



Addison Jo Blair Memorial Scholarship **Overcoming Adversity Scholarship 2012**

The Addison Jo Blair Memorial Scholarship is for students who have demonstrated integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity in their lives.

1. DEADLINE for scholarship applications is _____
2. Refer to criteria below for eligibility requirements.
3. Refer to application process below for a list of the supporting documents needed (i.e.; reference forms, evidence of GPA, etc)
4. If any question does not apply to you in this application please put N/A in the space.
5. Type or print legibly. Illegible applications will be returned to you. You may also download a copy of the application online at www.addisonjoblair.org .
6. You will be notified by mail in May regarding the status of your application.
7. If you have any questions about the application, please email the foundation at info@addisonjoblairfoundation.org

NOTE: Scholarship funds will be awarded to the student upon evidence of registration in an accredited post-secondary institution.

PURPOSE: To provide one scholarship to a deserving Central Hardin High School graduating senior interested in or intending to pursue post-high school course of study at either college/university or other post-secondary educational institution.

Award Components: One \$1,500 scholarship and individual certificate awarded to one student selected by the Addison Jo Blair Foundation Committee.

Criteria:

1. Applicant must be a Central Hardin High School student
2. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior in the year of the award.
3. Applicant must have experienced adversity in their life in which they demonstrated integrity and perseverance to overcome.

Application Process:

Applicant must submit the following items:

1. Completed application form (if handwritten, please print legibly)
2. Two letters of recommendation from someone outside of immediate family(mom, dad, brothers or sisters) such as an administrator, counselor, teacher, or individual with significant knowledge of applicant's experience of dealing with adversity.
3. An official and recent high school transcript with cumulative grade point average.
4. Personal Essay: In your essay, please answer the prompt on the enclosed essay form.

Prompt: Explain the type of adversity you have experienced in your life and how you overcame it with integrity and perseverance.

Deadline: The application is due by Friday, May 1, 2012. Please return all completed forms to the counselor's office.



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Please type or print your answers.		
1.	Last Name:	First Name:
2.	Mailing Address: Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____	
3.	Daytime Telephone Numbers: ()	
4.	Date of Birth:	
5.	Current High School: Central Hardin High School	Number of Years Attended:
6.	I will be attending the following school/program in the Fall 2012: _____ Proof of acceptance or current student enrollment from the above school is required prior to receipt of funds. What specialty/major do you plan to major in as you continue your education? _____	
7.	Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale) *Attach proof of GPA. Your most recent official school transcript required.	
8.	Name, Address and Phone Numbers of parent(s) or legal guardian(s). Name: _____ Address: _____ _____ Phone Number: _____	
9.	Name and city of other high schools attended:	Number of Years Attended:

10.	Personal Essay: Please answer the following prompt on the last sheet provided with this application. <i>Explain the type of adversity you have experienced in your life and how you overcame it with integrity and perseverance.</i>		
11.	A. The following items must be attached to this application in order for the application to qualify to be reviewed by the scholarship committee. B. Your application will be returned to you if these items are not attached to the application. C. Circle "YES" OR "NO" to be sure you have attached each item as required.		
	YES	NO	Two (2) letters of recommendation. Return these completed letters of recommendation in a sealed envelope.
	YES	NO	Most recent official high school transcript.
	YES	NO	Personal Essay: <i>Explain the type of adversity you have experienced in your life and how you overcame it with integrity and perseverance.</i>

Statement of Accuracy

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent that my picture may be taken and used for any purpose deemed necessary to promote the Foundation's scholarship program.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to the Addison Jo Blair Foundation, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registrations at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____

Date: _____

Reminder:

The deadline for this application to be received by the Addison Jo Blair Foundation is May 1, 2012.



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Personal Essay

Explain the type of adversity you have experienced in your life and how you overcame it with integrity and perseverance.