



SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME

FAMILY GUARDIAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Family Guardian Scholarship is awarded annually to a Bahamian full-time student who is interested in pursuing a career in the Insurance industry. This scholarship will provide financial aid through full tuition assistance and funding for text books to undergraduate juniors and seniors studying one of the following majors at the University of The Bahamas (UB):

- Actuarial Science
- Nursing
- Business (Marketing preferred)
- Information Technology

In addition to funding for tuition and text books, one student from the Family Islands will receive funding for housing while residing in Nassau to attend classes and to participate in the company's work experience program.

The scholarship will be provided for a total of up to two (2) consecutive years, provided that the student meets all the required conditions. The scholarship amount will be disbursed at the beginning of each academic semester. Additionally, the successful applicant will be provided with an opportunity to work with the Company during school breaks and will be required to work for the Company for two years upon the completion of the degree. The successful applicant will also be eligible to be considered for a management trainee program upon completion of the degree program.

Eligibility:

- ✓ Only full-time (12 credits or more) University of the Bahamas junior or senior students majoring in Actuarial Science, Nursing, Business (Marketing) and Information Technology will be accepted into the scholarship program.
- ✓ Bahamian citizen and able to reside in New Providence
- ✓ Successfully graduated from high school
- ✓ Minimum of 3.0 overall GPA in the first two years of an accredited college/university
- ✓ Current fulltime enrolment as a junior or senior in an undergraduate program at UB in one of the following above noted majors
- ✓ Must be committed to a career in the Insurance industry
- ✓ Note: Employees of FamGuard are not eligible

Application Deadline - Monday, November 13th, 2017

Supporting Documents Needed:

- Completed application - the application can be downloaded at www.familyguardian.com
- Copies of BGCSE/ High School Diploma certificates and other awards
- Copy of University of The Bahamas letter of acceptance An unofficial University of The Bahamas transcript and most recent official transcript with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0
- Resume
- Clean police record issued within the last six months
- Copy of passport and NIB card
- Passport sized color photograph (2)
- Two character references, including one from a professor within your major
- Essay (Maximum of 500 words) - include in your essay all of the following:
 - Explain the importance of your major in today's society
 - What do you think the insurance industry will be like in the next 10 years?
 - Why are you a good candidate to receive this award?
 - Briefly describe your long- and short-term goals

Applications and supporting documents should be delivered by November 13th, 2017 to:

*Human Resources Department Attn: Scholarship Committee
FamGuard Corporate Centre, #1 Shirley Street
Nassau, Bahamas*

Conditions of the Scholarship Program:

- Students must have an overall GPA of 3.0 or higher and maintain a 3.0 in order to retain the scholarship. Scholarship recipients who are not able to maintain this GPA will become ineligible with no obligation to repay the scholarship funds previously provided.
- All payments for courses and text books will be made directly to the University of The Bahamas on behalf of the students following the submission of invoices to the Company.
- Scholarship recipients will be required to authorize the University of The Bahamas to provide grades at the end of each semester and to advise the Company of any academic issues impacting the recipients.
- Scholarship recipients will be required to participate in work experience programs in the Company during summer breaks and will receive a salary commensurate with the duties being performed.
- The recipients will also be featured prominently in the media and will be required to attend an annual social with management.
- Scholarship recipients must commit to working with Family Guardian as a full-time employee for a minimum period of two (2) years after the completion of the undergraduate degree.