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William C. Parker Scholarship Program
Freshman Scholarship Application 2013-2014
Postmark Deadline: January 15, 2013
The University of Kentucky has a mission and commitment to aggressively recruit and retain students from all segments of society, including African American, American Indian, Asian or Pacific Islander, Hispanic, and Alaskan Native students. Factors which are considered in the holistic evaluation of William C. Parker scholarship applications include test scores, grades, an essay, leadership experience, extracurricular activities, awards and recognition, community service and contribution to diversity.

Awards will be made based on the applicant's ranking within the competitive pool, with values ranging from $5,000 up to $15,000 per year.

The William C. Parker Scholarship is a four-year renewable award, contingent upon full-time enrollment at the University of Kentucky Lexington Campus and a minimum cumulative UK grade point average of 2.50 or better.

Unfortunately, a William C. Parker scholarship will not be offered to every excellent student who meets the requirements and applies. However, we assure each applicant that his or her application will receive consideration and fair treatment in what is a very competitive process.

Criteria to apply:
Applicants must be planning to enroll on the Lexington campus as first-time freshmen in the fall semester of 2013. Incoming freshmen applicants must have a minimum unweighted cumulative GPA of 2.50 on a 4.0 scale and submit the William C. Parker Scholarship application with a 500-word essay on how the student will contribute to diversity at the University of Kentucky. In addition to the scholarship application and essay, students applying for this program must have a high school transcript with qualifying unweighted cumulative GPA on file with the Office of Undergraduate Admission by January 15, 2013.

Please note that offers will only be made to students who have been admitted to UK. Thus, applicants must submit a completed UK Admission Application to the UK Office of Undergraduate Admission.

Scholarship Application Process Timeline

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This application and the information contained herein is for the guidance of students and University personnel and does not constitute a contract or legal document. Scholarship offerings are subject to change.

The University of Kentucky is committed to a policy of providing education opportunities to all qualified students regardless of economic or social status and will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, ethnic origin, national origin, creed, religion, political belief, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, age, veteran status, or physical or mental disability. Compliance with the Title IX of the Education Amendment of 1972, which prohibits sex discrimination, and with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 is coordinated by the Equal Opportunity Office, 13 Main Bldg., University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40506-0033, (859) 257-8927.
**STUDENT INFORMATION**

Name ___________________________ UK ID # __________________

Last    First    Middle

Social Security Number ________-________-________   Telephone Number  (_______) _________-_________

Permanent Address  ____________________________________________________________________________________________

Street/Route     City

State     Zip     County

Email Address  ________________________________________________________________________________________________

**HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION**

High School  ___________________________________________________________________________(______)_______-________

Name     City, State    Telephone

High School Counselor’s Name  ________________________________ Expected Date of Graduation  ____________________

Rank in Class  ______________________________________________ Cumulative Grade Point Average  

(e.g., 5th in class of 250)              (Unweighted, based on a 4.00 scale)

**STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES** – Combined scores from two or more tests will not be considered.

**ACT Scores**

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**PSAT Scores**

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Are you a National Merit® Semifinalist?  ❑ Yes  ❑ No  Are you a National Achievement® Semifinalist?  ❑ Yes  ❑ No
Are you a Kentucky Governor’s Scholar?  ❑ Yes  ❑ No  Are you a KY Governor’s School for the Arts Graduate?  ❑ Yes  ❑ No

**COLLEGE INFORMATION**

Intended UK Major(s):  __________________________________________________________________________________________

Why have you chosen this field of study?  ___________________________________________________________________________

____________________________________________________________________________________________________________

**PARENTAL INFORMATION**

Name and address of parents or guardians:

____________________________________________________________________________________________________________

____________________________________________________________________________________________________________

MAIL TO:

William C. Parker Scholarship Program  
University of Kentucky  
100C Funkhouser Building  
Lexington, KY 40506-0054

We cannot guarantee receipt of scholarship applications mailed to any other address.

![Signature](Signature)  Date

*I understand that the application is incomplete and void unless the following documents are attached and received in the William C. Parker Scholarship Office or postmarked by January 15, 2013.*  
*(Please verify with a check mark by each item.)*

❑ Completed William C. Parker Freshman Scholarship Application  
❑ Your essay of approximately 500 words entitled,  
   "How I Will Contribute to Diversity at the University of Kentucky"  
IN ADDITION to the above documents:  
❑ I understand that my qualifying unweighted GPA of at least 2.50 on a 4.0 scale and my ACT/SAT scores must be on file with the UK Office of Undergraduate Admission by January 15, 2013.  
❑ I certify that I have applied for admission to UK and I understand that I must be admitted to the University through the UK Office of Undergraduate Admission to be considered for a William C. Parker Scholarship.  
❑ I verify that the information submitted is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

This application will not be accepted without your signature.
Please use the space provided and list in order of importance to you.

### Extracurricular Activities
(include school, community, and other organizations)

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### Hobbies or Other Special Interests

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### Senior Year Courses

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