



Ambassador Scholarship Application

Mountain State University's Ambassador Scholarship program provides a scholarship of \$4,000 a year to first-time freshman students who agree to represent the University at various events and activities. The scholarship is renewable for up to four years if you fulfill all requirements and maintain a GPA of 3.0 or higher. To qualify, you must have a high school GPA of at least 3.0, a composite score of at least 21 on the ACT or 1000 on the SAT, and excellent team and leadership skills. You can apply by completing the scholarship application on the front of this page and returning it together with a high school transcript, a copy of your ACT and SAT scores, and your responses to the questions listed below.



General Information

Full name _____ Social Security number _____
LAST FIRST MIDDLE

Mailing address _____
STREET ADDRESS OR PO BOX

CITY STATE ZIP CODE COUNTY COUNTRY

Home phone _____ E-mail _____
AREA CODE/NUMBER

Work phone _____ Employer _____
AREA CODE/NUMBER

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Applying for term beginning ____ F Sp Su I Su II Full time Part time

Classification: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Intended Major _____

Are you a first-generation college student (that is, the first member of your immediate family to attend college)? Yes No

Have either of your parents attended Beckley College, The College of West Virginia, or MSU? Yes No

Do you meet the criteria for the MSU Ambassador Scholarship and would you like to be considered? Yes No Please see the top of this page for criteria.



Qualifications

Please type your responses separately and include your name on each page. Your complete response (to all three questions) should total no more than five double-spaced pages.

1. **If you are selected as an Ambassador Scholar, you will be asked to represent the university at official functions. Describe your comfort level with large groups and audiences. Give an example of a time that you used leadership skills to excel in a large group.**
2. **What activities, clubs, and organizations are you involved in at your school or in the community?**
3. **Why should you be considered for an Ambassador Scholarship?**

PLEASE READ BELOW, SIGN, AND RETURN TO MOUNTAIN STATE UNIVERSITY, OFFICE OF STUDENT LIFE, PO BOX 9003, BECKLEY, WV 25802-9003.

I hereby authorize Mountain State University to review and/or release these and all other student records relating to my financial aid, academic records, and/or any scholarship for which I have applied and/or received for the purpose of determining my eligibility and/or progress for continued financial assistance and/or for any other reason allowed under federal, state, and/or local law. This authorization will extend in perpetuity unless otherwise specifically revoked by me in writing.

 APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE (OR GUARDIAN IF APPLICANT IS UNDER 18)

 DATE

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