Let's work **Together** to help save lives...

Our Vision
To be recognized as an industry leader and the "go-to" partner for blood-related healthcare services.

Our Mission
To bring people together to save lives through innovative blood services and therapies.

Who We Serve
YOU! Our mission is to serve YOU and others in our community by ensuring a safe, adequate supply of blood products, including pathogen-reduced platelets, and services for a range of local hospitals, healthcare facilities, cancer patients, and soldiers actively serving the US military.

SunCoast Blood Centers

In addition to our scholarship program, Red Chords will be awarded to seniors based on 3 or more donations.

Contact Us

1-866-97-**BLOOD**

suncoast**blood**.org

Administrative Offices:
3025 Lakewood Ranch Blvd
Suite 111
Bradenton, FL 34211

Scan the QR code to Find out more!

SunCoast Blood Centers
Scholarship Program

How Helping **Others** Helps YOU!

How you can **Help Us** help you...

High School students in Charlotte, DeSoto, Manatee, Pinellas, Hillsboro and Sarasota counties are eligible to earn scholarship funds from SunCoast Blood Centers through donations of blood and/or volunteer hours with SCBC.

To apply for a **Scholarship** Students must...

- Complete an application form with essays
- Proof of graduation, current report card and/or class schedule.
- Volunteer confirmation form if you completed volunteer hours at SCBC
- Recruitment Form Completed if you recruit donors.

Applications can be submitted on-line, mailed, or delivered to:

SunCoast Blood Centers
3025 Lakewood Ranch Blvd #111
Bradenton, FL 34211
Attn: Scholarship Program
jleonard@suncoastblood.org

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What to do for **Eligibility** to apply...

- Donate blood three or more times since the age of 16... OR
- Volunteer a minimum of 50 hours with SunCoast Blood Centers... OR
- A combination of both.

Bonus points will be given for:
- Additional donations
- Recruiting others to donate
- Amount of volunteer hours
- Platelet donations/Power Reds

Eligibility to start donating blood is at age 16, with parental consent.

Applications that are incomplete or submitted after the deadline will not be considered.

Scholarships are not guaranteed for each student.

Scholarship **Selection** process...

Student applications will be reviewed by a committee comprised of blood center employees, board of directors members and community leaders.

Scholarship funds are calculated based on a standard point system that includes:
- Number of blood donations
- Number of volunteer hours
- Recruitment points
- Essay questions

Deadline Friday, April 23, 2027 @3:00pm

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