



## **Booz Allen Hamilton Vision Scholarship 2012**

**The following is a preview of the questions and requirements for the 2012 Booz Allen Hamilton Vision Scholarship. All applications will be completed online using the application link below**

**Deadline: March 15, 2012**

### **Description**

In keeping with its commitment to contribute to the excellence of the future work force, Booz Allen Hamilton has established the Vision Scholarship Program. Under this program, legal dependent children of Booz Allen Hamilton employees who are pursuing an undergraduate college degree can apply for a scholarship to help defray their tuition expenses.

The scholarship award is \$3,000 per year for up to four years of undergraduate education at an accredited college or university. Five scholarships are awarded each year. The scholarship is renewable for up to 4 years, bringing the total award to up to \$12,000 per student. To be eligible for renewal, applicants must remain in academic good standing.

The Vision Scholarship awards will be based on demonstrated superior academic achievement, character, citizenship, loyalty, integrity, participation in extracurricular activities, and a reference from academic, professional, or business associate.

This scholarship is administered by the **Community Foundation for Northern Virginia**.

### **Requirements**

The program is open to legal dependent children of full-time and part-time Booz Allen Hamilton staff members residing anywhere in the world.

To be eligible for an award, dependents must:

- be between the ages of 16 and 25
- reside with their parents or be otherwise financially dependent on them
- be enrolled in or have been accepted for enrollment in undergraduate degree programs at accredited colleges and universities in the United States.
- applications must be complete, including all attachments, by midnight Eastern Standard Time on Thursday, March 15th.
- references must be received by midnight Eastern Standard Time on Tuesday, March 20, 2012.

Dependents of officers are not eligible to participate in this program.

<b>Amount Awarded</b>	\$3,000
<b>Number of Awards</b>	5
<b>Total Amount Awarded</b>	\$12,000
<b>Renewable</b>	Yes
<b>Recommender Deadline</b>	03/21/2012

**Application Link**

<https://www.scholarselect.com/scholarships/2818-booz-allen-hamilton-vision-scholarship-2012>

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**1. Instructions**

Welcome to the online application for the Booz Allen Hamilton Vision Scholarship. This application is to be completed by the student. Please answer all questions completely and honestly.

Transcripts and documentation of test scores are required. They may be scanned and uploaded or mailed to:

**The Community Foundation for Northern Virginia**  
**8283 Greensboro Drive**  
**McLean, VA 22102**  
**ATT: BAH Vision Scholarship**

All materials (including materials mailed to the Foundation) **must be received by March 15, 2012** at midnight Eastern Standard Time. At that time the application will close and no further applications will be accepted. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

References should be provided through the online application. You will be asked for the name and email of your reference. It can be a teacher or another adult (not a family member) such as an advisor, coach or supervisor who knows you well. Your reference will be contacted via email to complete a short recommendation. Please inform your reference that they should expect the email and that all recommendations are due by March 20, 2012.

You will receive confirmation when recommendations are submitted and when your application is complete.

**General Tips for Applicants:**

1. The application should be completed by the student and should represent the student's original work.
2. Give yourself plenty of time to complete the application in advance of the deadline. Note that all

deadlines are in Eastern Standard Time.

3. Have electronic copies of your most recent transcript and SAT scores on hand and ready to upload to your application.

4. Only one reference will be permitted. Be sure to choose someone who knows you well and can speak convincingly of your positive attributes.

5. It is your responsibility to make sure your reference completes their part of the application. After you have submitted your application, check back periodically to be sure the reference is complete. You can send a reminder email if necessary.

## **2. Personal Information**

Please answer all questions truthfully.

First Name

Last Name

Phone number

Address

City

State \*

Zip Code \*

Name of parent/legal guardian employed by Booz Allen Hamilton \*

Email of BAH parent/guardian \*

Office and organization of BAH parent/Guardian \*

## **3. Academic Information**

### **High School Information**

Schools Attended: List in chronological order the name of all high schools attended, including dates.

Transcript Information

Applicants must provide their most recent (or final) high school transcript.

Please scan and attach your document here. We accept only PDF or JPG file formats. Scan no higher than 300 DPI and scan in black-and-white. Do not scan in color or at high resolution. Note: if you are selected as a finalist you will be asked to provide official signed transcripts. Max file size of 1MB

My transcript will be sent by regular mail.

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Yes

High School Grade Point Average (most recent or final)

Please indicate if the grade point average is

- ☐ Weighted
- ☐ Unweighted

What is your current senior class rank?

How many students are in your senior class?

What college do you plan to attend? If you are not sure, list your top three choices.

SAT/ACT Test Scores

Please enter your best scores on the standardized tests below. Either SAT OR ACT scores are required to complete your application.

Best SAT Critical Reading Score

Best SAT Math Score

Combined Best Reading and Math SAT Scores (added together)

Best ACT Composite Score

Please submit verification of the above test scores. Scan and attach your document here. We accept PDF and JPG file formats. Scan in black-and-white, no higher than 300 DPI (no high resolution). You can also mail a copy to the Community Foundation offices, but it must be received by the 3/15/11 deadline.

Max file size of 1MB

My SAT/ACT scores will be submitted via regular mail.

☐ Yes

### **Academic information for current college students**

Complete this section if you have graduated from high school and are currently enrolled in college.

List all colleges and universities attended, including dates.

College major (or intended major)

Expected graduation date (month and year)

Current Grade Point Average

Indicate your current year in college.

- ☐ Freshmen
- ☐ Sophomore
- ☐ Junior
- ☐ Senior
- ☐ Other

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A college transcript is required. Scan and attach your college transcript (JPF or PDF format, no color, maximum 300 DPI). You can also mail a transcript to the Community Foundation, but it must be received by the March 15 deadline.

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#### 4. Activities

Activities

Provide the following information for up to six of your most significant activities.

Type

Organization name

Position(s) held (for example, club member, team member, captain, retail clerk, coach, advocate,

Short Description of your involvement

Years involved - click all that apply

- ☐ High School Grade 9
- ☐ High School Grade 10
- ☐ High School Grade 11
- ☐ High School Grade 12
- ☐ College Freshman
- ☐ College Sophomore
- ☐ College Junior
- ☐ College Senior
- ☐ Other

Indicate the number of hours spent on the activity (indicate per week, per month, or total hours).

List leadership roles or honors/awards associated with this activity.

#### 5. Essays (all 350 words or less).

Academic Interests: Please discuss your academic interests and their significance related to your future goals.

Tell about a personally satisfying experience you have had in your life. Why was it important? What did you learn?

What else would you like the scholarship committee to consider in evaluating you as an individual?

Include any personal information that would help in interpreting your academic record or understanding you as an individual.

## 6. Recommendations

Please provide the name of an individual who has agreed to provide a reference. This can be a teacher, a **coach, a supervisor, etc. This individual will be contacted by email to complete the reference.**

Contact's First Name

Contact's Last Name

Contact's Email

Contact's Phone Number (xxx-xxx-xxxx)

Contact's Title

Contact's Organization

How long have you known the applicant?

How do you know the applicant?

What are the strengths and weaknesses of the applicant?

Is there anything else you'd like the selection committee to know about this applicant?

The BAH Vision Scholarship is highly competitive. How would you rate this student among his or her peers?

- ☐ Superior qualifications
  - ☐ Above Average
  - ☐ Good
  - ☐ Average
  - ☐ Below Average
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