Leslie and Patrick Ballard Scholarship Application
Department of English
Application Deadline: 5:00 p.m. March 20

This application form is for high school students who have been accepted to BSU for the upcoming fall semester. Current undergraduate students download the appropriate Leslie and Patrick Ballard Scholarship Application form from the English Department website.

The Leslie and Patrick Ballard Scholarship is intended for future teachers of English. It was established by Leslie Ballard, a BSU graduate in English Education and Patrick Ballard, a BSU graduate in Political Science.

Recipients should meet all of the following four criteria, as follows:
1) Have taken honors or AP English classes in high school
2) Have a verbal SAT score of at least 650

This scholarship will be renewable a maximum of three years at the discretion of the selection committee, provided the student remains in the program, and has a minimum grade point average of 3.5 in English courses and a cumulative GPA of 3.25.

Contact the English Department Programs Office at 765-285-8415 with questions.

Please complete and submit this application to: english@bsu.edu
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Name:

SS#:

Address:

Email:

Phone:

High School:_______________________________________________________

Expected Graduation Date____________________

List all honors or AP English classes taken in high school:

Verbal SAT score__________

In addition to completing this form, attach a maximum 500 word essay describing your career goals and why you chose to be an English teacher. Also enclose an official high school transcript of your academic studies, a copy of your SAT score report, and letters of recommendation from two English teachers. List the names of the faculty members whom you have requested letters from:

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Please direct your recommenders to submit their letters to english@bsu.edu.

Applicant’s Signature:_______________________________ Date:_______________