

## Bursary application form:

- 40-week Boat Building course
- 12-week Furniture Making course

The Boat Building Academy (BBA) is a registered charity dedicated to advancing the education of the British public in the art, craft and science of boatbuilding, woodworking, furniture making and related skills by facilitating training opportunities. We aim to assist with the provision of financial aid in the form of bursaries for those who would normally be unable to pursue such advancement in life because of financial hardship or lack of ability to pay for such opportunities.

Applications are welcome from anyone who believes they could demonstrate to the Trustees that any bursary awarded will generate real value to both the individual and to industry in the longer term. You should provide as much information as possible and also explain why an award would meet the BBA's charitable objects.

Bursary awards for the 40-week boat building and 12-week furniture making courses will be dependent on being offered a place and a successful bursary interview. We normally offer up to a maximum of 50% of the course fee but in exceptional circumstances we will offer 100% of the course fee.

Please submit your application at your earliest convenience.

PLEASE WRITE CLEARLY IN BLACK INK

1. Which course are you applying for:

2. Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Email:

How would you like us to contact you if we wish to discuss this application?

3. D.O.B.

4. Current situation. Employed; part time employment or unemployed or in full-time education?

5. If employed what is your job and in what capacity are you employed?

6. Please provide the names of two referees who we may contact if necessary.

Referee 1:

Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Email:

Referee 2:

Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Email:

7. Do you have parents, guardians or family connections with the marine or woodworking industry? This question is optional but please advise us if you think an answer will support your application.

8. What is your educational background? Please note, we ask for basic English and maths, (equivalent to Functional Skills Level1.

a) Senior school; key subjects and qualifications achieved:

b) Post school learning:

9. Why are you seeking funding? (You should give as much information here as you consider will support your application. Details of existing loans; mortgages; debts; savings; persons dependent on you; other commitments will all help to give the Trustees background information and help them decide why they should allocate funds to you).

10. Why do you think we should support your application?

11. What do you expect to achieve from the course and what do you intend to do in the future?

12. Do you have any experience in the marine field, boat building, boat maintenance, woodworking, furniture making or other craft skills?

13. Are there any other factors that the Trustees should be aware of when considering your application?

14. If you wish to add any additional comments, please attach additional sheets.

Name:

Signature:

Date:

Please return your application to:

The Administrator  
Boat Building Academy  
Monmouth Beach  
Dorset, DT7 3JN

Alternatively scan and email your form to: [office@boatbuildingacademy.com](mailto:office@boatbuildingacademy.com)