



“Making A Difference” Scholarship Program 2013

1. DEADLINE for scholarship applications is Friday, March 15th, 2013, 5:00 p.m. (no exceptions).
2. Refer to criteria below for eligibility requirements.
3. If any question does not apply to you in this application please put N/A in the space.
4. Type or print legibly.
5. You will be notified by phone or email regarding the status of your application.
6. If you have any questions about the application, please call us at (435) 319-0004.

NOTE: Scholarship funds will only be awarded to students who pass the Forte Strong selection process.

Purpose: To provide scholarships to three (3) deserving students who are interested in achieving total independence, becoming an autonomous and self-reliant adult and furthering their education endeavors. Student must be interested in or intending to pursue a post-high school course of study at either college/university or other post-secondary educational institution to include trade schools.

Award Components: Three (3) \$2800 a month scholarships awarded to three (3) students selected by the Forte Strong.

Criteria:

1. Applicant must have graduated high school or obtained a similar high school diploma/certification (ie, G.E.D.).
2. Applicant must be between 18 – 30 years of age.

Application Process: Applicant must submit the following items:

1. Completed application form (if handwritten, please print legibly)
2. Letter of application addressed to Forte Strong. The letter should contain a brief explanation of career goals and biographical (background) information.
3. Personal Essay. In your essay, please answer the question on the enclosed essay form.

How have you worked in your life to make a positive difference?

Please mail OR submit application in person to:

“Making a Difference” Scholarship Program
Forte Strong
1071 E 100 S #C1
St George, Utah 84770

Forte Strong, Inc.
“Making a Difference” Scholarship
Application 2012

Please **type** or **print** your answers. If application is illegible it will be returned to you.

1.	Last Name:	First Name:
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2.	Mailing Address:: Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____
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3.	Daytime Telephone Number: () _____
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4.	Date of Birth: Month Day Year
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5.	Current High School:	Number of years attended:
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6.	I'm intending to enroll in the following school in the Fall of 2013: _____ Proof of acceptance or current student enrollment from the above school is not required .
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7.	I will be entering the above-mentioned school as a: (Circle one) Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior
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8.	Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale)
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9.	ACT Score: _____ Or SAT Score: _____
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10.	Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): Use reverse side of application if you need more space. Name (s) _____ Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Home phone of parents or legal guardians:
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11.	Name and city of other high schools attended:	Number of years attended:
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12.	List the name of any college you have attended.	Year Began	Year Ended	Year Graduated (If applicable)	Type of Degree Received (If applicable)
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C.					
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13.	What specialty/major do you plan to major in as you continue your education?
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14. List expenses you expect to incur per semester or quarter: (Approximate figures acceptable)

A. Tuition: Amount: \$

B. Books: Amount: \$

C. Room & Board: Amount: \$

D. Other expenses: Amount: \$ Describe below under comments

E. Other expenses: Amount: \$

Comments:

15. List other financial assistance you will receive per semester or quarter if any:

A. Personal: Amount: \$

B. Other Scholarship(s): Amount: \$ Describe below under comments

C. Grants: Amount: \$

C. Student Loan(s): Amount: \$

D. Other Financial Resources: Amount: \$

Comments:

Use an additional sheet if you need more room to list financial information requested in items 14 & 15.

16. List your academic honors, awards and membership activities while in high school or college:

17.	List your community service activities, hobbies, outside interests, and extracurricular activities:
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Academic Questions:

18.	What are your short term career goals? (Example: One to five years after graduation):
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19.	What are your long term career goals? (Example: Ten years from now):
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20.	What unique circumstances make you an ideal scholarship candidate compared to the other applicants?
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Citizenship Questions:

21.	People help others in many ways: whether through daily interactions or through formal charitable organizations. What is your personal choice in how you help others and why?
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22.	How could those experiences serve as a model for ways in which other groups or organization could serve the community?
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23.	What area of community service/charitable work do you think is the most critical and why?
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24.	Personal Essay Please answer the following question: <i>How have you worked in your life to make a positive difference?</i> Submit your response on the last sheet provided with this application.
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STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

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

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ Date: _____

Personal Essay

How have you worked in your life to make a positive difference?