

2015 Cooke Undergraduate Transfer Scholarship Short Answers and Essays - PREVIEW

The application for the Cooke Undergraduate Transfer Scholarship must be completed online. This document serves to provide a preview of the short answer and essay section of the application.

Short Answers

Please answer the following questions regarding your academic and personal experiences. Take the time to compose thoughtful responses. You are limited to the maximum number of characters listed for each answer. If you copy and paste your responses from Word into any of the essay boxes and your character count is over the limit, you will see an alert appear. You must fix the issue before you are able to proceed.

1. How would you describe your community college academic experience? Has it been “a walk in the park,” “an uphill climb,” or something else? Fill in the blank with your own expression and explain. [Text box 600 character limit]
2. Scholars are committed to making the world a better place. They are inventing solutions, advocating for others, and giving back to their communities. However, most started with small steps. What steps, big or small, have you taken to make your own impact on the world? [Text box 600 character limit]
3. Discuss the subject about which you most love learning. What sparked your interest or passion in this subject? [Text box 600 character limit]

Essay

Tell us about a time when your curiosity led you someplace you were not expecting to go. [Essay box, 1800 character limit]

Narrative Autobiography

This statement should provide information not elicited elsewhere in the application, such as leadership roles, family, educational, philosophical, or other life experiences that have influenced your achievements and career decision. Also include professional and civic activities that you consider important. The narrative should be concise, emphasizing those areas most important to your intellectual development. [Essay box 3000 characters]