**HENDERSON INSTITUTE-ROBERT BOGAN SCHOLARSHIP**

**ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD ANNOUNCEMENT**

The Henderson Institute-Robert Bogan Scholarship Committee announces its annual scholarship award program. This award is for deserving students attending high school in Henderson, NC or students able to establish a legacy to a graduate of **“Henderson Institute”.** The award may be used at any accredited institution of their choice. Students will be selected based on the following criteria

1. Academic Achievement (at least 2.5 un-weighted grade point average)
2. Financial Need
3. Contribution to School and Community
4. Acceptance to a Degree-Granting Accredited Institution
5. Three Letters of Recommendation
6. Interview with the Committee

To apply for the scholarship, the applicant must submit the following:

* Application Form
* Double-spaced typewritten essay (500 words minimum) that discusses **one** of the

following topics:

1. Why I Wish to Attend College
2. My Career Goal and How I Plan to Achieve that Goal
3. Barriers and Enhancements to My Educational Experience
* Official copies of all school transcripts
* Letter of recommendation from any **three** of the following:
* Teacher
* Guidance Counselor
* Minister
* Employer
* Community Leader
* Recent Photograph

***All information must be sent as a package and postmarked by :***

 ***12pm the 3rd Tuesday in March (current year).***

Scholarship recipient will be chosen by the Scholarship Committee and will be notified by letter not later than ***the 1st Tuesday in May (current year).***  The scholarship recipient’s high school counselor will also be notified. A member of the Henderson Institute-Robert Bogan Scholarship Committee may be available to present the scholarship award at the school’s Class Night awards program.

**All Application information MUST be mailed to: Henderson Institute-Robert Bogan**

 **Scholarship Committee**

 **P.O. Box 2081**

 **Henderson, NC 27536**