

BUNKER HILL COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION, INC.

**BHCC FOUNDATION GALA SCHOLARSHIP
For New Students**

This scholarship program was established by The Bunker Hill Community Foundation, Inc., with funds raised through the 2017 annual gala..

Award

\$2,500 per semester for a maximum of \$10,000 over 4 semesters.
This scholarship can be combined with federal (Pell) or state grants.

Eligibility Criteria

- Average grades of B or better at your most recently attended school
- Financial need as demonstrated by FAFSA
- Plan to attend BHCC full-time (12 credits or more) for Fall 2017
- Intend to complete an associate degree at BHCC by 2019 (preferably May, but August or December graduation dates are acceptable)

Participation requirements

- Commit to take at least 24-30 college-level credits during the 2017-18 academic year, which can include Summer Sessions
- Be part of a Learning Community seminar in your first or second semester
- Participate in three one-hour seminars regarding components of Life Map during the first or second semesters
- Sign a FERPA Release Form in order to allow the College to report to the Foundation on your progress toward graduation
- Agree to work no more than 12 hours per week during those semesters when you are taking 12 or more credits; if you would like a College Work Study job, we will try to arrange one for you.

The scholarship is renewable for up to four semesters, provided the student maintains a cumulative GPA of 3.0 in college-level courses, fulfills the participation requirements, and continues to demonstrate financial need as determined by a FAFSA.

HOW TO APPLY If you are interested in applying, please fill out this Application Form and submit it along with your essay and your high school or college transcript to:

***Marilyn Kuhar
Bunker Hill Community College
250 New Rutherford Avenue, Suite H150
Boston, MA 02129
no later than 4:00 p.m., Monday, July 31, 2017***

BHCC FOUNDATION GALA SCHOLARSHIP FOR NEW STUDENTS
APPLICATION FORM

NAME ___(Mr.) ___(Ms.)

Last Name First Name MI

CONTACT INFORMATION

Street Apartment

City State Zip Code

Phone E-mail

HIGH SCHOOL (or most recent academic institution) ATTENDED

Name City and State

High school diploma or certificate of completion received? ___ Yes ___ No

TRANSCRIPT

You are required to submit a transcript of your grades from the school you most recently attended.

ANTICIPATED AREA OF STUDY AT BHCC

___ Associate of Arts Degree with Concentration in _____

___ Associate of Science Degree with Concentration in _____

FAFSA

ESSAY

You are required to submit a one-page, typed statement (250 - 300 words) describing your educational and career goals and how this scholarship will help you achieve those. If you wish, you may include in your essay information about your involvement in community and/or high school activities, and honors or awards you have received.

APPLICANT'S AGREEMENT

I have read and understand the award eligibility and participation requirements. I authorize BHCC to furnish a copy of my 2017 financial aid information to the Scholarship Review Committee.

Applicant's signature _____ **Date** _____