

Boettcher Scholarship

What is the Boettcher Scholarship?

- It is a merit-based scholarship awarded to 50 Colorado High School Seniors

What does the scholarship entail?

- Covers full tuition and fees to specific Colorado accredited, four-year Undergraduate Universities
- Living Stipend of 2,800/year towards room and board
- Book Allowance (determined by the college/university)
- Campus Enrichment Programming/Grants Opportunities/Annual Events

How do you qualify for the Boettcher/What are they looking for?

- Graduating from a Colorado High School
- Been in the state of Colorado for your Junior and Senior year
- US Citizen or permanent resident
- Students with the following qualities:
 - Superior scholastic ability
 - Evidence of leadership and involvement
 - Service to community and school
 - Outstanding character.
- ******In recent years, Boettcher Scholars averaged in the top two percent in their class by rank and scored 1405 on the SAT and 32 on the ACT.

Application Process and Deadlines (PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!):

1. Interested students who qualify **are now invited to apply directly through Boettcher's website (www.boettcherfoundation.org)**. The application is open early September!
2. There is a Skyline Internal Deadline of **October 20 at 2:30pm** for students to submit their online applications to their counselors so they may have time to fill out their section of the application.
3. Final Deadline is **November 1st** Transcripts and test scores must get to Boettcher Foundation by this date as well.
 - ***Test scores must be sent to the foundation electronically by providing the appropriate foundation code to the corresponding testing center (ACT Code: 0538; SAT Code: 0019). NOTE: It can take several weeks for test scores to reach us from the agencies, so we recommend that students request them as soon as they begin the Boettcher Scholarship online application.**
4. All applicants are then notified through the online system, and semifinalists are requested to submit three letters of recommendation **by mid-to-late December**. All semifinalists are notified of their status through the online system
5. Approximately 100 finalists are interviewed at the Boettcher Foundation **in March**.
6. Soon after the finalist interviews, the 50 winners are notified. The winners then have until **mid-to late-April** to accept or decline the Boettcher Scholarship.

****THE BIGGEST CHANGE:** We understand the myriad of challenges that make it difficult for students to take the ACT or SAT. Because of those challenges, we cannot assume all students will have access to testing opportunities. **Therefore, we have decided to move to a test optional application for the class of 2022.**

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