

## **KSBA First Degree (College) Scholarship Program**

- Two male, two female seniors
- \$2,500 each, good to any two-year, four-year college or university, in state or out
- Non-renewable
- Nominations of one male and/or one female students per public school district selected by the school board.

### **Eligibility**

Nominees must be:

- 1) A high school senior intending to go to college
- 2) From an immediate family (parents, guardians, siblings) who has not earned a college degree
- 3) Have obtained an ACT reading score of at least 20 as a junior or senior

The one-page application with ACT reading score, age, address and verification that there is no college graduate among immediate family **must be signed by guidance counselor, board chairman and superintendent.**

KSBA will pay the scholarship directly to students' colleges of enrollment upon receipt of letter of college acceptance.

### **Award Timetable:**

Nomination deadline:	Nov. 29, 2021 (received by KSBA) Forms must be received at KSBA office/via email by close of business
Drawing:	<u>Dec. 3, 2021</u> at KSBA Board of Directors meeting
Selectees notified:	<u>Dec. 10, 2021</u> by KSBA president
Selectees' acceptance:	<u>Jan. 3, 2022</u> to executive director
Presentation:	<u>Feb. 26, 2022</u> Annual Conference luncheon
Payment:	<u>By June 1, 2022</u> **students must provide college letter of acceptance to executive director by mail or email before scholarship money can be disbursed**  <u>Aug. 4, 2022</u> Send check to colleges, with letter and copies to superintendents and parents



### **Award Timetable:**

Nomination deadline:	Monday, Nov. 29, 2021 Forms must be received at KSBA office/via email by close of business
Scholarship drawing:	First week of December 2021, conducted by Regional Chairs of KSBA's Board of Directors
Selectees notified:	Dec. 13, 2021 by KSBA president
Selectees' acceptance:	January 7, 2022 to executive director
Award presentation:	Presentations scheduled during a regular meeting of the local district's Board of Education
Scholarship payment:	Prior to Industry Certification assessment (to be administered during the first six months of the 2022 calendar year)

### **KSBA First Degree CTE Scholarship (nomination)**

The Boards of Directors of the Kentucky School Boards Association (KSBA) and the KSBA Educational Foundation will award up to \$1,000 in scholarship funding to eligible high school students in each of its 12 regions. The CTE scholarships shall be awarded to students who are currently pursuing Industry Certifications offered as part of the Kentucky Department of Education's Career and Technical Education (CTE) Career Pathways/Programs of Study. These nonrenewable scholarships will be paid directly to the student's district specifically to cover costs associated with Industry Certification assessments to be administered in the first six months of the calendar year.

Eligible nominees must be sophomores, juniors or seniors at the time of nomination. Nominees must be from immediate families (parents, guardians, siblings) whose members have not previously earned college degrees (associate or bachelor's degree). Nominees must have a cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 for the most recent grading period prior to nomination.

Any Kentucky board of education may place in nomination the names of up to two students; one male, one female. KSBA will accept receipt of the first two eligible nominations per school district by the deadline. In the event that a district submits nominations for more than one eligible male and female student nominee, KSBA will only accept the nominations of the first male and female and all other nominations will be disqualified. Scholarships will be awarded based on drawings conducted by the KSBA Board of Directors.



## KSBA First Degree Scholarship Program (nomination)

Thanks to the generous support of statewide fundraising efforts, the board of directors of the Kentucky School Boards Association will award four \$2,500 scholarships to eligible Kentucky high school seniors to attend any two- or four-year accredited college or university, in state or out. Two scholarships each will be awarded to male and female students. These nonrenewable scholarships will be paid directly to the institution of higher education upon the recipients' official admission acceptances.

Eligible students are those who would be the first members of their immediate families (parents, guardians, siblings) to receive a degree from a two- or four-year college or university. **Eligibility must be affirmed and signed by the high school guidance counselor and the school district's board chairperson and superintendent.**

**Any Kentucky board of education may place in nomination the names of up to two students, one male, one female with a minimum ACT reading score of 20.** KSBA will accept receipt of the first two eligible application forms per school district by the deadline noted below (additional forms will be disqualified). The scholarships will be awarded based on a drawing conducted by the KSBA Board of Directors at their December 2021 quarterly board meeting.

### Nomination form as certified by the high school guidance counselor

Student's Name: (**please print**) \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_ Female

Home Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ School District: \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Reading Score: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Guidance Counselor (*Print name*): \_\_\_\_\_ (*Signature*): \_\_\_\_\_

High School Guidance Counselor email address: \_\_\_\_\_

We, the undersigned, hereby affirm the nomination of this student for the KSBA First Degree Scholarship Program; that he/she is a senior in good standing at the high school; that the information included above is accurate; and that this student would be the first from his/her immediate family to earn a college degree.

**Chairman and superintendent may sign a maximum of two application forms per school district (one male and one female).**

*Signed:*

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Chairperson, local board of education	PRINT NAME	EMAIL
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Superintendent, local board of education	PRINT NAME	EMAIL
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**Return completed form to Beth Pritchett, KSBA, 260 Democrat Drive, Frankfort, KY 40601 or to [beth.pritchett@ksba.org](mailto:beth.pritchett@ksba.org).**

Nomination forms must be received at the KSBA office no later than close of business November 29, 2021.





## KSBA First Degree CTE Scholarship (nomination form)

Student's Name: (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Home Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ School District: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Guidance Counselor (Print name): \_\_\_\_\_ (Signature): \_\_\_\_\_

High School Guidance Counselor email address: \_\_\_\_\_

### CTE Program Area Information

Please provide information on the nominee's CTE program area. Refer to the document entitled "2021-2022 Valid Industry Certifications" available on the [Kentucky Department Education website](http://Kentucky Department Education website) or linked on the KSBA Educational Foundation website to complete this portion of the verification form.

Program Area/Program \_\_\_\_\_

Career Pathway/Program of Study \_\_\_\_\_ CIP Code \_\_\_\_\_

Industry Certification Name/Industry Certification Stacked Credentials \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide the cost for the assessment associated with program's industry certification \_\_\_\_\_

The signatures below affirm the selection of the nominee by the district's school board and his/her good standing in the CTE program of study.

We, the undersigned, hereby affirm the nomination of this student for the KSBA First Degree CTE Scholarship Program; that he/she is an eligible nominee in good standing at the high school; that the information included above is accurate. **Chairperson and superintendent may sign a maximum of two application forms per school district (one male and one female).**

Signed:

Chairperson, local board of education

PRINT NAME

EMAIL

Superintendent, local board of education

PRINT NAME

EMAIL

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