

All paperwork for funding is due on or prior to September 30, 2009. Funding for past years is not retroactive. If you failed to provide the paperwork for funding in the past, you are no longer eligible for past funding.

**ROBERT C. BYRD HONORS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
CONTINUATION INFORMATION**

- With this form, you are required to complete and include the following:
- a. ED80-0016 / Certification of Eligibility for Federal Assistance in Certain Programs
 - b. Verification of Continued Eligibility with the required signature(s)
 - c. Attach a current official transcript which includes your cumulative grade point average

Complete the following:

Name and Address: _____ Home Phone: (____) _____

School Phone: (____) _____

E-Mail: _____

Social Security Number _____

Projected Graduation Date ____/____/____
Month/Year

Recipients of the Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship are ineligible for renewal if in default on a Federal student loan. Please check yes or no in response to the following question.

Are you in default on a Federal student loan? _____ Yes _____ No

Note: Byrd scholars are eligible for 8 semesters or 4 years of funding as an undergraduate student. If a Byrd scholar graduates in less than 8 semesters or 4 years, any remaining funding is forfeited. If paperwork is not received by the appropriate date, the student may forfeit the funding. If you failed to provide paperwork for past funding, you are no longer eligible for that funding.

I certify that all of the information provided on this document is accurate.

_____/_____
Date Signature

After the evaluation of your completed packet of information, **all forms and transcript**, request for payment will be made. Payments to colleges/universities and the Byrd Scholar will be made to the Financial Aid Office. Should you need further information about your scholarship, please contact the Scholarships Coordinator scholars@dpi.state.nc.us

***ALL CONTINUATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO THE AVAILABILITY OF FEDERAL FUNDS.
THE ANNUAL AWARD AMOUNT FOR 2009-2010 IS \$1,500.00 PAYABLE IN ONE CHECK.***

Please return all forms, with all required signatures, **in ONE PACKET**, to the Scholarships Office. All information should be returned by **September 30, 2009** to the following:

Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship
North Carolina Department of Public Instruction
6330 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-6330

When Using a Mail Tracking Service:
Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship
North Carolina Department of Public Instruction
301 N. Wilmington Street
Raleigh, NC 27601

Failure to return all required paperwork will result in forfeiture of your scholarship.