



## **BLUE FAMILY FUND**

# Blue Family Fund Inc

## Educational Scholarship Information

### **WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR ASSISTANCE?**

The Blue Family Fund has established an assistance fund for the purpose of providing educational financial assistance to approved applicants. This fund is designed to assist with financial needs up to the amount of \$1,500.00. Assistance from The Blue Family Fund will take into account the use of one's personal resources, including family assistance (such as parents, children, relatives, etc.) as well as their local community network (such as a small group, area community, etc.). Any approved funds will be made payable to the provider of the service unless The Board of Director's decides otherwise.

### **DOES MY SITUATION QUALIFY FOR THIS ASSISTANCE?**

Wise stewardship dictates that assistance be extended when unexpected and/or serious circumstances develop, creating a hardship in which the health, safety or welfare of one or more members of the household is directly affected. Typically, these hardships are the result of a job loss, an accident, illness or death in the immediate family.

### **Examples of eligible expenses may include by are not limited to:**

Educational materials- Books, hardware, supplies used in classroom, etc.  
Monthly bills – On-Campus dorm rent, meal plan, etc.

### **Examples of expenses that are typically NOT eligible include, but are not limited to:**

Attorney fees	Car payments/insurance/repairs
Repayment of loans to family/friends	Income/Property taxes
Credit card debt	Bill consolidation loans

### **WHY DO YOU NEED MY INFORMATION AND HOW WILL IT BE USED?**

Our desire is to help you. In order to assure that we are serving you in the best manner and be good stewards of the resources that have been afforded. We need to understand you and your financial circumstances. Be assured, your information will only be disclosed to those involved with your situation.

### **HOW DO I APPLY?**

1. Complete all information on the application and sign it. Include any additional documentation that is requested, such as your lease or mortgage agreement, bank statements, billing statements or any other related documents pertaining to your financial request.
2. Complete a 500 word essay that describes your how being a member of a Law Enforcement family has affected your life, your educational desires and the hope for your future.
3. Mail, email, fax or deliver this information to the main office of The Blue Family Fund Inc. Please know that your request will normally take 2-3 days to evaluate and process. It may take longer when information provided is difficult to confirm. You should advise those you list, that you have made this application.

# EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please answer each question completely and accurately  
( Print or Type ONLY )

## Personal Information

Full Legal Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last name First Name Middle Name

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Number Street Name Apt #

City State Zip

School Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Number Street Name Apt #

City State Zip

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

Driver's Lic / ID # \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Soc Sec # \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # School \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

(Check One) I am a  U.S Citizen  U.S National  Resident Alien (Expecting citizenship by the date of award)

List of active Social Networking Sites(Social media): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

Where Parent/Guardian Employed: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership in civic organizations: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Education**

High School Name \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address \_\_\_\_\_

Current Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_ on a scale of \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Graduation? \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ GED  Yes  No SAT's  Yes  No

List of Clubs/Activities/Sports/Accomplishments:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

List of Hobbies:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Will you be studying abroad?  Yes  No If Yes, Where? \_\_\_\_\_

Your desired major \_\_\_\_\_ Your desired minor \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any current College/University credits? If Yes, How many? \_\_\_\_\_

**Employment Information**

Current employer \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you worked there? From \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Previous employer \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address \_\_\_\_\_

How long did you work there? From \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**Religious Institution Information**  
( Name of Institution not Required )

How long have you attended ? \_\_\_\_ year(s) \_\_\_\_ month(s) Do you regularly attend \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Are you a volunteer at the church?  Yes  No If Yes, which area(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

**Financial Information**

Are you currently/soon to be in ANY financial default?  Yes  No If Yes, why? \_\_\_\_\_

What steps have you taken to resolve the situation? \_\_\_\_\_

List individuals you have contacted and asked for Educational Financial Assistance:

Family Member \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Their response \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Family Member \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Their response \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Friend \_\_\_\_\_ Years known \_\_\_\_\_

Their response \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Agencies/Other \_\_\_\_\_

Their response \_\_\_\_\_

How much money are you requesting? \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_

## Household Expenses & Income Information

EXPENSES	\$ PER MONTH	INCOME	\$ PER MONTH
Rent/Mortgage		Yourself (after taxes)	
Electric		Others in household (after taxes)	
Gas (home)		Child support	
Water		Unemployment compensation	
Car payment(s)		Social security (SS)	
Car insurance		Supplemental security income (SSI)	
Gas (auto)		Supplemental security disability income (SSDI)	
Bus fare		Supplemental disability income (SDI)	
Groceries		Retirement savings	
Phone		Food stamps	
Cell phone		Family/Friends support	
Pager		Rentals (i.e. equip/furniture)	
Child care		Clothing	
Child support		Entertainment	
Alimony		Doctor or dentist bills	
Court ordered judgments		Cable	
Credit cards		Other:	
Loan payment		Other:	
<b>Total =</b>		<b>Total =</b>	

By signing below, I certify that the statements made above and, on any attachment(s), are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I give permission to The Blue Family Fund Inc to make inquiries as needed to determine if they are able to assist me.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

