

BALL STATE UNIVERSITY FRESHMAN SCHOLARSHIPS IN JOURNALISM

SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING:

Please type and answer the following questions on a separate piece of paper.

1. List positions held on student publications (if applicable).
2. List any honors and major awards received while in high school.
3. List related journalism, extracurricular or community activities.
4. Why do you want to major in journalism?
5. Write a 200-250 word essay explaining why you should receive this scholarship.

Please submit a portfolio of your recent work (paper or digital) and two letters of recommendation (one should be from your journalism adviser, if applicable).

NOTIFICATION:

Incoming freshman journalism scholarship winners will be announced at the opening session of the annual High School Journalism Day held each April on Ball State's campus. Check the Journalism Workshops Web site for the date of each year's event: <http://www.bsujournalismworkshops.com>. Applicants will also be notified via mail.

RETURN ALL MATERIALS TO:

Journalism Workshops
Department of Journalism
Ball State University
Muncie, IN 47306
765-285-8200

Scholarship postmark deadline: MARCH 1

NAME	PHONE	
ADDRESS		
PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME	PHONE	
PARENT/GUARDIAN ADDRESS		
HIGH SCHOOL	ADVISER	
ADDRESS		
PHONE	OVERALL GPA/GRADING SYSTEM	SAT/ACT SCORE

Have you been admitted to Ball State University?

The scholarship postmark deadline for high school seniors planning to attend Ball State and major in journalism, advertising or public relations is March 1. If you have any questions about the Ball State journalism scholarships, please call (765) 285-8200. The department reserves the right to adjust amounts due to available funding. Renewable scholarships are awarded as funding becomes available. Scholarship awards are contingent upon successful admission to the university. Renewable awards are contingent on continuing a major in the Department of Journalism, among other scholarship-specific requirements.

Please indicate which scholarships you are applying for. You may apply for more than one:

- Robert L. and Sherles K. Barnet Scholarship:** \$500 scholarship can be renewed for three additional years. The scholarship will be awarded to an incoming freshman declaring intentions to major in journalism. The recipient must have earned a cumulative GPA of at least a 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. He or she must maintain full-time status while receiving the scholarship. If the recipient leaves the study of journalism, he or she will no longer be eligible for the award.
- Freshman Achievement Scholarship:** One-time awards of \$500. All applicants will be considered. These non-renewable scholarships are awarded by the Department of Journalism and funded by alumni and general scholarship gifts.
- Holmes-McFadden Journalism Scholarship:** Preference will be given to an incoming minority student who plans to major in the Department of Journalism. The \$1,000 scholarship can be renewed for three additional years by maintaining a GPA of at least a 2.7 on a 4.0 scale and approval of the Ball State department chairperson.
- Louis E. Ingelhart Scholarship:** Granted by the Journalism Alumni Association; gives a \$1,500 one-time, non-renewable award to an exceptional student journalist who demonstrates outstanding high school journalism service and has a strong commitment to professional journalism.
- Michael Smith Scholarship:** \$1,000 scholarship can be renewed for three additional years. Scholarship will be awarded to an incoming freshman journalism major with an academic index of 3.0 or higher, or transfer student with a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. Minimum SAT score of 1000 (old system) or 1500 (new system), or an ACT score of 21.
- Theresa C. and Leonard S. Sogar Journalism Student Scholarship:** A one-time \$500 award established by Mrs. Francis E. Stout in honor of her father and mother. The award is for incoming freshmen to help with the cost of books and supplies. First preference is given to a Muncie resident, second preference to a non-traditional student and then to any entering journalism student.