



## 2022 Scholarship Application

**Betty J. Hunter Bazemore always believed that an education provides access to opportunities and everyone should have access to funds to succeed in their education.**

**The Betty J. Hunter Bazemore Scholarship is accepting applications from:**

- High School Seniors who will graduate Spring 2022 (**June**) and plan to attend a technical school, junior college, or a four-year college/university in the Fall of 2022. (**High school applicants**)
- Full Time students who are planning to return to a technical school, junior college, or a four year college/university in the Fall of 2022. (**Returning students up to age 25 obtaining an Undergraduate Degree**)

**\*Recipient Limit – There is a two-time limit for ALL applicants who have received this Scholarship.**

### ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Must be a resident of the counties of Spotsylvania, Caroline, Culpeper, King George, Orange, Stafford and the City of Fredericksburg, VA.
- Must be actively involved in your church ministries and or community service. (**i.e. volunteering at the hospital, non-profit organizations, feeding the homeless**) **Need to provide proof and information needs to be verifiable.**

**\*Applications that are incomplete or not prepared according to directions will not be reviewed.**

### High School Applicants

- Must be graduating from an accredited secondary educational institution
- Must have applied and received admissions to a technical school, junior college, four year college/university (copy of admissions letter will need to be provided)
- Acceptance letter from the university that you plan to attend
- Must have a 2.5 or higher GPA (**official transcript should be sealed from High School**).
- Three (3) letters of recommendations (only one letter will be accepted from a family member). **All letters of recommendation must have original handwritten signatures and dated.** Recommendations may come from school counselor, teacher, principal, employer, pastor or community leader etc.).
- Small (3x5) or (4x6) picture and a brief biography
- Copy of your official acceptance letter from the University/college you are planning to attend in the Fall 2022 (acceptance verification letter with school seal or signature to confirm is required)

**Returning College Students (Up to age 25 and obtaining a Undergraduate Degree)**

- Must be a full time student returning to a technical school, junior college, four-year college/university.
- Must have a cumulative GPA of a 2.5 or higher. **The official transcript should be sealed from the college/university. “Fall Semester in Progress” must be listed on the official transcript.**
- Three (3) letters of recommendations  
Letters of recommendations come from school advisor, professors, and Dean of Major.  
**All letters of recommendations must have original handwritten signatures and dated.**
- Small picture (3x5) or (4x6) and a brief biography

**Application Essay: All applicants must write an essay on one of the following topics.  
Essay must be typed, doubled spaced and 300 to 500 words.**

**Topic A:** During the COVID pandemic, many people have taken the opportunity to shift their priorities and identify new paths for themselves. How has the COVID pandemic changed you and why?

**Topic B:** If there was a dream course that could be taught at the college, what would it be and how would you hope it would shape your career?



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Please type or print clearly

Please Circle One: High School Applicant (OR) Returning Student Applicant

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ (Example: 01/23/1967) Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Current School where enrolled/attending in the fall: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Current GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

School, Community, Church or Organizational Activities:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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Honors, Awards, and Other Achievements:

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PLEASE USE ADDITIONAL PAPER IF NEEDED

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Parent/Guardian signature is required if applicant is 17 and under)

**Notes**

**All qualifying documentation must be received or postmarked by June 24, 2022.**

**Once you have been notified that you are a Scholarship recipient, you will need to submit a copy of your validation letter by August 26, 2022 in order to receive your award.**

**Mail your completed application package to:  
Betty J. Hunter Bazemore Scholarship Fund  
PO Box 427  
Spotsylvania, VA 22553**

**For more information, please  
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## **Betty J. Hunter Bazemore Scholarship Application Checklist**

**Your application package must include:**

- Completed application (Signed and Dated)**
- Official/sealed transcript**
- Essay**
- Acceptance letter from school (technical, college/university) you will attend**
- Three Recommendation Letters (All with original handwritten signatures and dated)**
- Small (3x5) or (4x6) Picture**
- Brief Biography**

**Application Package must be postmarked to P.O. Box by June 24, 2022.**

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