

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING BLET AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

*Please read all instructions carefully before completing application form for the Auxiliary Scholarship.*

- 1) Please type or print legibly using black ink.
- 2) Applicant must be a son, daughter, stepson, or stepdaughter of a BLET Auxiliary member **and** a Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineer and Trainmen member (living or deceased), with each being a member for at least one year. In addition, applicant must be accepted for admission by an accredited institution of higher education. Children of an unmarried BLET member who is also an Associate Member of the BLET Auxiliary for at least one year are also eligible.

In addition to the \$1000 scholarships awarded each year, we will be awarding a minimum of two scholarships in the amount of \$2500 each, sponsored by Locomotive Engineers and Conductors Mutual Protective Association (LECMPA). To be eligible for an LECMPA-sponsored scholarship, applicants must meet the requirements outlined above, and the BLET member in the family must also be a member of LECMPA for at least one year. All scholarship applicants are asked to indicate whether or not the BLET member in the family is an LECMPA member on the front page of the application form.

- 3) For high school seniors only:
  - a) Complete Sections 1, 3, and 4 only – skip Section 2.
  - b) An authorized copy of your ACT or SAT score must accompany your application. Also, please include a current copy of your cumulative grade point average (GPA). Without this your application will not be considered.
- 4) For graduate students or students returning to school as a sophomore, junior, or senior:
  - a) Skip Section 1 and complete Sections 2, 3, and 4 only.
  - b) A copy of last term's (or most current) GPA must accompany your application. Without verification of your GPA, your application will not be considered.
- 5) Application must be signed by parent or guardian.
- 6) Verification of BLET Auxiliary Membership:
  - a) For applicants whose eligibility is based on one parent being a member in good standing of a local auxiliary, eligibility must be verified by the secretary of that local auxiliary. Please obtain the signature of the local auxiliary secretary before submitting the application to the BLET Auxiliary National Secretary.
  - b) For applicants whose eligibility is based on one parent being an Auxiliary member-at-large in good standing, eligibility will be verified by the BLET Auxiliary National Secretary upon receipt of application.
- 7) Applicant must be accepted for admission to an accredited institution of higher education in order to be considered. A copy of the acceptance letter must be included with the application.
- 8) Completed applications must be received by BLET Auxiliary National Secretary Helen Brand **NO LATER THAN APRIL 1, 2018**. Applications received after that date **WILL NOT** be considered.

**Mail to: Helen Brand, National Secretary  
BLET Auxiliary  
38768 Crescent Hill Road  
Osawatomie, KS 66064**

*For questions, contact Helen Brand by phone at (913) 256-2741, or by e-mail at [hybrand51@gmail.com](mailto:hybrand51@gmail.com).*

# BLET Auxiliary Scholarship Application for 2018-2019 School Year

**PLEASE READ ALL REQUIREMENTS AND INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION**

**ELIGIBILITY:** To apply for an **Auxiliary Scholarship** award, the applicant must be a son, daughter, stepson, or stepdaughter of a BLET Auxiliary member **and** a Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineer and Trainmen member (living or deceased), with each being a member in good standing for at least one year. Children of an unmarried BLET member who has been an Associate Member of the BLET Auxiliary in good standing for at least one year are also eligible. In addition, applicant must be accepted for admission by an accredited institution of higher education (university, academy, college, institute of technology, vocational school, trade school, or other career college that awards academic degrees or professional certifications).

**Completed application and transcript must be received by the BLET Auxiliary National Secretary no later than April 1, 2018.**

## MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATIONS AND ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION TO:

Helen Brand, National Secretary  
BLET Auxiliary  
38768 Crescent Hill Road  
Osawatomie, KS 66064  
(913) 256-2741

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

\_\_\_\_\_

City

State

Zip Code

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ School Last Attended \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Father :** \_\_\_\_\_

(Father must be a member of either the BLET **or** the BLET Auxiliary)

BLET Division No. \_\_\_\_\_, or  BLET Local Auxiliary No. \_\_\_\_\_, or  Auxiliary Member-at-Large

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Mother** \_\_\_\_\_

(Mother must be a member of either the BLET **or** the BLET Auxiliary)

BLET Local Auxiliary No. \_\_\_\_\_, or  Member-at-Large, or  BLET Division No. \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_

Is the BLET member in the family a member of LECMPA? \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

(If yes, then applicant is eligible to be considered for a \$2500 LECMPA-sponsored scholarship.)

Number of Siblings \_\_\_\_\_ Ages of Siblings \_\_\_\_\_ Number in College \_\_\_\_\_

# SECTION 1

*For High School Seniors applying to an institute of higher education for the first time. Graduate students or students returning to an institute of higher education, skip to Section 2.*

NAME OF COLLEGES TO WHICH YOU HAVE APPLIED IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE: Accepted?

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

HAVE YOU WORKED WHILE IN HIGH SCHOOL? IF SO, PLEASE LIST EMPLOYER & TYPE OF WORK.

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

HOW HAVE YOU SPENT YOUR SUMMER VACATIONS?

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

**TO BE COMPLETED BY HIGH SCHOOL AUTHORITIES (GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT) FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ENTERING AN INSITUTE OF HIGHER LEARNING FOR THE FIRST TIME.**

EXAM SCORES:     SAT or  ACT Composite: \_\_\_\_\_

RANKING IN CLASS: Sophomore:    NUMBER IN CLASS \_\_\_\_\_ G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_

   Junior:    NUMBER IN CLASS \_\_\_\_\_ G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_

   Senior:    NUMBER IN CLASS \_\_\_\_\_ G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF ADVANCED COURSES: Sophomore \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS AND EVALUATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

***An authorized copy of your ACT or SAT score must accompany your application, as well as a current copy of your cumulative grade point average (GPA). Without this your application will not be considered.***

## SECTION 2

***For graduate students or students returning to school for second, third, fourth year, etc. High School students attending an institute of higher learning for the first time, skip to Section 3.***

Married? \_\_\_\_\_ Husband's/Wife's Occupation? \_\_\_\_\_

Widowed? \_\_\_\_\_ Divorced? \_\_\_\_\_ Single? \_\_\_\_\_

Working? \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation? \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME OF COLLEGE YOU ARE ATTENDING** \_\_\_\_\_

Location? City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

**LAST TERM'S GPA.** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE OF LATEST COLLEGE TERM ATTENDED** \_\_\_\_\_

**GPA must be substantiated by Transcripts (official or unofficial).**

## SECTION 3 – FOR ALL APPLICANTS

**WHAT SCHOLARSHIPS OR GRANTS HAVE YOU APPLIED FOR AND/OR RECEIVED?**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

**Approximate cost per year: TUITION** \_\_\_\_\_ **ROOM/BOARD** \_\_\_\_\_

**What course of study are you pursuing or intending to to pursue?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Degree?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Organizations in which you are active and offices held, if any.**

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**Mandatory: Please include a short essay on a separate sheet indicating your interests, activities, and a little about yourself.**

Date of application: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**REFERENCES**

NAME:	ADDRESS:
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____

**SECTION 4: FOR ALL APPLICANTS**

**TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT OR GUARDIAN:**

To the best of my knowledge, the information given on this form by the applicant is accurate.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**TO BE COMPLETED BY LOCAL AUXILIARY SECRETARY TO VERIFY ELIGIBILITY OF AUXILIARY MEMBER PARENT. IF AUXILIARY PARENT IS A MEMBER-AT-LARGE, PLEASE LEAVE BLANK AS THE AUXILIARY NATIONAL SECRETARY WILL VERIFY ELIGIBILITY UPON RECEIPT OF APPLICATION.**

*To the best of my knowledge, the information given by the applicant meets respective eligibility requirements.*

Name of Auxiliary Secretary (Printed) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Auxiliary No. \_\_\_\_\_

**TO BE COMPLETED BY BLET DIVISION SECRETARY/TREASURER TO VERIFY ELIGIBILITY OF BLET MEMBER PARENT:**

Name of Division S/T (Printed) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Division No. \_\_\_\_\_