



CHILDREN'S CANCER  
CENTER & PANERA BREAD  
KNEAD FOR KNOWLEDGE  
BEREAVED SIBLING  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION  
2023-2024

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_



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Scholarship Program benefitting  
Children's Cancer Center

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Children's Cancer Center in Partnership with Panera Bread  
and the Knead for Knowledge Scholarship Program

### GENERAL INFORMATION:

The Children's Cancer Center, with the support of Panera Bread, sponsors advanced education scholarships for Florida students that have lost a sibling due to a diagnosis of Cancer or a Chronic Blood Disorder. Scholarships are for undergraduate degrees from a public university, college, community college, vocational technical school or other approved program.

All scholarships are awarded annually.

In order to renew, applicant must reapply. Please note that scholarship renewal is not guaranteed.

All applications must be submitted no later than **March 17<sup>th</sup>**. Recipients will be chosen by a Children's Cancer Center Scholarship Committee and announced in May. Applicants may be contacted for additional information and/or personal interviews.

### SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

In order to be eligible for an advanced education scholarship, an applicant must be:

- ⌘ Loss of sibling due to a diagnosis of Pediatric Cancer or a Chronic Blood Disorder and treated in the Tampa Bay Area (All Children's Hospital- St. Pete, Outpatient Clinic-Tampa; St. Joseph's Children's Hospital; Tampa General Hospital; Moffitt Cancer Center) or resides in the Greater Tampa Bay area.
- ⌘ A current legal resident of the State of Florida.
- ⌘ Accepted by an accredited university, college, community college or vocational/technical school. ***A copy of your letter of acceptance must be included with your application.***
- ⌘ Complete the ***entire*** application and provide ***all*** requested attachments.
- ⌘ Must have a 2.0 GPA and maintain it in order to renew their scholarship.
- ⌘ Complete 20 hours of community service per year either at the Children's Cancer Center or other non-profit organization.
- ⌘ Be a positive representative of the Children's Cancer Center.

Please note that all scholarship disbursements will be sent directly to the school where the scholarship recipient will be/is attending. Checks will not be made payable directly to any student. **It is the student's responsibility to provide the correct mailing address, including specific office/department on their application.**



**Children's Cancer Center Scholarship Program 2023-2024  
APPLICATION FOR BEREAVED SIBLINGS**

Name:		Date of Birth: ___ / ___ / ___	
Parent(s) Names:			
Street Address:			
City:	State	Zip Code:	
Email address:			
Home Phone :		Work Phone:	
Cell Phone:		Other Phone:	
<b>COLLEGE INFORMATION</b>			
College attending:			
<b>** Please specify school address where scholarship checks to be sent**</b>			
Department:		Office:	
Street Address:			
City:	State	Zip Code:	
Contact Name:			
School Phone:		Student ID #:	
Current Unweighted GPA:		Projected Graduation Date:	
List your academic major(s):			
Please list your projected expenses for next year:			
Tuition: \$ _____		Room/Board: \$ _____	
Books: \$ _____		Lab	
Other: \$ _____		Fees: \$ _____	

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

Agency where you completed service hours:

Supervisor Name:

Contact Number:

Hours Completed in a year:

Examples of activities you assisted with:

### ESSAY TOPIC QUESTIONS ~ Must be at least 250 words/No more than 500 words

Submit a typed response to one of the following writing prompts:

\* **Must provide a cover sheet which includes: Full Name, Topic Question and Word Count**

1. Write about a moment that has impacted your life plans, goals, or thoughts for the future.
2. What traits do you possess that will enhance your education or future career?

#### Essay will be scored on the following (1-5 scale) :

- Quality of Content:
  1. Random information, unclear support (score would be a 1)
  2. Clear topic, well focused, very detailed (score would be a 5)
- Structure/Grammar:
  1. No structure or introduction, multiple spelling errors (score would be a 1)
  2. Well-structured essay with no grammatical errors (score would be a 5)

I verify that the above information and all enclosures included with this application are accurate.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are chosen, by our committee, as a 2023-2024 scholarship recipient, you will be notified by the end of April and invited to the Panera Bread Knead for Knowledge Scholarship Dinner on June 15th.



**2023-2024 Bereaved Sibling Scholarship Application  
Financial Information**

- Please complete the information below and submit with your completed application
- You may write n/a in any category that does not pertain to you

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of parents completing form below: \_\_\_\_\_

**Assets**

Taxable Assets	
Description	Current Value
Savings	
CDs	
Bonds	
Mutual Funds	
Stocks	

Tax-Deferred Assets	
Description	Current Value
401ks	
Annuities	
IRAs	
529 Plan	

Personal/Business Assets	
Description	Current Value
Residence	
Autos	
Personal Property	
Business Interest	

## Liabilities and Income

Liabilities				
What is the current outstanding balance of.....	Amount Owed	Payment	Interest Rate	Time Remaining
Home Mortgage				
Equity Loans				
Personal/Student Loans				
Auto Loans				
Credit Cards				

Income		
Parent #1	Last Year	This Year
Salary		
Bonus		
Other Income		

Parent #2	Last Year	This Year
Salary		
Bonus		
Other Income		

## Miscellaneous Items

Have you Completed the FAFSA	Yes	No
Are you Eligible for a Pell Grant? If so, how much?	Yes	No
Will you be receiving funds from a Florida Prepaid Plan?	Yes	No

Total number of people in your household	
Total number of Dependents under 21	
Number of Dependents enrolled in college	

Have you applied for any scholarships	Yes	No
Have you received any other scholarships	Yes	No
If yes, please list scholarships and amounts granted		
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	

Did you apply for a FL. Bright Future Scholarship	Yes	No
Did you Receive it?	Yes	No
<b>If yes, please check level.</b>		
Florida Academic Scholars	\$103 per credit hour	
Florida Medallion Scholars	\$77 per credit hour	
Gold Seal Vocational Scholars	\$77 per credit hour	

**FINAL CHECKLIST:**

- An unofficial copy of High School or College transcript
- A letter from agency where service hours were completed.
- A letter of recommendation.
- Attach college acceptance letter
- Completed financial sheet
- Attach essay sheet with full name and word count on cover sheet.
- Email a photo of yourself to [kcarpenter@childrenscancercenter.org](mailto:kcarpenter@childrenscancercenter.org)
- Email a copy of your essay, in Microsoft word format ONLY, to [kcarpenter@childrenscancercenter.org](mailto:kcarpenter@childrenscancercenter.org) (no Drop Box or PDF format accepted)

**ALL of the requested paperwork must be submitted in order to be a considered for a Panera Bread Knead for Knowledge Scholarship**

**Please make sure your form is complete and send to:**

Children's Cancer Center  
 Attention: Scholarship Committee  
 4901 W. Cypress Street  
 Tampa, FL 33607

With any questions, please Kelly Carpenter at (813) 367-5437 x 3 or  
 email: [kcarpenter@childrenscancercenter.org](mailto:kcarpenter@childrenscancercenter.org)

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