



The Barnes Group Foundation Scholarship Program

Dear Barnes Employee,

We are happy to announce that we are currently accepting applications for our Barnes Group Foundation Scholarship Program! The Barnes Group Foundation Scholarship Program is designed to assist the children of Barnes employees who plan to pursue post-secondary education by enrolling in college or a technical vocational program. The program is open to all worldwide employees, and scholarships will be awarded for graduate study as well as undergraduate.

In accordance with United States tax laws, we are limited to granting awards to only 25% of our eligible applicants. Remember, the more applicants we receive, the more scholarships we can grant, so please apply today! Even if you have previously applied and did not receive a scholarship, we encourage you to apply again, as you are still eligible to receive an award!

We invite you to review the guidelines found below and submit an application today!

ELIGIBILITY

- Children* of active¹ or deceased² Barnes Group, Inc. Worldwide employees.
**Eligible children are defined as, age 30 or under.*
¹ Active employees must have been employed by the company six months as of the application deadline date.
² Children of an employee who died while actively employed are eligible, provided that the employee had at least five years of service at date of death, and that the child applies for a scholarship within five years of the employee's death.
- Students who plan to enroll in full-time* undergraduate or graduate study at an accredited two-year or four-year college, university, vocational-technical or graduate school for the entire upcoming academic year.
**Brazilian students may be enrolled part-time.*

AWARDS

If selected as a recipient, the student will receive an award ranging from \$3,000 to \$10,000.

Undergraduate awards are renewable up to three years or until a bachelor's degree, or equivalent is earned, whichever occurs first. Graduate awards are renewable one time or until graduate degree is earned, whichever occurs first. Renewal is contingent upon maintaining at least a 2.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale in full-time study and continuation of the program by Barnes Group Foundation, Inc. Students who received an undergraduate award must reapply for a graduate award and may receive an award for a maximum of six years.

International students are strongly encouraged to apply. Awards can be used for qualified education related expenses (tuition, fees, books, and required supplies/equipment).

Additionally, Scholarship America will select three to five (3-5) recipients who have a GPA of 2.5 – 3.0 as long as there are qualified applicants.

APPLICATION

Interested students must complete the online application in English and upload their current, complete transcript to Scholarship America no later than the **March 3** deadline. Report cards are not acceptable. Online transcripts must show the student's name, school name, grades and credit hours earned for each course, and the cycle in which each course was taken.

Due to differences in educational systems, applicants from countries other than the United States and Canada must provide the following materials.

- English translations of all foreign language documents.
- Clear photocopies of the following educational documents from the last four years
 1. Grade records (academic record)
 2. Copy of high school credential/diploma/certificate, if obtained.
 3. Exam results.

Applicants are responsible for gathering and submitting all necessary information. Instructions for completing the Financial Data section of the application are included. Applications are evaluated on the information supplied; therefore, answer all questions as completely as possible. Incomplete applications will not be evaluated. All information received is considered confidential and is reviewed only by Scholarship America.

SELECTION OF RECIPIENTS

Scholarship recipients are selected on the basis of academic record, demonstrated leadership and participation in school and community activities, honors, work experience, statement of goals and aspirations, unusual personal or family circumstances, and an outside appraisal. Once scholarship recipients are selected, financial data is reviewed to determine the amount of each award. Recipients who do not demonstrate financial need or whose parents choose not to supply the requested financial information will be eligible to receive an honorarium at the minimum award amount.

Selection of recipients is made by Scholarship America. In no instance does any officer or employee of The Barnes Group Foundation, Inc. play a part in the selection. All applicants agree to accept the decision as final.

Applicants will be notified by June. Not all applicants to the program will be selected as recipients. Students may reapply to the program each year they meet eligibility requirements.

PAYMENT OF SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship America processes scholarship payments on behalf of The Barnes Group Foundation, Inc. Payments are made in equal installments in August. International students will receive scholarship payment via wire transfer in September. Award amounts are listed in U.S. dollars (USD) and award payments will be issued in USD. Recipients may choose to receive award payments in their local currency when available. Award payments via wire transfer are available to international students only.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Questions regarding the scholarship program should be addressed to:

Email: barnes@scholarshipamerica.org

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