

**BUTLER COUNTY WATER SYSTEM SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION FOR GRADUATING SENIOR**

Name and address of parent/guardian who is a Butler County Water System customer:

Name/account number as it appears on water bill: _____
Street Address: _____
City: _____
Zip Code: _____



Butler County Water District
1118 S. Main Street #1
Morgantown, KY 42261
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Butler County Water System provides water and sewer service throughout the Butler County area. The system clearly understands the importance of education and the need to foster success of future water utility professionals. In that regard, we are offering a \$1,000 scholarship to assist a high school senior to further his or her education. This scholarship is renewable for up to four years if the recipient maintains eligibility requirements.

PLEASE READ ALL REQUIREMENTS. POSTMARK DEADLINE IS APRIL 1

In submitting this application, I certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I consent to the release of grades and school records to be used for scholarship evaluation with the understanding that all information will remain confidential. Falsification of information will result in the termination of any scholarship granted. I certify that Butler County Water System may use my image for press releases.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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1. Application must be postmarked no later than April 1.
2. Applicant must:
 - a. Be a resident of Butler County.
 - b. Be a dependent of a Butler County Water System Customer.
 - c. Be graduating from home school, private school, or any public school in Butler County.
 - d. Enroll at Western Kentucky University or SKYCTC.
 - e. Have a minimum high school GPA of 3.0.
 - f. Complete a current FAFSA report.
 - g. Seek a degree in one of the following fields of study:
 - o Engineering
 - o Environmental Science
 - o Biology
 - o Chemistry
 - o Architectural & Manufacturer Sciences (Drafting or AutoCAD)
 - o Agriculture
 - o Public Health
 - o Business
 - o Accounting
 - o Water Utilities Management
 - h. Maintain one of the required fields of study throughout their post-secondary academic career to remain eligible.
3. Students who receive scholarships from other sources with total amounts equal to full tuition or above will not be eligible for the BCWS Scholarship.
4. Relatives of the BCWS staff and board will not be eligible for this scholarship.

Should you have any questions regarding the scholarship or the application process, please feel free to contact us at (270) 526-4656.

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PART I

SKYCTC Number _____ - _____ - _____ WKU ID _____ - _____ - _____

_____ Last name First Name Middle Name Preferred Name

Permanent Address _____
Street, Route, or P.O. Box City State Zip Code

Home Telephone () _____ E-Mail _____ Date of Birth _____

Guidance Counselor's Name _____ Phone () _____

High School Graduation (month/year): _____ / _____ Name of Current School _____

College you seek to attend: _____

Year and term (check one term) you will enter either WKU or Southcentral Kentucky Community and Technical College:

Year _____ Fall (Aug) ____; Spring (Jan) ____; Summer _____

Intended Major: _____

Are you related to a BCWS staff or board member? YES/NO

If YES what is the name/relation _____

PART II

To Be Completed by High School Guidance Counselor
(Application cannot be considered unless this section is complete)

Please provide an official transcript with the application. To be considered official transcripts will need to be in a sealed envelope and marked as, "official transcript."

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PART III

List Any Academic or Athletic Honors:

Community Service Involvement:

Out of all your achievements, whether personal or academic, please describe the one that has held the most significance and has given you the greatest personal gain. (Make your answer brief and concise.)

PART IV

Along with your FAFSA report and application, please complete one of the below essays. The essay must be one page maximum and single spaced. When this scholarship application and essay are completed, please send to the WKU College Heights Foundation at the address listed below. FAFSA reports should be completed online and forwarded to WKU. All scholarship applications that are submitted by the due date will be evaluated by the College Heights Foundation selection staff.

Essay Option 1:

What makes you proud to be a Butler County resident? In answering this question, please include aspects of Butler County's history and spirit that has been instilled in you over the years that has contributed to your Butler County community pride.

Essay Option 2:

Various organizations within Butler County strive daily to serve their community. As a citizen of Butler County, what types of community services do you feel should be emphasized *more* by Butler County residents and officials? When answering this question use your own observations and discuss the things that could be enhanced to make Butler County an even more inviting place to live.

When scholarship information and essay have been completed, please mail or deliver to:

College Heights Foundation
1703 Chestnut Street
Bowling Green, KY 42101