2027 Daffodil Festival
Renewable Scholarship Application
DEADLINE: January 29, 2027

PURPOSE: To assist Gloucester County graduating seniors who are planning to attend college, community college or trade school.

GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS, REQUIREMENTS & INFORMATION:

- Application for this scholarship is open to all seniors that are Gloucester County residents, regardless of race, sex, color, creed or religion.
- One Daffodil Festival Scholarship will be awarded, renewable for up to four years.
- A Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least 3.0 must be maintained each year to qualify. Grades and an invoice from the school must be submitted each year.
- The total amount of the Daffodil Festival Scholarship is $4,000 or $1,000 per year for four years.
- **ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 2027. A POST MARK DOES NOT QUALIFY.**
- Application forms are available in the GHS Guidance Office, Gloucester Parks, Recreation & Tourism Office and the Daffodil Festival Website (www.daffodilfestivalva.org)
- Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of:
  - Contents of Essay
  - Academic Achievement
  - Community Involvement
  - School Activities/Employment
- All applicants must write a 500-word essay on their short- and long-term goals and how the scholarship will help them achieve those goals.
- Scholarship judges are not from Gloucester County.
- The Daffodil Festival Scholarship recipient will be announced during the Opening Ceremony of the Daffodil Festival, Saturday, April 3, 2027.
- The winner will be notified by phone prior to the Daffodil Festival.
- One letter of reference from a non-family member is required.
- Official High School transcript is required.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:

- A check will be sent to the college or trade school between June 1st and October 1st.
- Scholarship recipient must supply proof of enrollment each year.
- All checks are made payable to the educational institution.
- Please retain this sheet for your records.

If you have questions or need more information, please contact Ann Andrews, Scholarship Chair, at (804) 815-2461 or secondann@hotmail.com

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Full Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ **State/Zip:** _____

Phone: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Total number of family members living at home: _____

Total number of dependents in your parent's family including yourself: _____

Children's ages: _____ **Number attending college:** _____

College/ Trade School where applied/ accepted: _____

Date of Acceptance: _____

Extracurricular Activities – Organizations/Clubs (include years involved & any offices held):

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Honors and Awards: _____

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Community or Other Activities: _____

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Are you employed? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, what type of work & how many hours/week?

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Other special needs or circumstances to be considered: _____

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Two Character References (from a non-relative):

Full Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ **State/Zip:** _____

Phone: _____ **Relationship:** _____

Full Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ **State/Zip:** _____

Phone: _____ **Relationship:** _____

I, the undersigned, understand the following:

- Only applications including completed form, essay, letter of recommendation from one of the above persons and an official high school transcript will be considered.
- Only applications received by January 29, 2027, will be considered.
- Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of: Contents of Essay; Academic Achievement; Community Involvement; School Activities/Employment.
- Winner will be notified by phone prior to the Daffodil Festival.
- Winner will be publicly announced at the Daffodil Festival Opening Ceremony on Saturday, April 3, 2027.

Applicant's Signature Date

APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY January 29, 2027 (postmarks do not qualify)

MAIL
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Gloucester, VA 23061

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