Fort Worth Country Day
Edward P. Bass Scholarship

Funded by a $1 million endowment grant from Edward P. Bass

The Edward P. Bass Scholarship is a merit/need-based scholarship. Admission candidates for grades 9 – 12 may apply. (The recipient must be a new FWCD Upper School student.) Recipients will be qualified students admitted through the FWCD admission process and selected on the basis of academic merit, potential for community leadership and financial need.

Who should apply?

Any student who is applying for grades 9 – 12, shows evidence of enthusiasm for and motivation toward maximizing his or her educational opportunities, demonstrates potential for community leadership, and whose family qualifies for need-based financial aid in the area of 50 percent or more is encouraged to apply.

To apply for the Edward P. Bass Scholarship:

- The application, student essay and interview must be submitted and completed by February 14, 2020.
- Complete and submit the application for the Bass Scholarship and student essay (available to download and print at the end of this section).
- Complete a required interview with Mr. Steve Stackhouse, Head of FWCD Upper School. Please contact Ms. Yvonne Igodan, Assistant Director of Admission, at 817.302.3242 or yvonne.igodan@fwcd.com to schedule the interview time. [Note: The application and student essay must be submitted and received before the interview will be scheduled.]
- Return the application and student essay to Fort Worth Country Day, Office of Admission, 4200 Country Day Lane, Fort Worth, Texas 76109.

The selection of the Bass Scholar will be emailed on Friday, March 6, 2020.

Completing the Admission Application Process

Please complete the following steps to apply for admission at FWCD:

- Submit the online admission application. **Deadline Date: February 7, 2020**
  Once your application is received, the Admission Office will contact you to schedule your required campus visit. **Deadline Date: February 21, 2020**
- English and math teacher recommendations (current teachers) **Deadline Date: February 14, 2020**
- Transcript (Official through mid-year that includes grades, comments, attendance and citizenship.) **Deadline Date: February 14, 2020**
- Admission Testing: Independent School Entrance Examination (ISEE) **Deadline Date: February 22, 2020**
Completing the Financial Aid Process

- Financial aid applications must be submitted online at [www.solutionsbysss.com](http://www.solutionsbysss.com).
  **Deadline Date: February 14, 2020**
- For step-by-step instructions, including a list of required supporting documents, dates and deadlines, please review the guide *Applying for Financial Aid at FWCD for the 2020-21 Academic Year*. This can be found by going to the Admission section of the FWCD website and clicking on Tuition and Affordability.

What else should I know about the Edward P. Bass Scholarship?

- It is possible that a student may not receive a Bass Scholarship, but may still qualify and receive assistance from FWCD financial aid funds.
- **Bass Scholars and their families must agree to have their identification as an Edward P. Bass Scholarship recipient made public and to have this distinction recognized in the School and local community as a means of promoting this honor and the availability of the Edward P. Bass Scholarship.**
- Named scholars will write a letter to Edward P. Bass at the mid-year point each academic year sharing and reviewing academic, community service, extracurricular and leadership accomplishments.

For more information about the Edward P. Bass Scholarship at FWCD, contact the Admission Office at 817.302.3209.
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Name of applicant

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Phone Cell Phone Home email address

Current School

Current Grade

Please list leadership roles (in or out of school) you have been involved in this year. Describe the level of involvement.

How did you hear about the Edward P. Bass Scholarship?

If applicable, who recommended you?

Name

Address Phone

Student Essay

Is a good education a right or a privilege? Why do you think so?

In an essay, support and develop your position by using at least two examples from the following: literature, history, film, science and technology, current events or your own personal experience.

Please note: You must cite sources used.