

West Selden Street & Vicinities Neighborhood Association  
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## ARTHUR B SMITH SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

### ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP

The purpose of the West Selden Street and Vicinity Neighborhood Association Scholarship is to identify students who live in the Mattapan Community who qualify for educational assistance and to distribute funds to those students in an effort to assist them in achieving higher educational goals through a college education.

### Eligibility Criteria

- Must be a resident of Mattapan (02126).
- Must be a senior enrolled in a high school within the Commonwealth of MA.
- Must have proof of acceptance to a college or university for undergraduate study by July 31 of the graduation year.
- Community involvement, extracurricular activities, and honors and awards increase scholarship consideration.

### Required Material

Official transcripts reporting the most recent grades available. This must be submitted in an envelope sealed and stamped by the school registrar. Applications submitted with unsealed transcripts or photocopied transcripts will not be considered complete. The Scholarship Committee reserves the option to request an interview before making a final decision on a candidate's application.

Completed applications must be postmarked by **July 15** and mailed to:

**West Selden Street & Vicinity Neighborhood Association**  
**875 Morton St.**  
**Mattapan, MA 02126**

**All applicants will be notified in writing by September 30. A check in the amount of \$500.00 will be mailed to the scholarship recipient.**

### SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

(Please print or type)

Application Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### 1. STUDENT INFORMATION

Name:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number, Street, Apartment)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) (Zip Code)

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Home) (Cell)

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Four of Social Security \_\_\_\_\_

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

### 2. HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION

With whom is the student living: both parents, single parent, parent and step-parent, legal guardian, etc. Please indicate name and relationship to student.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name/ Relationship) (Name/Relationship)

Total number of family members currently living in your household: \_\_\_\_\_

List names of brothers (b), sisters (s), step-brothers (sb), step-sisters (ss) currently living with you in your home. Include name and relationship to student.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### 3. STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

Please list full time and part time employment.

Dates: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Hours per week: \_\_\_\_\_ Hourly rate: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Position held and brief job description \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Dates: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Hours per week: \_\_\_\_\_ Hourly rate: \_\_\_\_\_

Position held and brief job description \_\_\_\_\_  
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Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Position held and brief job description \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Dates: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Hours per week: \_\_\_\_\_ Hourly rate: \_\_\_\_\_

Position held and brief job description \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### 4. UNPAID VOLUNTEER WORK AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

(Indicate the total number of volunteer hours and community service hours you performed.)

Dates: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Hours: \_\_\_\_\_ Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of activities: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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## 5. HONORS AND AWARDS

Type of honor/award (✓): \_\_\_\_\_ Academic \_\_\_\_\_ Athletic \_\_\_\_\_ Community Service \_\_\_\_\_ Employee

Name of award: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

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## 6. ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Name of College/University: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street) (City/State/Zip Code)

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Career Goals: \_\_\_\_\_

The information that I have provided to the West Selden Street and Vicinity Neighborhood Association Scholarship Committee is, to the best of my knowledge, completely accurate.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Student's signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Student's printed name)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of parent/guardian)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent/guardian's printed name)

Please be sure to include the following documents (✓):

\_\_\_\_\_ Completed application

\_\_\_\_\_ Transcripts \_\_\_\_\_ Acceptance letter (if available)