



## Gadsden State Cardinal Foundation Benjamin Steinberg Scholarship Scholarship Criteria & Checklist

The Gadsden State Cardinal Foundation Benjamin Steinberg Scholarship Fund offers a **\$500.00** scholarship annually to assist students with tuition, books, and fees affiliated with courses taken at Gadsden State Community College in the Nursing Program for the **Fall** semester. The application deadline is **March 30, 2020, at 5:00 p.m.** For questions regarding the Benjamin Steinberg Scholarship, contact Jessica Brown 256-549-8377 or [jmbrown@gadsdenstate.edu](mailto:jmbrown@gadsdenstate.edu).

### Scholarship Policies and Criteria

Scholarship recipients will be determined by the Gadsden State Scholarship Committee and the Cardinal Foundation Scholarship Committee. Scholarship(s) will be awarded based on the following criteria:

1. Meet all entry requirements for the College and the Nursing Program
2. Be accepted into the GSCC R.N. Program
3. Demonstrate financial need
4. Minimum Grade Point Average of 3.5
5. Resident of Etowah County

### Scholarship Checklist

Please review the checklist below to ensure all items are included in your application packet. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

- ☐ **Complete 2 Page Application** (typed or legible print)  
**Any areas not complete will result in the application not being reviewed for consideration**
- ☐ **An official College transcript**
- ☐ **Copies of the previous year's tax return to verify annual income**
- ☐ **Complete FERPA Release Form**

### **Send Application To (Fax and Screenshots not accepted):**

Gadsden State Community College  
Joe Ford Center, East Broad Campus  
Attn: Jessica Brown, Cardinal Foundation  
P. O. Box 227  
Gadsden, AL 35902-0227



# Gadsden State Cardinal Foundation

## Scholarship Application

### Section I

#### Applicant Information

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First MI Last

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
MM/DD/YYYY

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street, Road, Apt #, etc..) (City, State, Zip Code)

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cellular Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Are you a U.S. citizen? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Gender (optional): Female\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_

Race (optional): African American \_\_\_ American Indian or Alaska Native \_\_\_ Asian \_\_\_  
Hispanic\_\_\_ Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander \_\_\_ White\_\_\_ Unknown\_\_\_

### Section II

#### School Information

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##### Current Class Standing

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High School Senior \_\_\_ If so, have you applied for GSCC Admissions Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Gadsden State Student ID (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Program of Study/Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Gadsden State Freshman \_\_\_ Gadsden State Sophomore \_\_\_

Gadsden State Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Hours **remaining** for degree completion: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected date of graduation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Term and Year

### Section III

#### **Financial Information**

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Are you currently employed? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ If so, annual income \$\_\_\_\_\_

Are you receiving Federal Student Aid? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ If so, annual amount \$\_\_\_\_\_

Are you receiving other scholarships/awards? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ If so, amount \$\_\_\_\_\_

**Comments** (*optional*):\_\_\_\_\_

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### Section IV

#### **Signature**

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By signing below, I acknowledge I have read and completed this application, and agree all information provided is true and correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

# Gadsden State Community College

(FERPA)

## FERPA Release Form for Cardinal Foundation Scholarships

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Please Print

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Number (A number)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth

\_\_\_\_\_  
City

\_\_\_\_\_  
State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number (include area code)

☐ I do hereby authorize Gadsden State Community College to release my GPA and FAFSA EFC determination to the Cardinal Foundation and the General Scholarship Committee for scholarship consideration.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Please sign and return to Jessica Brown at the Joe Ford Center on the East Broad Campus or mail to the address below.

Jessica Brown  
Resource Development Officer  
Gadsden State Community College  
P.O. Box 227  
Gadsden, AL 35902