



**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Craven County Jaycees**

To continue their commitment to the future of our community, the Craven County Jaycees will award one \$1,000 scholarship to a Craven County area high school senior or graduate student who is planning to attend a two- or four-year college or university or graduate program.

To be eligible you must:

1. Be a relative of an active and/or past Jaycee and/or JCI Senator.
2. Be a senior at an accredited high school within the Craven County School District. or be enrolled in a Graduate Program at a two- or four year college or university.
3. Live within the Craven County School Tax District.
4. Have a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.50 (4.0 scale)
5. Plan to attend a two- or four year college or university or graduate program.

The scholarship will be:

1. A one-time \$1,000 award.
2. Automatically credited to the recipient's tuition bill, books or room and board.

To apply you must:

Prepare the following documents. Please list your name and the name of the sponsor Jaycee Club on the upper right-hand corner of all materials.

1. Submit a brief autobiography, no longer than two pages describing; your academic strengths and challenges, your work experiences and career objectives.
2. Submit a detailed statement of intent, no longer than two pages describing; your reasons for applying for this scholarship, your proposed field of study and future career plans.
3. Complete Scholarship Application and sign
4. Applicants should have two academic instructors or appropriate employers/supervisors complete the Applicant Appraisal section (page 3).
5. Provide original transcripts from all high school and/or post-secondary colleges or universities attended. (Should include class rank, current academic average and any ACT/SAT scores. Transcription should be in a sealed envelope and attached at the end of your application.

All applications will remain confidential.

Applicant should be prepared for personal interviews at the discretion of the selection committee.

Failure to submit any of these materials will result in the disqualification of your application.

Deadline for application is April 15th

Applications will be reviewed based on the following criteria (listed in order of priority)

1. Overall quality of written statements
2. Record of community service
3. Academic Achievement

**THE CRAVEN COUNTY JUNIOR CHAMBER
Craven County Jaycees**

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New Bern, NC 28564

252/636-0303 Jaycee Voicemail 252-633-6590 fax

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Applicant Data

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Initial _____

Phone () _____ Email address: _____

Home Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year) _____ Parent(s) or Guardians Name: _____

Age (as of September 30, 2006) _____ Gender Male Female

Intended College or University _____

Have you received any other grant or scholarship? ____ Please list: _____

Educational History

High School(s) _____ Dates attended (month/year) _____ Diploma or equivalent
 (name and location) From To Yes No

Post-Secondary or University Level (Include any studies planned between now and scholarship term; list planned or most recent studies first)

1. _____
 Institution Name _____ City/Town _____ State _____

Dates Attended (Month/Year) _____ Field of Study _____ Specify Degree or Certificate _____ Received/Expected _____

2. _____
 Institution Name _____ City/Town _____ State _____

Dates Attended (Month/Year) _____ Field of Study _____ Specify Degree or Certificate _____ Received/Expected _____

School Activities

List all school activities in which you have participated during the past three years (e.g., student government, music/drama, sports, clubs, etc.)
 Indicate all special awards and honors. List all leadership positions and offices held. Check academic years during which you participated.

Activity	03	04	05	Special Awards/ Honors	Leadership Positions/ Offices Held	03	04	05
	-	-	-			-	-	-
	04	05	06			04	05	06

What is your main interest of study? _____

Community and Volunteer Activities

List all community and volunteer activities in which you have participated in the past three years (e.g. United Way, Red Cross, youth group, Big Brothers/ Big Sisters, Habitat for Humanity, volunteer at nursing home, recycling project, etc.). Indicate all special awards and honors. List all leadership positions and offices held. Do not list any paid work. Check academic years during which you participated.

Activity	01	02	03	Special Awards/ Honors	Leadership Positions/ Offices Held	01	02	03
	- 02	- 03	- 04			- 02	- 03	- 04

Please indicate how you see your role as a volunteer in the community? _____

What do you think are the three most pressing needs in the community? _____

Work Experience

Describe your work experience during the past three years. Indicate dates of employment in each job and approximate number of hours worked each week.

Name of Company/Position	DATES		Hours per Week
	From Mo./Yr.	To Mo./Yr.	

Do you plan to work while attending college? _____

Applicant Appraisal (required)

To be completed by two academic instructors or appropriate employers/supervisors.

You have been asked to provide information in support of this application. Please give immediate and serious consideration to the following statements. When complete, please return to applicant, or photocopy this section and return to applicant in a sealed envelope.

The applicant=s achievements reflect his/her ability
 extremely well very well moderately well not well

The quality of the applicant=s commitment to school and community is
 excellent good fair poor

The applicant is able to seek, find, and use learning resources
 extremely well very well moderately well not well

The applicant demonstrates curiosity and initiative
 extremely well very well moderately well not well

The applicant demonstrates good problem-solving skills, follows through, and completes tasks
 extremely well very well moderately well not well

The applicant=s respect for self and others is
 extremely well very well moderately well not well

Comments: _____

In your opinion, why should the applicant be awarded the Craven County Jaycee Scholarship?

Name of Reference		Title (if applicable)	
Business Address	City	State	Zip Code
Phone ()		Email Address:	
In what capacity have you known the applicant?		How long have you known the applicant?	
Signature		Date	

The applicant is responsible for submitting all materials on time. Applications must be submitted to the Craven County Jaycee Scholarship Selection Committee, PO Box 3471, New Bern, NC 28564 by **April 15th**. Applications will not be returned to applicants.

I have read and understand the scholarship requirements, and if selected, will meet them. ***If not signed, applicant will not be considered.***

All applicants will receive written notice of the results of their application no later than June 1st.

Signature of Applicant Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian Date

Jaycee Parent, Guardian or Relative Information

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	
Home Address	City	State	Zip Code
Day Phone ()	Work Phone ()	Relation	

Affiliated Jaycee Organization	State
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**Attach all required materials and return entire packet by April 15th to:
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