

2017 Atlantic Coast Bank Scholarship Rules



The Atlantic Coast Bank Scholarship began in 1988 to honor the memory of Waycross, GA, student Charlye Dixon. It was created to show Atlantic Coast Bank's support for education and to help qualified customers with college tuition. The bank has awarded thousands of dollars over the years. This year, two scholarships of \$500 will be awarded.

ELIGIBILITY:

Any customer who will graduate from high school in 2017 and will be attending an accredited college in 2017 Summer/Fall is eligible. Scholarship eligibility criteria also include:

- Applicant must be a customer of Atlantic Coast Bank. A customer is defined as a person with any loan or deposit account at Atlantic Coast Bank. *New customers are eligible too!*
- Applicant must be a High School Senior.
- Applicant must be enrolling in an accredited college in Summer/Fall 2017.
- The deadline to apply for the scholarship is April 7, 2017. All applications must be submitted electronically to:
DistGroup-Marketing@AtlanticCoastBank.net
- Applicants related to an employee of Atlantic Coast Bank are not eligible.

SELECTION PROCESS & TIMELINE:

All applications will be reviewed by a panel of judges and finalists will be selected. From the selected group of finalists, a winner or winners will be chosen.

- All applicants will be notified of their status during the week of April 10, 2017
- Subsequently, all finalists will be required to submit supporting documentation, as outlined below, to Atlantic Coast Bank by 5:00 pm EST on May 1, 2017
- Winner(s) will be announced on May 6, 2017.
- Award will be deposited into the customer's Atlantic Coast Bank account by May 7, 2017; contingent upon receipt of a headshot photo for media use.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION:

Keep in mind, if an applicant becomes a finalist, he or she will be required to submit the following documents to Atlantic Coast Bank April 28, 2017.

1. Signed Scholarship Rules.
2. Acceptance letter to an accredited college or university.
3. Applicant must have applied for financial aid at an accredited college or completed a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by application deadline. This means that prior to April 28, 2017, the applicant must have already completed and mailed financial aid forms or submitted it online. If the applicant is

- selected as a finalist, he or she will be required to provide Atlantic Coast Bank with a copy of the Student Aid Report in order to show financial need.
4. Applicant must submit an official high school transcript to Atlantic Coast Bank.
 5. Applicant must have taken the SAT or ACT and must supply Atlantic Coast Bank with the official results. (Scores provided on an official high school transcript will be accepted)
 6. Applicant must supply two letters of recommendation from a source other than a relative.

All finalists should submit paperwork to:

Atlantic Coast Bank
 ATTN: Marketing
 4655 Salisbury Road
 Suite 110
 Jacksonville, FL 32256

or email to: DistGroup-Marketing@AtlanticCoastBank.net

- All documentation must be mailed to the above address and not delivered to any Atlantic Coast Bank branch locations.
- Only eligible applicants and finalists who have completed all of the above will be qualified to win.

OTHER INFORMATION:

- The Scholarship judging criteria includes: SAT/ACT score, high school grade point average, school/community involvement, honors and awards, and financial need.
- The scholarship winner(s) will be announced on May 3, 2017 and awarded by May 7, 2017.
- Two scholarships of \$500 will be deposited into the winner(s) Atlantic Coast Bank account(s).
- The winner(s) will be required to submit a headshot photo to Atlantic Coast Bank for media use and sign a photo release giving Atlantic Coast Bank the rights to use the photo.
- There is no restriction to applicant’s county of residence.

I have read and agree to the above terms and conditions.

If applicant is under the age of 18, the signature of a Parent/Legal Guardian is also required.

 Signature of Applicant

 Printed Name of Applicant

 Date

 Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

 Printed Name of Parent/Legal Guardian

 Date

2017 Atlantic Coast Bank Scholarship Application



Personal Information	
First Name:	
Middle Initial:	
Last Name:	
Address:	
City, State Zip:	
Social Security Number:	
Date of Birth:	
Gender (Male or Female):	
Daytime Phone Number:	
E-Mail Address (required):	
Are you an Atlantic Coast Bank customer?	
<i>If you don't have an account with Atlantic Coast Bank, you may open one to meet this requirement.</i>	
School Information	
Name of High School:	
City, State of High School:	
Graduation Date (mm/yyyy):	
Current Cumulative GPA Weighted:	
Current Cumulative GPA Un-weighted:	
SAT/ACT Scores:	
Name of accredited college accepted to/ plan on attending Summer/Fall 2017:	
Intended College Major/Area of Study:	
Family Information	
Father's Name:	
Father's Employer:	
Mother's Name:	
Mother's Employer:	
Number of Siblings:	
Ages of Siblings:	
Descriptive Information (limit 300 words per request)	
Please provide a brief summary of extracurricular and community activities.	
Please list any awards, honors, or recognitions you have received during high school.	
Please provide any additional information you would like the judges to consider in rendering a decision.	