



NEW ENGLAND RED SOX SERVICE SCHOLARSHIPS 2017 INSTRUCTIONS

Instructions

Applications must be submitted in one email by **Friday, January 13, 2017** to nescholarship@redsox.com.

1. Complete the enclosed application, making sure to include the following supplemental materials:
 - Student Aid Report (SAR)
 - Official High School Transcript
 - Written Essay
 - Letter of Recommendation
2. Use the checklist below to assist you in making sure the information on this application is complete. Check the box as you complete each step in the application process. Please note that incomplete applications will not be reviewed.
3. Please make sure each page is **labeled** with your **school name, last name** and **page number**.
4. If possible, we kindly ask that applications and supplemental materials are scanned as a PDF in one document and emailed to nescholarship@redsox.com. Please label the document with your high school and name:

Alvirne High School – Smith, John – Application

If you need to email materials in separate documents, please label each document with your **high school, name** and the **material** and send all documents in one email:

Alvirne High School – Smith, John – Letter of Recommendation

Note: Guidance Counselors may email transcripts and letters of recommendation separately.

Checklist

I have enclosed the following documents:

- Completed Application Form (typed or handwritten in pen, please)**
- Student Aid Report (SAR)**
 - **If you have not received your SAR by January 13, 2017, please include a copy of the confirmation email received upon submitting your FAFSA and send in your SAR as soon as it becomes available.**
- Official High School Transcript**
 - Please notify the Red Sox Foundation if your high school will be sending your transcript.
- Written Essay**
- Letter of Recommendation**
 - Please notify the Red Sox Foundation if your high school will be sending your letter of recommendation.

Application Deadline: FRIDAY, JANUARY 13, 2017

Please keep a copy of all paperwork that you submit. **Applications must be emailed no later than Friday, January 13, 2017 to nescholarship@redsox.com.** The Red Sox Foundation Scholarship Committee will review applications, and decisions will be made by the end of April.





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School Information

State: _____ High School: _____ Guidance Counselor: _____

Personal Information

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____ MI: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Place of Birth: _____ Gender: _____

Race/Ethnicity (*optional*):
 African-American American Indian Asian/Pacific Islander/Indian subcontinent
 White/Caucasian African-American Hispanic Other

Home Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

Family Information

Parent/Guardian 1

Parent/Guardian 2

Name: _____

Occupation/Title: _____

Employer: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Highest Level of Education Completed:

- Less than high school
- High school diploma or GED
- Associates degree/Some college
- Bachelors degree
- Graduate degree, Masters, PhD
- Unknown

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Who do you live with? Both Parents One Parent Other: _____

Names and ages of siblings: _____

Financial Information

Please fill out this section entirely. A copy of your SAR is also required for this application.

1. 2016 Annual Household Income*: \$ _____

*From your parent/guardian(s) tax return(s).

2. Number of household members who will be in college in 2017-18: _____

3. Expected Family Contribution (EFC) from your Student Aid Report: \$ _____



Community Service Information

Please use the following tables to describe your involvement in the community, your extracurricular activities, employment and awards/recognition. If necessary, attach a separate sheet using the same format.

Community Service

ORGANIZATION	DESCRIPTION, YOUR ROLE & RESPONSIBILITIES	FROM (mm/yyyy)	TO (mm/yyyy)

Extra-Curricular Activities/Employment

ACTIVITY/EMPLOYER	DESCRIPTION, YOUR ROLE & RESPONSIBILITIES	FROM (mm/yyyy)	TO (mm/yyyy)

Recognition/Awards

RECOGNITION/AWARD	DESCRIPTION	FROM (mm/yyyy)	TO (mm/yyyy)





Academic Information

Please fill out this section entirely. An official transcript is also required with this application.

1. Number of Students in Senior Class: _____ Your Rank: _____ Please check here if your school does not rank.
2. Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ Please check here if your school does not calculate GPA.
3. Please list any languages spoken (other than English): _____

College Information

Please list all colleges to which you have applied in order of preference.

Name of School

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|-------|-----------------------------------|--|---|
| _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Accepted | <input type="checkbox"/> Awaiting decision | <input type="checkbox"/> Accepted and plan on attending |
| _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Accepted | <input type="checkbox"/> Awaiting decision | |
| _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Accepted | <input type="checkbox"/> Awaiting decision | |
| _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Accepted | <input type="checkbox"/> Awaiting decision | |
| _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Accepted | <input type="checkbox"/> Awaiting decision | |

In what field do you plan to major in college? _____

Will you live: On Campus Off-Campus Apartment At Home

Essay Question

Please submit a typed, double-spaced, 500-600 word essay responding to the prompt below (no longer please). Please be sure to include your full name and page numbers on each page.

Prompt: *How has your community service defined who you are and influenced your plans for the future?*

Letter of Recommendation

Please submit one (1) written letter of recommendation from your high school guidance counselor, employer or a community service director. A copy of the letter of recommendation used for your college applications is acceptable; however, your recommender should be aware of the academic talent and community service requirements for the New England Red Sox Service Scholarships. **You do not need a special letter of recommendation for this application.**

Applicant's Statement

All information in each portion of this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that I may be asked to provide proof of information stated in this form, including a copy of my parents' and/or my prior year's U.S. income tax return if requested. I agree to be bound by all the terms and conditions of the New England Red Sox Service Scholarships Program should I be selected as a recipient.

Name of Applicant (please print): _____

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

**Note: If typing your application, please sign electronically.*