

## SCARLETT FAMILY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP NEWSLETTER

PROVIDING EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT TO MIDDLE TENNESSEE STUDENTS OF ALL AGES

### Business Major? Begin your Scholarship Application today!

Deadline to apply is December 15th

Attention high school seniors and business majors!

The SFF scholarship is based on merit and financial need and is a renewable award which may be used at any 4-year school in the United States. Eligible students must have graduated high school from a [middle-TN county](#).

Rising sophomores, juniors, and seniors in college are all eligible to apply.

Our recipients are studying or have graduated from [colleges in 19 states](#).

Please visit our [scholarship page](#) for details and to begin your application today.

What do we consider a business major? Here's a partial list:

Accounting  
Advertising  
Business Administration  
Business Information Systems  
Business Management  
Economics  
Entrepreneurship  
Finance  
Global Management  
Healthcare Management  
Hospitality Management  
Human Resources  
Information Technology Management  
International Business  
Management  
Marketing  
Music Business  
Non-profit Management  
Operations Management  
Organizational Development  
Project Management  
Public Relations  
Sports Management  
Supply Chain Management

If it's not included on this list, explain how you'd like to use your chosen major when answering the required essay question: Why do you want to be a business leader?

### NEW! Tennessee Promise Scholarships



Apply now through November 1st

Tennessee Promise offers two years of **tuition-free** community or technical college to Tennessee high school graduates beginning with the Class of 2015.

Tennessee Promise is a last-dollar scholarship, meaning it will cover college costs not met from Pell, HOPE, or TSAA.

High school seniors may apply [here](#) for the Tennessee Promise scholarship before November 1, 2014.

### Thank you!

We enjoyed visiting with you at the September college fairs at the Tennessee State Fairgrounds and the Galleria mall.



### Scholarship & Career Resources

Visit our [resources](#) page to see a list of scholarship search engines. Students are encouraged to build a profile on 2-3 search sites to maximize their exposure to the most scholarships.

#### Tips for a Successful Application

1. Start your search early. Build a profile on a scholarship search site. Ask your guidance counselor for a list of local scholarships.
2. Luck is not a strategy. Be sure you meet all qualifications before applying; this saves time.
3. Gather documents and recommendations early. Respect the time of others. You don't want to rush the person writing your recommendation.
4. Proofread your application. Spelling, grammar, and punctuation matter! Ask a teacher, a guidance counselor, a friend, or a family member to proof your application. A sloppy application tells scholarship committees that you don't care enough to offer your best effort.
5. The essay. This is the best opportunity to make your application stand out and to distinguish yourself from the rest of the "pack." Answer essay questions based on what you really believe or feel, not what you think the committee wants to hear. Reveal something about your personality and your passion; don't just restate your application.
6. Don't assume that anything is unimportant. Include everything! And details matter! Mention part-time jobs, clubs, volunteer work, marching band, drama, language, sports, youth groups, and student government.

#### Fall Deadlines

**ACT:**  
Next test 12/13  
Register by 11/7

**SAT:**  
Next test 11/8  
Register by 10/9

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