High School Seniors and First Year College/Vocational School Students

APPLICATION PROCESS INSTRUCTIONS AND CHECKLIST

This form should be used by applicants who are seniors in high school or who have NOT completed two full semesters of college by September 1, 2019. The instructions below should help you through the application process. Check each box when you have completed that step of the process.

Scholarships will be awarded based on a combination of financial need, academic achievement, and leadership. Scholarships are for undergraduate or vocational school only. Students must be enrolled for a minimum of 9 credit hours per semester. Students must maintain a minimum 2.0 GPA to maintain their scholarship award.

Applications will be accepted starting January 15, 2020.

FORM 1 – APPLICATION

- Complete entire application (type or print for legible reproduction.) If something is not applicable, mark “N/A”.
- Make photocopy for your records.
- Return completed Form 1 to the CFSF at 1555 Sherman Ave., #116, Evanston, IL. 60201. Our phone number is 847-328-0127 and our email is mkbcfsf@gmail.com
- The date that you submitted your application    -

FORM II – TAX RETURN INFORMATION AND DOCTOR’S NOTE

- Make copies of required tax return information
- Attach copies to Form II
- Sign certification
- Attach doctor’s note
- The date that you submitted Form II    -

FORM III – HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT

- Complete Section A of the Transcript Forms and then sign and date. Your parent or legal guardian must also sign if you are under age 18. All applicants must submit a high school transcript even if he/she is currently a freshmen in college.
 Deliver Form III to your High School Registrar and request that they complete Section B and attach a complete up to date official transcript which includes for high school seniors the first semester grades for the 2019-2020 school year. The registrar should send the Form and transcript directly to CFSF. Transcripts which are incomplete can not be considered.

The date you deliver Form III to the registrar - __________________

FORM IV– COLLEGE OR VOCATIONAL SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT IF APPLICABLE

Complete Section A of the Transcript Forms and then sign and date if you are currently enrolled in a college or vocational school. Your parent or legal guardian must also sign if you are under age 18.

Deliver Form IV to your college or vocational school Registrar and request that they complete Section B and attach a complete up to date official transcript which includes the first semester grades for the 2019-2020 school year. The registrar should send the Form and transcript directly to CFSF. Transcripts which are incomplete can not be considered.

The date you deliver Form IV to the registrar - __________________

FORM V – REFERENCES

Complete Section A of the Reference Form.

Deliver the Reference Form and postage return envelope to a counselor/administrator/faculty member of your school. Ask them to complete Section B and return the Reference Form directly to CSFS in the return envelope that you have provided.

The date you delivered your Form V - __________________

AWARDS WILL BE ANNOUNCED BY APRIL 20, 2020

Use only the forms provided; do not submit additional materials or letters of recommendation.

ALL FORMS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MARCH 27, 2020

Remember that it is your responsibility to see that all forms are submitted on time.

All information submitted is for the sole use of the CFSF Scholarship Committee to determine award winners. Information contained and submitted with this application is confidential and will not be used for any other purpose.
## Applicant Data

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Have you applied previously for a CFSF scholarship? No________ Yes _______ When__________

### High School or Current

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High School Graduation Date (Anticipated)

List the schools to which you have applied to in the order of your preference if currently in high school.

First Choice: ________________

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Second Choice: ________________

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If you have already decided your major field of study, what is it? If not, indicate undecided.

Have you decided what career you hope to pursue upon graduation from school? If so what?

On a per week basis, state the approximate number of hours you spend in the classroom, lab and doing homework.

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<th>Classroom Hours</th>
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Do you feel that your grades are an accurate index of your ability? If not, what circumstances prevented you from doing better?

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Activities Awards and Honors

List all school activities in which you have participated during high school (i.e., student government, music, etc.) and college if applicable

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<th>Awards/Honors</th>
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List all community activities in which you have participated without pay during school (i.e., civic involvement, volunteer work, etc.).

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<th>Awards/Honors</th>
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Work Experience

Indicate history of employment.

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Applications for Scholarships/Grants/Financial Aid From Other Organizations

List all scholarships, grants and financial aid programs that you have applied for and indicate amount awarded or indicate amount for which you are still waiting for notification.

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Write an essay of no more than 500 words about the following question: What do you consider to be our most important societal problem? Why? The essay may be attached to this form.

Certification

I certify that all statements contained in this application are true and correct, that I believe myself eligible, and I hereby apply for a Cystic Fibrosis Scholarship Foundation Scholarship for the academic year 2020-2021.

Signed: ___________________________  ___________________________  ___________________________
          Applicant                     Date

FORM MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MARCH 27, 2020
FORM II – TAX RETURN INFORMATION AND DOCTOR’S NOTE

Applicant’s Name                  Phone Number                  Social Security No.

Federal Tax Return Information to be submitted with this form as follows:

If applicant is or will be claimed as a dependent on his/her parents’ tax return for the year ending December 31, 2019, then the following tax returns must be submitted:

1. The parents tax return, **pages 1 and 2 only**, for the year ending December 31, 2019 or if that return is not yet available then pages 1 and 2 of the tax return for the year ended December 31, 2018; **and**

2. The applicant’s tax return, **pages 1 and 2 only**, for either the year ending December 31, 2019 or the year ending December 31, 2018

If the applicant is not claimed as a dependent on the parents’ tax return then he/she must submit the applicants’ tax return for the year ending December 31, 2019 or December 31, 2018 and also **indicate in a note how he/she plans to pay for school. Further information may be required before consideration of your application if the applicant's tax return does not provide evidence of ability to pay. You are required to provide page 1 of your parent’s tax return to verify you are not being claimed by your parents.**

If the applicant is married, then the tax returns for both the applicant and spouse, either the joint return or each of the individual returns, **pages 1 and 2** for either the year ending December 31, 2019 or December 31, 2018.

Certification

I have submitted all the tax returns required as outlined above and understand that failure to submit the required information is cause for withdrawal of any consideration for a scholarship.

______________________________________________________________________________________________

Applicant Signature                                                                                          Date

Doctor’s Note

I have attached a note from my physician who states that I have a diagnosis of cystic fibrosis and am being treated by him/her. You may include a recent clinic visit report to satisfy this requirement. Failure to include such note will result in application not being considered by the Committee.

______________________________________________________________________________________________

Applicant Signature                                                                                          Date

Please attach information to this form and return to the CFSF.  
**FORM MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MARCH 27, 2020**
FORM III– HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT FORM

Section A: Applicant is to complete this section. (Print or type)

Applicant’s Name       Phone Number       Social Security No.

STUDENT/PARENTAL CONSENT TO RELEASE INFORMATION

According to the Federal Family Rights and Privacy Act of 1984, no information about a student’s academic performance may be disclosed without the written consent of the student, if he/she is 18 years of age or older, or the consent of his/her parent, if the student is under the age of 18.

Therefore, to complete the CFSF Scholarship Program Application, this consent form must be signed prior to the school registrar/principal/guidance counselor completing Section B of Form II and Form III of this application.

“I, hereby, consent to allow my (son’s/daughter’s) school to release all pertinent scholastic and educational information regarding me (my son/daughter) requested below and contained herein to properly complete the CSFS Scholarship Program Application.”

Parent’s/Guardian’s Signature       Date

Applicant’s Signature (if 18 or older)       Date

Section B: High School Official – Please complete the following information:

Please attach an up-to-date official school transcript for the applicant listed above. Transcript must include the first semester grades for the 2019-2020 school year for high school seniors. Transcripts which do not include the first semester grades and test scores (ACT and/or SAT) will not be considered for the scholarship program. If your school does not include test scores on the transcript the official results must be attached to this form and the transcript.

Applicants ranks ________ in a class of _________. Cumulative grade point average ________/4.0 scale. If grading scale is other than a 4.0, please include grade comparison explanation.

ACT English ________ Math ________ Reading ________ Science ________ Composite ________

SAT Math ________ Writing/Reading__________ Total__________________

High School Official:

Print Name       Signature

Date       Title

High School       Phone Number

Please attach transcript to this form and return to the CFSF. FORM MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MARCH 27, 2020
**Section A:** - **Applicant** is to complete this section.

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**Section B:** **School Official** – Please complete the following information:

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The transcript must include the first semester grades for the 2019-2020 school year. The student’s transcript will not be considered if the first semester grades are not included.

Cumulative grade point average ________/4.0 scale. *If grading scale is other than a 4.0, please include grade comparison explanation.*

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Please attach transcript to this form and return to the CFSF.

**FORM MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MARCH 27, 2020**
**SECTION A:** - Applicant is to complete this section.

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**SECTION B:** - A counselor, administrator or member of the faculty must complete this section.

Please complete this form and mail it to the CSFS in the attached envelope. (If you know the applicant well enough, it would be very helpful to the Committee if you could offer a brief example of the student’s actions or behavior that leads you to the rating you assign below.)

The applicant’s choice of a post-secondary education program is

- [ ] Extremely Appropriate
- [ ] Very Appropriate
- [ ] Moderately Appropriate
- [ ] Inappropriate
- [ ] No Basis for Judgement

Comments: ____________________________

The applicant’s achievements reflect his/her ability

- [ ] Extremely Well
- [ ] Very Well
- [ ] Moderately Well
- [ ] Not Well
- [ ] No Basis for Judgement

Comments: ____________________________

The applicant’s ability to set realistic and attainable goals is

- [ ] Excellent
- [ ] Good
- [ ] Fair
- [ ] Poor
- [ ] No Basis for Judgement

Comments: ____________________________

The quality of the applicant’s commitment to school and community is

- [ ] Excellent
- [ ] Good
- [ ] Fair
- [ ] Poor
- [ ] No Basis for Judgement

Comments: ____________________________

The applicant is able to seek, find, and use learning resources

- [ ] Extremely Well
- [ ] Very Well
- [ ] Moderately Well
- [ ] Not Well
- [ ] No Basis for Judgement

Comments: ____________________________

The applicant demonstrates curiosity and initiative

- [ ] Extremely Well
- [ ] Very Well
- [ ] Moderately Well
- [ ] Not Well
- [ ] No Basis for Judgement

Comments: ____________________________

The applicant demonstrates good problem-solving skills, follows through and completes tasks

- [ ] Extremely Well
- [ ] Very Well
- [ ] Moderately Well
- [ ] Not Well
- [ ] No Basis for Judgement

Comments: ____________________________

The applicant’s respect for others is

- [ ] Excellent
- [ ] Good
- [ ] Fair
- [ ] Poor
- [ ] No Basis for Judgement

Comments: ____________________________
Student Name: ______________________________

The ability of this applicant to assume leadership roles is
☐ Excellent  ☐ Good  ☐ Fair  ☐ Poor  ☐ No Basis for Judgement
Comments: __________________________________________________________________________

The level of maturity displayed by the applicant is
☐ Excellent  ☐ Good  ☐ Fair  ☐ Poor  ☐ No Basis for Judgement
Comments: __________________________________________________________________________

The overall success in higher education predicted for this applicant will probably be
☐ Excellent  ☐ Good  ☐ Fair  ☐ Poor  ☐ No Basis for Judgement
Comments: __________________________________________________________________________

Has the school ever disciplined the applicant? If yes, explain –
No ☐ Yes ☐ ________________________________________________________________

Have the applicant’s studies been seriously affected by outside work, illness or other factors? If yes, explain –
No ☐ Yes ☐ ________________________________________________________________

In your opinion, has this applicant been working up to his or her true level of ability?
No ☐ Yes ☐ ________________________________________________________________

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION: Are there any other facts or impressions, which you feel the selection committee should know about this student? Using the school’s letterhead, please attach any further comments and/or personal recommendations.

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Print Name        Signature

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Title                                      Date

School Name                             Phone Number

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School Address                             City   State   Zip

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