



The Gates Scholarship reader application is now open! We are seeking professionals, like you, to help us in this important role.

As a reader, you will read and evaluate four essays, each, from 20 students, totaling 80 essays, by February 15, 2018. Readers will be required to complete an online certification, prior to receiving their first batch of essays. No travel will be required, essays can be read wherever the reader has internet access (e.g., work, home, etc.).

An ideal reader will have:

- A Bachelor's degree or higher
- Experience working with high school and/or college students
- Frequent contact with high school and/or college students

To begin the reader application, please [create a volunteer profile](#). Once logged in, you will see a reading glasses icon on the top right-hand corner. Click on that icon to begin your application. If you save and return to the application at a later point, you can continue the application by clicking on your name on the top right-hand corner and selecting the "Reader" role.

This role is offered on a strictly volunteer basis. No reimbursements or honorariums will be provided.

Thank you for your consideration and support of our future Scholars.

If you have any questions, please contact us via [The Gates Scholarship Message Center](#).

Regards,

The Gates Scholarship Team

*The Gates Scholarship is a highly selective, full scholarship for exceptional, Pell-eligible, minority, high school seniors. Starting in 2018, the scholarship will be awarded to 300 student leaders each year, with the intent of helping outstanding minority students who come from low-income backgrounds realize their maximum potential.*