

Bobby R. Larkin Sr. Scholarship



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Application

Deadline

March 29, 2023

About College Now Greater Cleveland Inc.

For 50 years College Now Greater Cleveland has been able to help students pursue educational opportunities that empower them to embark on rewarding careers and strengthen our community. College Now assists over 30,000 individuals each year, delivering college and career access advising, financial aid counseling and scholarship and retention services in schools, in the College Now Resource Center and through community-based programs and collaborations. For more information, visit www.collegenowgc.org

Bobby Larkin, the fourth child born to Lillian and Willie Larkin, was an athlete who enjoyed playing basketball and softball. Bobby had a deep concern for his family and his community. These deep interests led him to become involved with the children of his community. Bobby volunteered at the Glenbrook and Indian Hills Elementary Schools. Here he helped to create and participate in the mentoring program. Many of the students considered him a father figure. Bobby was the father of three children. Two of his children are college graduates and his youngest child is currently enrolled in medical school. Bobby felt strongly that education was critical to the success of his own children and youth of the community. It is the hope that the youth who receive this scholarship will become a living legacy to the memory of Bobby Larkin Sr.

Applicant must be a Euclid High School student and graduating in 2023. They are to attend an accredited 2-year or 4-year public or private not for profit college in 2023/2024. Preference will be given to minority and underrepresented students. This Scholarship is a one-year scholarship.

Those applying for the Bobby R. Larkin Sr. Scholarship should meet with their College Now advisor and complete the following:

- ❑ Be recommended by your College Now Advisor and complete the College Now Scholarship Application
- ❑ Submit your high school transcript showing a cumulative weighted GPA of at least a 2.5
- ❑ Submit standardized test documentation showing a minimum ACT composite score of 18 **OR** combined verbal and math SAT score of 960
- ❑ Submit 2023/2024 Student Aid Report (SAR) or FAFSA confirmation page
- ❑ Submit college Financial Aid Award Letter (if available)
- ❑ Essay, typed, one-page explaining your life goals and how the scholarship will help you achieve them