

Need help paying for your FBI/BCI Background Check? BCI/FBI Scholarships are available!

<u>Aim:</u> Through funding from the Career Innovations Fund in collaboration with the Education Student Services Center, this scholarship was established to reduce some of the ancillary costs of becoming a teacher for current CSU students.

<u>Scholarship Award Amount:</u> This scholarship will cover the cost of both the BCI and FBI background checks for each recipient. This is approximately \$60 per student to be awarded to a maximum of 83 students.

<u>Use of Scholarship:</u> Funds must be used in the spring 2024 semester. Recipients must complete the background check within the spring semester (deadline May 10, 2024). Please note: BCI and FBI background checks are valid for one year.

Qualifications: Applicants must be a current CSU student enrolled in a teacher licensure program and submit a completed application.

<u>Basis of Award:</u> The criteria used to select the scholarship recipients will be based on financial need.

<u>How to Apply:</u> Fill out the application at the link below. Please thoroughly complete all fields including the "Reason(s) for Financial Need" with an explanation of your financial need and why you would benefit from monetary support.

<u>Application:</u> <u>Click here to apply!</u> The link can also be found on the ESSC website (https://levin.csuohio.edu/essc/scholarships-assistantships) which has a comprehensive list of other scholarship opportunities. Check it out!