



**Big Brothers Big Sisters**  
of Southwest Idaho

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Dear Big,

We are excited to remind you of the BBBSuccess Scholarship application for your high school senior Little! The application must be completed and received in our office by 5pm on Tuesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, a printable copy is available online as well, [www.bbbsidaho.org/scholarship](http://www.bbbsidaho.org/scholarship). As a Big, we ask that you write a short letter of recommendation about your Little based on the included prompts and help them with the application process. We have included a free resource for help with the process and encourage everyone to utilize it. Eligibility for the scholarship is based on the criteria below.

To apply for the scholarship:

- Little must have a cumulative GPA of 3.50
- Little must be eligible for a Pell Grant (see High School guidance counselor or Step Ahead Idaho for more information)
- Be on track to obtain high school diploma by June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018
- Meet Big Brothers Big Sisters program graduation requirements for your match

Details of scholarship:

- We will award one student with a \$5,000 per year scholarship
- The scholarship can be renewed for up to 4 years
- The student will need to show progress towards a degree each semester
- To remain eligible, Little must maintain a 3.25 GPA and full-time status
- Proof of enrollment, GPA and progress towards degree must be shown before any tuition payment is made

Application packet checklist:

- Completed application, including responses to the essay questions
- Letter of recommendation from Big, which must be submitted with application
- Unofficial high school transcript
- Proof of Pell Grant eligibility
- Copy of your letter of acceptance from a public college or university

We are excited about this opportunity!

Sincerely,

Emily Johnson  
CEO, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southwest Idaho