# **Bluebonnet Home Scholars Collaborative**

2026–27 Scholarship Application

With gratitude to kind benefactors, BHSC is pleased to offer a BHSC Scholarship Award to a family or families who otherwise would not be able to afford to enroll in the BHSC classes they'd like their students to take.

## **Eligibility Requirements**

The Bluebonnet community is proud to include families from a wide variety of places of origin, walks of life, and cultural backgrounds. We warmly welcome scholarship applicants who share the <u>BHSC vision</u>, who affirm <u>BHSC Creed & Principles</u>, and who agree to fulfill the <u>parent/guardian responsibilities</u>. To be eligible for the scholarship award, the applicant must also submit all three parts of the BHSC <u>enrollment application</u> by or on April 29, 2026, attend a required information session by May 26, 2026, participate in the admissions family interview by June 7, 2026, and submit enrollment paperwork and registration fees by June 15, 2026. The scholarship will be awarded primarily based on financial need.

Receipt of scholarships is contingent on students upholding the code of conduct including the agreement to come prepared to each class with supplies in hand and homework completed—repeatedly failing to come on time and prepared for class or to uphold the code of conduct may result in loss of scholarship/withdrawal from class with no reallocation of scholarship funds.

## **How & When to Apply**

Complete and return the following application questionnaire by or on April 29, 2026. Completed applications can be sent to the Executive Director at <a href="mailto:jhartenburg@bluebonnetscholars.org">jhartenburg@bluebonnetscholars.org</a> with the subject line "Scholarship Application," and she will forward it to a neutral, out-of-state third party for evaluation. Be sure to also complete the BHSC <a href="mailto:enrollment application">enrollment application</a> by April 29 as well if you have not already applied for fall admission.

### **Award Process**

To maintain a fair review process, all scholarship applications will be reviewed by a neutral, out-of-state party who will suggest an award decision based on established criteria. The applications and suggested award decision will then be reviewed by a second neutral party to ensure an equitable process and adherence to objective award criteria.

NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY: It is the policy of BHSC to admit homeschooling families and students of any race, color, national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally made available to families and students. BHSC will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, or national or ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and/or loan programs, or any other programs.

#### **Application**

1.	What was your household's Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) in 2025 (IRS Form 1040 2025 line 11)?			
2.	How much U.S. income taxes did your household pay in 2025 (IRS Form 1040 2025 line 24)?			
3.	Has your income changed, or is it changing, in 2026 from 2025? If so, what is your current monthl household income? What do you expect it to be during the fall semester?			
	Current Monthly Income: Expected Fall Monthly Income:			

4.	assets—including current value of cash, savings, and checking, plus investment equity, business/farm equity, and/or non-residence real estate equity? (Total worth—but not your home equity or retirement savings—subtract debt (excluding mortgage.)				
5.	Do you have older children who will be enrolled at least half time in college or university during the 2026–27 academic year? If yes, how many students?				
6.	How many students would you like to enroll in BHSC for the 2026–27 academic year, and what are their grade levels for 2026–27?				
	Total number of children enrolling	:			
	Grade level of each child enrolling	:			
7.	How many BHSC classes could you afford to enroll in without financial assistance?				
8.	If cost were not an issue, how many classes would you like your student(s) to take at BHSC during the 2026–27 academic year? Check one of the following options:				
	☐ The full slate of classes on both Tuesdays and Fridays				
	☐ The full slate of classes on Tuesdays only.				
	☐ The full slate of classes on l	Fridays only.			
	☐ Only selected classes. Indic	ate how many classes:			
9. ]	Please add any comments that may h	nelp to explain how a BHSC scholar	ship would benefit your family.		
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Sig	nature of Parent/Guardian	Printed Name	Date		
Cel	l Phone	Home/Work Phone			
Str	eet Address	City, State Zip			