

Kids' Chance Scholarship Program



Helping Kids' Achieve their Dreams



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Scholarship Program
Educating Children of Injured Workers

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The **Louisiana Bar Foundation (LBF) Kids' Chance Scholarship Program** awards scholarships to dependent children of workers killed or permanently and totally disabled in an accident that is compensable under a state or federal Workers' Compensation Act or law.

Applications process begins December 1, 2016.
Apply online www.raisingthebar.org/kidschance
Application Deadline is February 20, 2017.

Basic Eligibility Requirements:

- Must be a dependent of a worker killed or permanently and totally disabled in an accident compensable under a state or federal Workers' Compensation Act or law.
- Must be a Louisiana resident between the ages of 16 and 25.
- Must be pursuing a primary college or university degree (bachelor's or associate's) or vocational education and training (certificate or license) from an accredited Louisiana university, community, technical or vocational college and/or state approved proprietary school. (The Kids' Chance committee may consider other applicants).
- Must maintain a cumulative "C" average or higher.
- Must demonstrate substantial financial need.
- Must apply for other state or federal financial aid.

Amount Awarded:

- Historically, scholarships range between \$500-\$3,000 and can be increased or decreased subject to the availability of funds.
- Will not exceed the annual cost of tuition and books at the most expensive in-state public university.

Since 2004, the program has awarded 255 scholarships totaling \$533,100.

Kids' Chance is administered by the LBF and is governed by a committee representing a cross-section of the legal and workers compensation communities. Kids' Chance scholarships are funded solely by contributions from corporations, organizations and individuals.

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504-561-1046 or e-mail dee@raisingthebar.org