

Girls Inc. - William G. Broughton Scholarship Application

William G. Broughton Fellowship for Outstanding Achievement:

1. Applicant must be a current or former member of **Girls Inc. of the Greater Capital Region**.
2. Applicant must possess an interest and/or talent with exceptional potential that could be developed through additional training.
3. Eligibility is based solely on merit and potential, not a financial need, age, sex, race or other background factor.
4. Applicant must submit **2 letters of recommendation** (applicant's choice – school, community – no relatives).
5. Applicant **must submit a clearly written description** of the educational or training program in which the applicant wishes to participate.
6. Applicant must submit a **transcript of high school record, GED scores, or college/university record**.
7. Applicant must demonstrate the personal drive and commitment to complete the program of training and study.
8. The successful applicant must **use the award within 12 months** following the announcement of the Broughton Fellowship and is asked to share the learning experience in some way with **Girls Inc. of the Greater Capital Region**.

The William G. Broughton Fellowship for Outstanding Achievement is an award given to assist a present or former member of **Girls Inc. of the Greater Capital Region** in pursuing any field of endeavor in which she/he has a developing talent or ability. This can be academic pursuit (college, trade school, and graduate school), an athletic skill (such as gymnastics camp) or artistic or technical interest (such as computer training or music lessons). This scholarship will be awarded in May at Girls Night Out.

Checklist:

- Application completed
- Written questions section completed (page 4)
- 2 Recommendation Letters (pages 6 & 7)
- Official High School Transcript or GED scores (sent by High School Guidance Office)
- Essay describing program scholarship to be used for.

*****Deadline – must be submitted by April 6th*****

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Scholarship Application

Name: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Phone No.: _____ Social Security Number.: _____

Date of Birth: _____

High School you will be graduating/have graduated from: _____

Graduation Date: _____ Type of Diploma: _____

When were you a member of **Girls Inc. of the Greater Capital Region**? _____

Describe your involvement at **Girls Inc. of the Greater Capital Region**: _____

College/School you plan to attend: _____ Accepted? _____

Proposed Major: _____

Career Goal: _____

Field or Academic Course of Excellence: _____

Mother's Name & Phone: _____

Mother's Address: _____

Mother's Occupation & Business Phone: _____

Father's Name & Phone: _____

Father's Address: _____

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Brothers, sisters other dependents in family (give ages): _____

Honors and Activities in High School, Followed by Year (Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior) – Additional sheet may be attached if necessary.

Has candidate been awarded any other scholarships? If so, please list them:

Details of current financial obligations (car payment, mortgage, etc.):

<u>Name of Lender</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Method of Payment</u>
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Employment & Volunteer Experience (to be completed by applicant):

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Duties</u>	<u>Dates</u>
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Permission to Release Information

"I give permission to **Girls Inc. of the Greater Capital Region** to receive information from my high school regarding my grades and financial aid."

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Parent

Date

All application materials (official high school transcript or GED scores, personal letter, completed application, and letters of recommendation) are due by **April 6th**. Return to Scholarship Committee at address provided.

Please return by April 6th to:
SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE
Girls Inc. of the Greater Capital Region
962 Albany St
Schenectady, NY 12307

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Recommendation Form

_____ has applied for the Broughton Scholarship awarded by **Girls Inc. of the Greater Capital Region** to pursue education in a field of interest. We would appreciate your honest appraisal of this candidate. Please feel free to either use this form, or write a letter including answers to these questions. Thank you for your cooperation.

1. What is your relationship with the applicant?

2. Please describe any particular talents or academic achievements that you have observed in the applicant.

3. What growth would you expect to take place during further training or education?

4. Are there areas of work that require particular attention? Is there anything that would be helpful for us to know in assisting this applicant?

Date

Signature of Reference

Name of Reference

Daytime Phone number

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