

## **DR. ANN BALDWIN BATES SCHOLARSHIP 2025-26 William & Mary Application**

The Dr. Ann Baldwin Bates Scholarship, named in memory of Dr. Bates (W&M Biology '90), is a need-based scholarship (approximately \$3000) for upper-class Biology majors (sophomores or juniors during 2024-25) who have demonstrated selfless and compassionate commitment to others in the context of volunteer health care service. Application review is under the direction of William & Mary's health professions advisors in collaboration with the Department of Biology.

### **Instructions:**

Please read the eligibility requirements and initial application information carefully. Before 5pm on May 23rd, email your completed application form as a pdf file to Sarah Freeman ([spfreeman01@wm.edu](mailto:spfreeman01@wm.edu)) and save the acknowledgement that your application has been received. Submitted files should be titled with your last name, first name, and the name of scholarship (e.g. Smith\_John\_BaldwinBates).pdf

Following initial review, additional information may be requested from applicants. Posted Biology major declaration and demonstrated financial need will be verified with the Registrar's office and the Financial Aid office before the scholarship is awarded.

### **Eligibility requirements:**

- (1) Substantial high school and/or college volunteer service activity in health care settings.
- (2) Declared W&M Biology major posted on DegreeWorks at time of scholarship application.
- (3) Sophomore or junior during academic year 2024-25, with demonstrated financial need.  
Applicants must have a 2025-26 FAFSA on file at W&M and demonstrated financial need for 2025-26 when the scholarship application is submitted.

### **Initial Application Information Form:**

Name (Last, first, middle):

W&M ID #:

W&M email address:

Current social class and graduation date (e.g. Sophomore, May 2025):

\_\_\_\_\_ My Biology major has been posted on my DegreeWorks.

\_\_\_\_\_ My FAFSA is on file in the W&M Financial Aid office (see above eligibility requirements).

Application materials:

- 1) List and briefly describe each service activity during high school and college, including location and dates (months and year), in which you have helped people who have health problems. Relevant activities include volunteering in clinical settings such as hospitals, free clinics, or hospice programs; they also include helping people who have health problems that affect their daily lives, such as seniors with physical or other limitations or children with special needs. Descriptions should be limited to a short paragraph for each service activity with the activity, dates and location of each activity clearly listed.
- 2) Briefly describe (maximum of 250 words) your goal(s) in the area of health services and how the above experiences have impacted your goals.