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JOEL BIEBER FIRM SCHOLARSHIP

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The Joel Bieber Firm recognizes that education beyond the high school years can play a key role in a young person's personal growth and eventual career success. The Joel Bieber Firm encourages and supports the pursuit of higher education; therefore, this year we are pleased to announce The Joel Bieber Firm Scholarship.

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Program Overview

- The Joel Bieber Firm strives to place a high value on the furthering of education in the communities in which the Joel Bieber Firm does business. The Joel Bieber Firm Scholarship will honor high school students and rising college freshmen in the State of Virginia who have shown determination in continuing their education.
- The 3 Scholarship recipients will be eligible to receive a scholarship in the amount of \$2,000 each sent directly to the college or university the recipient plans to attend.
- Winners will be recognized on the Joel Bieber Firm's website (JoelBieber.com) as well as other methods of public advertising. Students and Parents are required to sign a publicity release.

Eligibility

Applicants must be:

- Current high school (or home-schooled) seniors in the State of Virginia.
- Rising College Freshmen in the State of Virginia (2021 high school graduate who took a gap year due to the Covid-19 Pandemic)
- U.S. Citizens; U.S. Nationals; U.S. Permanent Residents, Temporary Residents (in a legalization program.)
- Anticipating completion of high school diploma at the time of application
- Planning to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution
- Carrying a minimum 3.00 GPA at the end of their junior year of high school

Applicants may not:

- Be children or grandchildren of employees, attorneys or owners of The Joel Bieber Firm

What you need to submit

- A completed **Joel Bieber Firm Scholarship** application signed by the student and his or her parent or guardian
- One **typed essay**, maximum of 800 words and minimum of 500 words.
- A **letter of recommendation** from a teacher or guidance counselor
- A signed **publicity release** form
- A **high school transcript**
- A **picture** that best represents who you are

When is this due?

All materials must be submitted by **Tuesday June 14th, 2022.**

How do I submit my application?

Applications can be **mailed** to:

The Joel Bieber Firm, c/o Jordan Burris
6806 Paragon Place, Suite 100, Richmond, VA 23230

Or

Submitted via email to:

Jordan Burris at jburris@joelbieber.com

Subject line must be "Your Name - JBF Scholarship Application 2022"

Please attach all of the required files to the email.

Any Questions?

For more information, please contact Jordan Burris by email at jburris@joelbieber.com

When will the winners be announced and how?

The winners will be announced on our Facebook, Instagram, and website on **Thursday June 30th, 2022**

Application, Part 1- Let's get to know one another

Please print or type. All questions must be filled out for the application to be considered.

Name

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Phone Number

Email Address

Age

Birth Date

Name of Parent(s) or Guardian(s)

Name of High School

Name of Guidance Counselor

School Address

City

State

Zip Code

School Phone Number

GPA (Include Scale)

Is your school..... Public Private Parochial

Are you currently a high school senior? Yes No

Gender: Male Female

How did you learn about this scholarship program? _____

Name of College or University you plan to attend

Anticipated Major

Will you be seeking financial aid?

Yes No Unsure

Estimated annual college cost (tuition, room and board, etc.)

Application, Part 2- Community Related Activities/ Honors and Awards/ Work Experience

Please list all school and community activities in which you are involved in. Use a separate piece of paper if necessary.

	Grade Level During Involvement	Hours per Week	Position
Academic Extra-Curricular Activities			
Community Extra-Curricular Activities			
Honors and Awards			
Work Experience			

Please list any additional information that you would like us to know.

Application, Part 3- Short Essays

Please select one of the three essay prompts and type a short response that does not exceed 800 words, but also no less than 500 words. (Credit will be given based on the thoughtfulness/originality of the response; not the “right” answer, the most “moral” answer, or one that does the “greatest” good)

1. It has been said that something as small as the flutter of a butterfly’s wing can cause a typhoon halfway around the world. History is filled with such linchpins – small events or decisions that have huge effects on the future. Make your own change somewhere in history and explain the effects on the world.
2. Life is filled with lessons, some we choose to receive and some by happenstance. Tell us the best advice you have ever received, who gave it to you, and why it has stayed with you until this day? Did this advice help you reach your goals? Did it lead you in a different direction? Did you follow this advice?
3. If you were given the ability to add an amendment to the Constitution, what would you add? How do you think this would affect our current society? Do you think any significant historical events could have been prevented if your amendment was added when the Constitution was initially created?

Application, Part 4- Signatures

I certify that all the information provided is correct and to the best of my knowledge.

Student’s Signature

Date

Parent/ Guardian Signature
(if under the age of 18)

Date

Application, Part 5- Publicity Release

Student and parent approval for publicity on behalf of the Joel Bieber Firm Scholarship Program is required.

The undersigned hereby grants The Joel Bieber Firm the right and privilege to use, record, dub, reproduce, perform, represent, exhibit, televise, transmit and simulate the undersigned's name, likeness, photograph and voice throughout the world in any manner and form and by methods and process and through any media now or hereafter known devised.

Student Approval

I hereby waive all rights to compensation in return for publicity and exposure afforded me during and after the participation in the Joel Bieber Firm Scholarship Program.

Name (Print Please)

Signature

Student Address

City

State

Zip Code

Parent or Guardian Approval

I am (We are) the parent(s) or guardians(s) of the student named above and have the right to execute this document in his/her name.

Name (Print Please)

Signature

Parent/ Guardian Address

City

State

Zip Code

Do you have everything?

- Completed Joel Bieber Firm Scholarship Application?
- Typed short answer question?
- Letter of Recommendation?
- Publicity Release?
- High school transcript?
- Picture best representing who you are?