



Orleans/Niagara Board of Cooperative Educational Services Teachers Association

Application for the Kristin B. Sterling Scholarship

- **The Award**

The BOCESTA scholarship is an award paid directly to students on a one-time only basis. The scholarship is in the form of one \$400.00 award. Payments will be made to the college or university on behalf of the individual. If the applicant or their family pays the school directly, reimbursement will be subject to proof of payment.

- **Eligibility**

Applicant must be a high school senior enrolled at the Niagara Academy who is planning on continuing their education at a technical, occupational or academic institution after graduation.

- **Application Process**

Applicants must use this application. Responses should be typed or printed clearly, using only the space provided on this form. Submissions should include only requested material; additional documents will not be considered. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

- A current, official high school transcript
- Proof of attendance at the Niagara Academy
- A typed 300-600 word essay (details in application form)
- Two letters of recommendation

- **Selection Process**

The BOCESTA scholarship committee will determine recipients based on consideration of academic achievement, extracurricular and community service activities, essay, letters of recommendation and application statement.

- **Application Deadline**

To be considered, applications must be received no later than **Friday, May 12, 2017.**

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• **Scholarship Application Information**

Applicant will not be considered unless all information is **completed in full on this form only** and all requested documentation is provided.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip code _____

Telephone Number () _____

Email address _____

High School _____ Anticipated Graduation Date ____/____/____

Name of Institution You Plan to Attend _____.

Course of study: _____

High School Honors and Awards:

(Please list honors and awards and years of participation. Use this space only)

Examples: honor roll, National Honor Society, Principals awards, science awards, student/athlete awards, Eagle Scout classification, etc.

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| 1. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 7. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 8. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 9. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ |

High School Activities

(Please list high school activities and years of participation. Use this space only)

Examples: sports teams, clubs, band, drama, choral, orchestra, yearbook/school newspaper, etc.

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| 4. _____ | 9. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ |

Community Activities and Volunteer Work:

(Please list community activities and volunteer work and years of participation. Do NOT list one time activities or events. Use this space only)

1. _____	6. _____
2. _____	7. _____
3. _____	8. _____
4. _____	9. _____
5. _____	10. _____

Work Experience:

(Please list each job separately with the year(s) employed. Only jobs of more than 10 hours per week should be listed. Use only this space.)Examples: part-time jobs, including babysitting.

1. _____	6. _____
2. _____	7. _____
3. _____	8. _____
4. _____	9. _____
5. _____	10. _____

• **Essay**

Please use a separate sheet of paper to respond to the following question. **Your response should be typed, between 300 to 600 words, and include your full name in the top right hand corner of you answer sheet. Points will be deducted if the responses are not typed.**

Question:

You have elected to continue your education and have selected a career path. What are your educational objectives and why did you select your college career path? Also if you have had hardships or extenuating circumstances that have limited involvement in any of the above listed activities make sure to address them in your essay.



Sponsor Variation Form

Signature of Niagara Academy Instructor: _____ Date _____