

## RIBBONS FOR A CURE, INC. GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP

Ribbons for a Cure, Inc. (RFAC) announces its scholarship for the school year 2025-2026. One scholarship in the amount of \$2,500 will be awarded to the successful recipient.

### A. Eligibility Requirements:

- 1. Applicant must be a legal resident of the U.S. Virgin Islands.
- 2. The applicant must be a graduating senior high school student accepted into a college or university, OR
- 3. A full-time student attending an accredited post-secondary academic college or university, or an accredited vocational, trade or business school as a full-time student during the 2025-2026 school year.
- 4. The applicant must be either:
  - a) A cancer survivor or
  - b) Parent or guardian have had or currently have cancer
- 5. Applicant must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher.

Applicants will be evaluated on scholastic achievement, character, leadership, school and community activities, and the content and quality of the essay.

#### **B.** Required Documents:

The following information must be received via email or post marked <u>no later than April 25, 2025</u>. Mail all materials to: RIBBONS FOR A CURE, INC., Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 8242, Christiansted, VI 00823 or email to ribbonsforacure@outlook.com.

- 1. A completed APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP GRANT (attached).
- 2. An academic transcript with certification by the school registrar is required.
- 3. Two (2) letters of recommendation from adults (not relatives). One of the letters must be from a school official on the school's letterhead.
- 4. An original essay by the applicant containing approximately 500 words, typed, double-spaced and 12-point font size Times New Roman. The essay should address how you were impacted by cancer.
- 5. A completed and signed Physician Verification Form (attached) for the applicant or the parent or guardian.

#### C. Other:

- 1. The successful recipient will be required to attend the Scholarship Presentation Ceremony.
- 2. This Scholarship can be used for any educational expense such as tuition, books, fees, room and board or other direct college related expense (not only tuition).
- 3. Proof of enrollment for the 2025-2026 academic year must be presented prior to issuance of award.
- 4. There is NO Renewal of this Scholarship.

NOTE: ONLY COMPLETED FILLED APPLICATIONS WITH REQUIRED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS WILL BE CONSIDERED.

#### THE DECISIONS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE WILL BE FINAL.



## 2025 APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP GRANT (Page 1 of 3) STUDENT INFORMATION

First Name:	Last Name:			
U.S. Virgin Islands Resident: Yes	No			
Physical Address:				
	Cellular Number:			
Email address:				
Telephone Number:	Cellular Number:			
Are you a cancer survivor? Yes	No			
If no, provide the information for the paren	t who has or have had cancer.			
Type of cancer:				
Date of Diagnosis:				
Parent Information:				
First Name:	Last Name:			
Relationship to you:	Telephone Number:			
Type of Cancer:				
ACADEMIC INSTITUTION INFORMATION				
Name of Current School:				
School Address:				
College Major:				
Career Goals:				





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SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:					
YEAR	ACTIVITY	POSITION	Estimated # OF HOURS PER WEEK		
COMMUNIT	Y ACTIVITIES:				
YEAR	ACTIVITY	POSITION	Estimated # OF HOURS PER WEEK		
HONORS/AV	VARDS:				
COMMENTS	<u>S</u>				
	any additional information o your application.	r special facts that you would l	like the Scholarship Committee to		





# 2025 APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP GRANT (Cont.) Page 3 of 3 CERTIFICATION

SOURCE		
How did you learn of this school		
School /Counselor	Social Media	Other (Please explain)
Newspaper Website Family or friend		
Kaulo	Family or friends	
		true, correct, and complete. I understand fully that disqualification or forfeiture of any scholarship grant.
Date		Applicant's Signature
Checklist:		
Application		Essay
Current High Scho	ol OR College Transcript	Physician Verification Form
Two (2) Recomme	ndation Letters	
	FOR OFFICIAL	<u>USE ONLY</u>



# RIBBONS FOR A CURE, INC. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

## **PHYSICIAN VERIFICATION FORM**

This is to verify that the following patient is receiving or has received treatment for a diagnosis of cancer:

Patient Name:	
Type of Cancer:	Date of Diagnosis:
Treatment Type(s):	
Physician/Provider Name:	
Physician/Provider Address:	
Physician/Provider Phone Number:	
PHYSICIAN'S SIGNATURE	DATE:

Please return completed form to:

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