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**HCEF Presents 2022-2023**

**Hernando County Education Foundation**

**Pursuing Teaching Scholarship Application**

**Qualifications:**

\*Must be enrolled in a public school as a senior

**\***Must have a 2.5 GPA or higher on 4.0 Scale

\*Must attend college at a Community College or 4-year University/College with minimum of 12 credits (FT)

\*Financial award may be used towards any qualified educational expense.

\* Must attend Hernando Public or Charter School

\* Must be pursuing Teaching career

**Please send completed application package to:**

Hernando County Education Foundation

Attention: Tammy Brinker

900 Emerson Rd. Brooksville FL 34601

Phone: 352-797-7313 ext.0

[brinker\_t@hcsb.k12.fl.us](http://www.hernandoeducationfoundation.org)

**\*Deadline Date: May 12th, 2023**

**The Hernando County Education Foundation Pursuing Excellence Scholarship is a one-time scholarship at**

**$500 (one semester) for 2 qualified students.**

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Student E-Mail:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Parent/Guardian Place of Employment:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Male Female Weighted GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ACT\_\_\_\_\_\_ SAT\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Do you qualify for free and/or reduced school lunch: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ No Current Grade: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Current High School:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Intended Career Focus:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Name and Address of University/College/Vo-tech accepted into at time of application:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Please mark one of the following: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_4-year University/College \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Community College**

**\*I understand that information including my name, high school, college major, photo and other relevant information may**

**be released to potential donors.**

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**Student Signature Date**

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**Parent/Guardian Signature** **Date**

**Essay**:

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**Administrator Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Administrator Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Creating partnerships that advance student achievement and promote excellence within Hernando County Public Education.

**Submission Requirements:**

* Handwritten applications will **NOT** be accepted. (No exceptions)
* Completed Application & Essay
* Copy(ies) of College Acceptance Letters
* Two Letters of Recommendation & Copy High School Transcript(s)

**Scholarship Essay Portion**

* **Write a 750-word essay answering the following questions: What inspires you want to become a teacher? What changes do you see in the next 5 years for teachers?**