



GRANT NOMINATION INSTRUCTIONS

The deadline for application submissions is June 1, 2026.

The Bollinger Foundation provides financial assistance to children of any age who have: (1) lost a parent or legal guardian, (2) at least one parent or legal guardian who works, worked or contributes to the housing, community development, or economic development field, and (3) demonstrated financial need. Grants are awarded in small amounts up to \$8,000 per year with a total lifetime cap of \$32,000.

The Nomination Form is your application for a grant to fund the education and support of at least one child from an eligible family. Eligibility includes meeting all three criteria listed above.

Part A confirms family eligibility by identifying the parent or legal guardian who has died, and the parent or legal guardian, surviving or deceased, who works or has worked in the housing, community development, or economic development field.

Part B introduces each child to be nominated. One or more of the children of the parents or legal guardians identified in Part A may be nominated for a Bollinger Foundation Grant. Part B provides identifying information about the nominated child and the amount and purpose of the grant requested. If more than three children in a family are nominated, please use the additional space in Part E to provide the information requested in Part B for each additional child.

Part C provides the contact and relationship information about the individual completing the Nomination Form.

Part D establishes family need. Provide information on the family's financial situation, using an estimate of family income and net worth. Additionally, provide information on the family's situation as a whole, noting any special circumstances that may not be reflected by the financial statement.

Part E provides additional space to continue any response if needed. Any response to Parts A–D can be supplemented with an additional statement if desired. At your option, you may use the additional space in Part E to explain the needs and interests of any or each Nominated Child.

Part F, the Statement of Accuracy, must be completed, signed and dated.

All questions must be answered in order for the nomination to be considered.



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GRANT NOMINATION FORM

Part A. Eligibility

Deceased Parent or Legal Guardian

Full Name	Date of death (mm/dd/yyyy)
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Surviving Parent or Legal Guardian

Full Name

Complete Address

Email	Telephone
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Work Eligibility

Based on (select only one)

Deceased Parent/Guardian

Surviving Parent/Guardian

Employer name	Job title
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Start date if currently employed	Length of employment if past
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Complete Address

Employer Contact

Name	Job title
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Email	Telephone
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Optional: Additional description of housing, community development, or economic development work experience described above

Part B. Nominated Child/Children

Nominated Child 1

Full Name	Date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy)
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Current School

School Address

Current year/grade	If not currently in school, last year of attendance
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School Contact

Name	Job title
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Email	Telephone
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If child will attend a different school in the next school year, please provide school/program name, address, and contact information

Grant Request

Amount requested

Purpose

Part B. Nominated Child/Children (continued)

Nominated Child 2

Name	Date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy)
Current School	
School Address	
Current year/grade	If not currently in school, last year of attendance

School Contact

Name	Job title
Email	Telephone

If child will attend a different school in the next school year, please provide school/program name, address, and contact information

Grant Request

Amount requested	
Purpose	

Nominated Child 3

Name	Date of birth
Current School	
School Address	
Current Year/Grade	If not currently in school, last year of attendance

School Contact

Name	Job title
Email	Telephone

If child will attend a different school in the next school year, please provide school/program name, address, and contact information

Grant Request

Amount requested	
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Part C. Nominating Individual

Name	
Complete Address	
Email	Telephone

Relationship to family

Surviving spouse

Other (please explain in the space below)

Part D. Family Need

Provide information on the family's financial situation, using an estimate of family income and net worth. Also provide information on the family's situation as a whole, noting special circumstances that may not be reflected by the financial statement.

Part E. Additional Information

Use this space to continue or supplement any response from Parts A–D if needed. If providing information about additional children, please be sure to include all information requested in Part B. You may use this space to explain the needs and interests of any nominated child (be sure to identify which child is being discussed).

Part F. Statement of Accuracy

Please initial each statement and sign and date at the bottom.

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

I hereby understand that it is my responsibility as the applicant to notify the Bollinger Foundation if any of the above information changes.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a grant recipient, according to Bollinger Foundation policy, the nominated family is responsible for providing to the Foundation the required information for the grant check to be made payable to the appropriate recipient of funds.

Signature of Nominating Individual from Part C	Date
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Checklist

Please ensure you have provided:

Completed application form
 Detailed contact information for grant recipient

Email completed application to the Bollinger Foundation at contact@bollingerfoundation.org.

or

mail a hard copy to:

The Bollinger Foundation
Attention: IEDC
1275 K St. NW / Suite 300
Washington, DC 20005

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