



Forever Friends Scholarship Application Packet

About Forever Friends

This scholarship fund was created by a group of friends who attended the University of South Carolina Upstate (USC Upstate). Our lives were changed not only through our life experiences at USC Upstate, but also because of our friendship, a friendship that has withstood the test of times. Through our friendship during college and post-college, our lives have been enriched, allowing each of us an opportunity to learn from the other. We have been fortunate to experience each other's personal, professional, and spiritual growth over the years. As it relates specifically to our professional growth, we credit our educational experience at USC Upstate for assisting in preparing each of us for our successful careers. Two of us have over 12 years of experience in the health care field and one of us has over 10 years of experience in the accounting field. As we have been able to have fruitful lives, we were challenged with the desire to encourage others towards their dreams and aspirations, hence the birth of the Forever Friends Scholarship.

Mission Statement

Forever Friends will encourage minority nursing and business major students attending USC Upstate to successfully complete their undergraduate studies through the awarding of scholarships and continuous mentorship.

Scholarship Information

A \$500 scholarship will be awarded in the Fall and Spring semesters. This scholarship will be remitted directly to the USC – Upstate on behalf of the recipient prior to the start of the semester. Applications for the **Spring 2022** semester are due by **December 5th**. Applications can be emailed to foreverfriendsscholarship@gmail.com The recipient will be notified by **December 19th**.

Eligibility requirements:

- Junior or Senior minority student, inclusive of incoming transfer students
- Student must be enrolled in the Mary Black School of Nursing or George Dean Johnson, Jr. College of Business and Economics at USC Upstate
- GPA requirement of 3.0 or higher



Scholarship Application

Student Name

Email

Telephone Number

Mailing Address

Current Major

Cumulative GPA

Number of years/hours completed

Ethnicity

Provide a copy of your transcript and if applicable, a copy of your acceptance letter to the Mary Black School of Nursing.

Note: Unofficial transcripts are acceptable.

Provide a picture. *This picture will be used to showcase the scholarship recipient on our social media page. By providing the picture you agree to the picture being used for marketing purposes.*

What are your career goals and how will this scholarship and your college education assist you in achieving them?