



**School-Based
Scholars**

Disclosure Statement

By applying for the NKU School-Based Scholars (SBS) Program, I agree to and understand:

1. In order to be eligible for continued enrollment in the program, students must earn a grade of C or better in each of their courses. Failure to meet this standard will result in removal from the program for the following semester. **In some cases, this may occur with little notice.**
2. Tuition must be paid in full by the first day of class each semester. Tuition varies each year. Although KHEAA offers a dual-credit scholarship to students, it is applied later in the semester. The SBS program recommends paying by the first day of class and receiving a refund later if your student receives the scholarship. *Please refer the SBS website (<http://nkusbs.nku.edu>) for the current SBS tuition rate and payment information.*
 - a. **By signing this disclosure statement, students and parents accept the financial responsibility incurred by taking dual-credit classes and that failure to pay can result in accumulated debt for classes taken as well as difficulty in sending NKU transcripts to other institutions.**
 - b. **NKU is striving to be a paperless institution; as such, paper bills and orientation materials WILL NOT be mailed home; they will be posted to each student’s myNKU account and emailed to the his/her NKU email account.**
3. Students are responsible for purchasing the correct textbook(s) for their courses prior to the start of the semester.
4. Each student is responsible for setting up and checking his/her NKU Email throughout the semester.
 - a. *Instructions on how to do so are available on the SBS website (<http://nkusbs.nku.edu>).*
5. Prior to each semester, the SBS office will provide each student (either with an index card or email) with registration, billing/payment, and textbook information at an orientation event held at his/her respective high school. Students are responsible for providing their parents with this information.
 - a. *In the event that a student loses this information between that orientation and the start of classes, parents/students can refer to the SBS website (<http://nkusbs.nku.edu>) for a copy of this information – follow the button for “Current Students”.*
6. SBS courses are college level courses and may contain mature content not typical in a high school environment. By submitting this disclosure, each parent and student understands that students may be exposed to mature content as part of each NKU course’s curriculum.
7. Each student is responsible for reading and understanding the NKU SBS Handbook found on the SBS website. This handbook covers all policies and procedures for participation in the SBS Program.
8. While in the SBS program, students may be surveyed to obtain information about their interests and experience to enhance the SBS college experience as well as connect students with NKU program, faculty, and students.
9. **By signing this disclosure statement, the parent and child agrees to the aforementioned disclosures and give their permission to NKU to release grades, performance information, and other educational information to the student’s parents/guardians and to _____ high school in conjunction with the SBS program.**
10. **Photo Release:** Students may be photographed in connection with their participation in the SBS program or events at NKU. *Please indicate your preference below by checking the appropriate box:*
 - I, _____, hereby grant NKU and the SBS program permission to copyright, publish and/or use in any form pictures of my child taken in connection with the SBS program for any lawful purpose associated with the University.
 - I, _____, hereby **DO NOT** grant NKU and the SBS program permission to copyright, publish and/or use in any form pictures of my child taken in connection with the SBS program for any lawful purpose associated with the University.

Student Name (Printed)	Signature of Student	Date
Email Address	Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date