## Friends of the Bastrop Public Library Application for Scholarship

Full Name:
Address:
Phone: Email:
GPA current to the most recent semester completed:
Rank in class current to most recent semester completed: Out of:
SAT combined score (3 of 3): ACT combined score:
Colleges/schools to which you have applied:
Colleges/schools to which you have been accepted if known:
Planned major:
Career objective:
Honors and awards:
Volunteer work at Bastrop Public Library (required):
Other volunteer work/community service:
Work experience if applicable:
I certify that the information on this form is correct:
Student's signature:
Parent's signature:

DEADLINE: March 1, 2021 Maximum scholarship amount: \$300.00

## FRIENDS OF THE BASTROP PUBLIC LIBRARY SCHOLARSHIP CHECKLIST

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Please complete the following checklist to ensure a complete scholarship application:

- 1. Complete the entire application form.
- 2. Attach an unofficial high school transcript showing the most recent semester completed.
- 3. Attach two letters of recommendation from people who know firsthand of your achievements and qualifications (provide them with a resume and ask them for the letters with plenty of time before the deadline).
- 4. Attach a resume including the following items (no more than 2 pages):
  - a. Class rank and GPA
  - b. Activities and organizations in which you are involved
  - c. Honors and awards
  - d. Volunteer work and community service\*\*
  - e. Work experience if applicable
- 5. Attach your personal statement (not more than one page typed and double-spaced). Explain why you are applying for or deserve the scholarship. You may want to use one or more of the following suggestions:
  - a. My goals for the future and how I plan to achieve them.
  - b. How your educational and career interests developed.
  - c. How your volunteer work at Bastrop Public Library has contributed to your learning experience.
  - d. How your family, your work, and/or your extracurricular activities contributed to your personal growth.
  - e. Any hardships or obstacles you have overcome.
  - f. Any special circumstances of which the scholarship committee should be aware.

Return your application and all required paperwork to the Friends of the Library by mailing it to:

Friends of Bastrop Public Library

PO Box 670

Bastrop, TX 78602

<sup>\*\*</sup>Volunteer work at Bastrop Public Library is required.