

# New Century Scholarship

## APPLICATION FOR 2014 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

New Century Scholarship Program  
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In order to qualify for the New Century Scholarship a student must complete the following:

1. Earn an associate degree (or complete the Math and Science Curriculum) with a college **GPA of a 3.0** from an approved Utah public college or university **by the date of your class's high school graduation**. Or if you graduate from high school early, by the time your class would have graduated.  
You may earn your associate degree from: Dixie State University, Salt Lake Community College, Snow College, Southern Utah University, University of Utah (Equivalent Certification), Utah State University, Utah State University Eastern, Utah Valley University, or Weber State University.
  2. Earn a minimum high school cumulative **GPA of 3.5**.
  3. If you were home schooled, or will earn your high school diploma from an online school, you will be required to submit an ACT score with a minimum of a **26 composite score**.
  4. Enroll in **15 credits fall semester** following your high school graduation at one of the following Utah institutions of higher education:  
Brigham Young University (Provo)      Dixie State University      Southern Utah University  
University of Utah      Utah State University      Utah Valley University  
Weber State University      Westminster College
- Note: If you do not enroll in 15 or more credits at an eligible institution, you must submit and be approved for a deferment. For more information regarding the deferment process visit our website, [www.newcenturyscholarship.org](http://www.newcenturyscholarship.org).
5. Complete **STEP ONE** of the application process by filling out the 2014 New Century Scholarship application and mailing it by **February 3, 2014**. **The application for the New Century Scholarship is on the reverse side of this document.**
    - Faxed or emailed applications are **NOT** accepted.
    - Late or incomplete applications are not considered.
    - Applications must be **SIGNED** by the student
    - You will receive a letter indicating the receipt of your application.
      - ◇ Should your application be valid, this letter will include instructions related to step two of the application process, including what documentation you will need to submit by **September 2, 2014**.
      - ◇ If you have not received a response regarding the submission of your application by April 1, 2014, you need to call our office at 801-321-7221 to inquire about the status of your scholarship, or you risk forfeiting the scholarship.
  6. Complete **STEP TWO** of the application process. Instructions related to step two are provided directly to the applicant as mentioned above in item 5.

Once you have completed the application on the reverse side, print, sign and date it. Then mail it to the address listed above. **You are encouraged to keep a record and copies of all documents you submit for the New Century Scholarship. You may also want to consider mailing the application materials via certified mail.** It is the applicant's responsibility to confirm receipt of the application and related documents.

**ALL APPLICATION MATERIALS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY FEBRUARY 3, 2014.**

The award amount for the New Century Scholarship program is determined on an annual basis and is subject to legislative funding and the total number of qualified participants within the program. Therefore, the award amount may be reduced, may vary from year to year, and is dependent on when the recipient is enrolled in college.

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**TYPE YOUR ANSWERS TO ENSURE YOUR APPLICATION IS LEGIBLE.**

1. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_
2. Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_
3. Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_
4. Social Security Number \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (This is used for processing the scholarship award should you be found eligible.)
5. Phone \_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_ Student Cell Phone \_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_
6. Student Email \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Gender  Male  Female
8. Ethnic Origin (optional)  Hispanic or Latino  Non-Hispanic or Latino  
If you selected Non-Hispanic or Latino please select one of the following:  American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian  
 Black or African American  Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander  White
9. I am a U.S. Citizen  Yes  No If you selected no, are you eligible to apply for Federal Financial Aid?  Yes  No  
**In compliance with SB 81 you must sign this application attesting to your lawful presence, applications with out a signature will not be accepted.**
10. I have a criminal record other than a misdemeanor traffic citation.  Yes  No
11. Name of High School granting your high school diploma (no abbreviations please) \_\_\_\_\_
12. District \_\_\_\_\_ 13. Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ 14. Cumulative High School GPA \_\_\_\_\_
15. Composite ACT Score \_\_\_\_\_ English Score \_\_\_\_\_ Math Score \_\_\_\_\_ Reading Score \_\_\_\_\_ Science Score \_\_\_\_\_
16. I am completing the Math and Science Curriculum to earn the New Century Scholarship.  Yes  No  
**If yes, you will need to complete the Math and Science Curriculum Verification form during part two of the application process.**
17. Associate Degree to be Completed:  Associate of Arts  Associate of Science  Associate of Applied Science  
 Equivalent Requirements (only for the University of Utah)  Other (please list) \_\_\_\_\_
18. Utah System of Higher Education College or University where the associate degree will be completed:  
 Dixie State University  Salt Lake Community College  Snow College  
 Southern Utah University  University of Utah  Utah State University  
 Utah State University Eastern  Utah Valley University  Weber State University
19. Anticipated date for completing the associate degree \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ 20. Current College Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_
21. The New Century Scholarship can only be used at the following institutions. Where do you plan to complete your baccalaureate degree? (Select one)  
 Brigham Young University-Provo  Dixie State University  Southern Utah University  Weber State University  
 University of Utah  Utah State University  Utah Valley University  Westminster College
22. I will be enrolled in 15 or more credits at an approved college during the Fall 2014 semester  Yes  No If you marked "no", you must submit a deferment application as early as possible, but no later than **September 2, 2014**, along with all other final documents.
23. Do you plan to apply for Federal Financial Aid?  Yes  No
24. How did you hear about the New Century Scholarship?  H.S. Counselor  Friend  Family  College Counselor  Other

**I understand that by submitting this signed application I am certifying, under penalty of law (perjury), that I am a U.S. citizen or a qualified alien that is lawfully present in the United States.** I certify the information provided in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if I have provided false information my application will be denied and I will forfeit my consideration for the New Century Scholarship. **I understand that this is only part one of the application and I will be required to complete part two of the application process by September 2, 2014.**

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_