



## Red Torch Scholarship Application Checklist

### ✔ Completed Application Form

- Ensure all fields are filled out accurately.

### ✔ Official High School

- Must include the most recent grades.
- Should be uploaded in PDF format.

### ✔ Letter of Recommendation

- Must be from a teacher, counselor, employer, or mentor.
- Should be signed and on official letterhead.

### ✔ Personal Essay

- An essay that explains how your college education will prepare you to positively impact your community.
- Format: 500-750 words, double-spaced, 12-pt font.

### ✔ FAFSA Student Aid Report (SAR)

- Upload a copy of your FAFSA submission showing the Expected Family Contribution (EFC).

### ✔ Recent Photo

- Professional or high-quality headshot preferred.

### ✔ Parent/Guardian Information

- Ensure all contact details are provided correctly.

### ✔ Proof of College Enrollment or Admission

- A copy of an acceptance letter or current enrollment verification for applicants attending a college, community college, or vocational school.

**Deadline:** April 30, 2025

**Submission Method:** Submit application online at [www.bacdst.org/Scholarship](http://www.bacdst.org/Scholarship)

