



CFVI 2007 UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION GUIDELINES

- ANNA WALSH SCHOLAR AWARDS
- ARTRELLE M. WHEATLEY SCHOLARSHIP (UVI only)
 - CORAL WORLD SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP
 - THEODORE E. SHARP SCHOLAR AWARD
- TUNICK FAMILY BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP (UVI only)

Qualifications: To qualify for a CFVI scholarship, a student must:

- be a graduate of a high school in the U.S. Virgin Islands;
- be currently enrolled in or have applied for admission to, an accredited four-year institution with a program leading to a Bachelor's degree;
- if some college is required for the scholarship, a student must have completed at least 2 semesters of study by June, 2007 with a minimum 2.5 GPA;
- demonstrate financial need.

Proof of Financial Need:

Part II of the application includes a financial statement, which shows income, expenses, debts, and other financial data. To evaluate a student's financial eligibility for scholarship aid, parents, guardians and/or scholarship applicant, as appropriate, must complete this statement. **FINANCIAL INFORMATION WILL BE STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL.**

Procedures: This completed application **MUST INCLUDE** (* clear copies acceptable):

- _____ Virgin Islands high school diploma *
- _____ birth or baptismal certificate *
- _____ a recent photograph (with permission to use the photo if the student is awarded a scholarship)
- _____ most recent certified tax return(s) for parents/guardians and/or student (as applicable) *
- _____ official current college transcript if applicable (copy of current semester grades should be submitted when available.)
- _____ financial aid award package letter from college financial aid office. (if not available at deadline, submit as soon as received) *
- _____ two letters of reference (one must be an academic reference)
- _____ a short personal statement (500 words or less)
- _____ a photocopy of your FAFSA (free application for federal student aid) application

NOTE: Part 1, Page 4 MUST BE SIGNED

This completed application and **all** the above documentation should be mailed to:

Chairperson, Scholarship Committee
Community Foundation of the Virgin Islands
PO Box 11790, St. Thomas, VI 00801

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 2007



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Part I - To be completed by student. Please print all information. Applicants may submit **ONLY ONE** application but may request consideration for all awards for which they are eligible.

University of the Virgin Islands ONLY

- **ARTRELLE M. WHEATLEY SCHOLARSHIP:** Will provide one year's full tuition to the *University of the Virgin Islands* to a student with an outstanding record in community service who will have completed two semesters at UVI by June.
- **TUNICK FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP:** Will provide \$1,000 assistance for a student at the *University of the Virgin Islands* with academic excellence and financial need who is pursuing an undergraduate degree in business.

Any accredited college or university

- **ANNA WALSH SCHOLAR AWARDS:** Approximately \$10,000 will be disbursed this year in one-year, renewable grants to students enrolled in *any accredited college or university* who will have completed two semesters by June.
- **CORAL WORLD SCHOLARSHIP:** Will provide a scholarship of \$3,500 to a student pursuing a four-year degree in science in *any accredited college or university*. First consideration will be given to applicants in the fields of environmental science or marine biology
- **THEODORE E. SHARP SCHOLAR AWARDS:** A total of \$2,000 in awards will be granted to students with outstanding records in community service that have applied to, or are already enrolled in *any accredited college or university*.

Please carefully read the scholarship descriptions and check the award(s) for which you are eligible and for which you wish to be considered:

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- _____ Artrelle M. Wheatley Scholarship
- _____ Tunick Family Business Scholarship

Any accredited college or university

- _____ Anna Walsh Scholar Award
- _____ Coral World Science Scholarship
- _____ Theodore E. Sharp Scholar Award

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Name: _____ Date: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Gender: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Mailing Address:

Home: _____ College: _____

Married? Yes _____ No _____
Children? Yes _____ No _____
If yes, how many? _____

Name of school you are currently attending: _____

Name of school counselor who helped you apply for this scholarship: _____

If requested by the scholarship committee, what date(s) would you be available for an interview on St. Thomas: _____

What is your field of study or proposed field of study: _____

If you are not currently a college student, to what colleges have you applied? List in order of your preference.

1. _____ Accepted? Yes ___ Don't know _____

2. _____ Accepted? Yes ___ Don't know _____

3. _____ Accepted? Yes ___ Don't know _____

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Proposed Budget of Applicant for 2007/8 Academic Year
(This budget must be complete.)

STUDENTS AVAILABLE FUNDS:

- 1. Annual family contribution \$ _____
- 2a. Student earnings, summer _____
- 2b. Student earnings, school year _____
- 3. Student savings _____
- 4. Student loans _____
- 5. Scholarships/grants/etc. _____
- 6. Other resources (explain) _____
- TOTAL A: _____

EXPENSES:

- Tuition (annual) _____
- Room & Board _____
- Books & Supplies _____
- Fees & Dues _____
- Travel _____
- Other Expenses (explain) _____
- TOTAL B: _____

Funding needed: (subtract Total B from Total A): \$ _____

1a. Financial aid/grants/scholarships which you have received, or for which you have applied, for the coming year (state the source, \$ amount, and duration):

- _____ \$ _____ applied _____ received _____
- _____ \$ _____ applied _____ received _____
- _____ \$ _____

(enter total from Item 5, above) TOTAL: \$ _____

1b. Loans received, or for which you have applied (Source, \$ amount, duration):

- _____ \$ _____ applied _____ received _____
- _____ \$ _____ applied _____ received _____
- _____ \$ _____

(enter total from Item 4, above) TOTAL: \$ _____

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2. Will you have summer employment? Yes _____ No _____
If yes, how much will you earn? \$ _____ (enter on page 2, item 2a.)
Will you work during the school year? Yes _____ No _____
If yes, how much will you earn? \$ _____ (enter on page 2, item 2b)

3. Where will you work this summer? _____
If you will not be working, what will you do?

4. Are you participating in any extra curricular activities? Explain:

5. What does community service mean to you?

6. What future plans do you have after college graduation?

7. Please submit a short personal statement (no more than 500 words).

If granted an award, I understand that I have a moral obligation to make a reasonable effort, if and when I become financially able, to replace all or part of the award so that it may be used to assist some other deserving student in the future.

Date: _____ Signature: _____
*(Applicant **must** sign in order to qualify)*

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5. Home: Own _____ Rent _____ Monthly payment: _____
(rent or mortgage)
6. Present market value of all other real estate \$ _____
Mortgage balance: \$ _____
Rental income: \$ _____
7. Present market value of any other investments (Stocks, bonds, etc.)
\$ _____
8. Outstanding Loans: Monthly payments # Months remaining to pay

9. Car: (1) Own _____ Lease _____ Monthly payment \$ _____
Car: (2) Own _____ Lease _____ Monthly payment \$ _____
10. Dollar contribution to student's support: \$ _____

Please use the space below to provide additional information or explanation helpful in determining need for financial aid:

Signature of parents and/or guardians (or applicant if financially independent):

Name: _____ Signature: _____

Name: _____ Signature: _____

Date: _____

REMINDER: This form, along with all supporting documents, must accompany the student's completed application. All must be mailed to **CFVI, P.O. Box 11790, St. Thomas, VI 00801**, and **postmarked no later than Friday, April 13, 2007**