FAFSA. It may take up to 5 days for you to receive your SAR after you complete your FAFSA. Therefore, we encourage all students to complete the FAFSA by March 15 so that you can upload your SAR by our March 31 deadline.

The Outer Banks Community Foundation is proud to offer so many opportunities to help you attend college! Please contact the Community Foundation at 252-261-8839 or dwells@obcf.org with any questions.

Apply now at www.obcf.org.