



John Bubba Leonard  
FOUNDATION

## **JBL Foundation Student Achiever Scholarship**

Building a Pipeline from High School to Higher Education

### **APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

The JBL Foundation Student Achiever Scholarship is open to any current high school student who fits the following criteria:

- Actively enrolled and in good standing as a high school senior,
- Residing and attending high school in the Chattahoochee Valley,
- A minimum of a 2.5 GPA, and
- Accepted and admitted into a higher education institution.

**RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS:** Proof of attendance in a high school located in a Chattahoochee Valley County is required. Chattahoochee Valley is defined as the following geographic region: • Chattahoochee, Harris, Marion, Muscogee, Stewart, and Taylor Counties in Georgia, and Russell County in Alabama. Students must be enrolled in a high school located in one of the counties listed in the Chattahoochee Valley region.

**HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTION (HEI):** Proof of acceptance and admission into one of the following HEI will be required:

- University or College (public or private)
- Community College
- Vocational School
- Technical or Polytechnical School

**ESSAY:** A 250-word (one-page) essay must accompany the application form. The essay must be typed in APA format, 12-point font, and double-spaced. Handwritten essays are permissible by special request and approval.

**Essay Topic:** *"You be right" was an expression used by the late John Bubba Leonard. What is your interpretation of the meaning of the expression and how would you apply it to your life?*

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:**

- Completed Application Form
- Unofficial/Official Transcript
- 2 Recommendations (Teacher or Counselor & Personal or Professional)
- Essay (Word Document, PDF)

### ***About the John Bubba Leonard Foundation***

The John Bubba Leonard Foundation will work to support and empower impoverished communities and vulnerable populations in Georgia and Alabama through three foundational pillars - Education, Community Service, and Community Revitalization. Our vision is to ultimately broaden our reach throughout the southern region to serve as a convener of resources and partners dedicated to holistic support, empowerment, education, and economic growth for our most vulnerable communities.

**Email Completed Applications:** [programs@jblfoundationga.org](mailto:programs@jblfoundationga.org) or [marketing@jblfoundationga.org](mailto:marketing@jblfoundationga.org)

## JBL Foundation Student Achiever Scholarship Application

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday (mm/dd/yyyy): \_\_\_\_\_

Gender (circle one): Female Male Other

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

Academic GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

School & Community Awards/Honors:

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Programs of Study Applied For: \_\_\_\_\_

College/University You Plan To Attend: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Please attach the required documents (*Unofficial/Official Transcript, 2 Recommendations (Teacher or Counselor & Personal or Professional), and 250-Word Scholarship Essay (Word Document, PDF)*) with your completed application.**

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**Deadline:** April 26, 2024