NKU School-Based Scholars Ambassadors Application

As a SBS Ambassador, you will be leading the charge in promoting the benefits of NKU dual-credit classes and share your own dual-credit experience with potential freshman, sophomores, and juniors at your high school.

Applications will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis and you will be notified by email if you have been selected as an SBS Ambassador. Completed applications may be emailed to Kristin Hornsby at hornsbyk1@nku.edu.

Below, you will find a list of qualifications and responsibilities for our SBS Ambassadors as well as the SBS Ambassador Application.

Qualifications

- Must be currently enrolled in at least one class in the SBS program.
- Must have a 3.0 GPA or higher.
- Must have at least a 20 composite on ACT or an equal test equivalent.
- Preference given to those students who plan to apply to NKU as freshman.
- Must be able to attend at least one Ambassador meeting to be held on NKU’s campus each semester.

Responsibilities

- Work with your school’s guidance counselor and the SBS coordinator to serve as an advocate for the Northern Kentucky University in each student’s respective high school.
- Speak about your SBS experience at least one major school event (i.e., a pep rally, an awards ceremony, 8th grader visits to the high school, dual credit parent night), to be determined at a later date.
- Provide support to SBS students as needed.
- Attend at least one Ambassador meeting to be held on NKU’s campus each semester to discuss ways to recruit new students and/or connect with freshman, sophomores, or non-SBS juniors promote dual-credit.

Benefits

- Networking opportunities with NKU faculty and staff, admissions, and university programs.
- Opportunities to attend on-campus events and explore NKU’s campus offerings.
- Opportunity to build leadership and communication skills.
- Provide a service to other students, helping them to understand and get excited for dual-credit.
- Offers students a chance to build their resume to showcase public speaking and leadership skills outside of the classroom and increase their marketability with job, university and scholarship applications.
Application

Name: ________________________________  High School: ________________________________

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Intended Major: __________________________  Intended College: __________________________

Year in School:  Jr.  Sr.  # of completed SBS classes: ________  T-Shirt Size: __________

Cumulative High School GPA: __________  NKU Email: ________________@nku.edu

Cell: __________________________  Personal Email: ________________________________

Please respond to the questions on the next page. You may attach an additional sheet for your responses if necessary.

1. How has your participation in the SBS program impacted your personal and professional goals?

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2. How would you use your experience in the SBS program to connect with potential freshman, sophomores, and juniors at your high school to encourage them to sign up for dual-credit as juniors and/or seniors?

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3. List three characteristics you possess that will benefit you as a SBS Ambassador. Please explain.

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4. List the organizations that you participate in at your high school or in the community.

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Please provide contact information for one faculty member from your school who may be contacted as a reference for your application.

Name: ____________________________________________

Email: ____________________________________________

Phone: ____________________________________________