

Hillsboro Education Association Scholarship

APPLICATION PACKET

I. Eligibility Requirements

- A. Applicant must be the legally dependent child of an active HEA member with at least three years of active membership. If the active member has been in the district less than three years and has been an active member the entire time, he/she would also qualify.
- B. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior who will be enrolled as a full-time student at an *accredited* four-year college, university, community college, or trade school.

II. The following criteria will be used to select the recipient of the Hillsboro Education Association Scholarship:

- 1. Scholastic achievement – 10 points
 - 2. Personal characteristics – 10 points
 - 3. Contributions to school
 - 4. Contributions outside of school
- } 10 points combined

Financial need will be considered only if required as a tiebreaker.

III. The applicant's intended college major *will not* be considered when selecting the recipient.

IV. The scholarship will be applied only to work done at an *accredited* four-year college, university, community college, or trade school.

V. Two scholarships of \$1,000 will be awarded. Applicants must designate for which scholarship they are applying. One scholarship will be awarded to a student entering and completing classes at an *accredited* public or private four-year college or university in the following fall. The second scholarship will be awarded to a student entering and completing classes at an *accredited* community college or trade school in the following fall. If no student applies in one of the categories, we may consider a second scholarship in the other category.

VI. **Application Packet is due to the HEA President by 4:30 p.m. on the last student contact day before Spring Break.***

- 2-page HEA Application signed by applicant
- One counselor recommendation
- One personal recommendation (only the first submitted will be used/read)
- Copy of high school transcript

VII. You can send the packet through the HSD courier to: HEA President @ HEA office (if choosing this option allow enough time as deliveries to HEA are inconsistent) or drop off/mail to the HEA office: 20450 NW Amberwood Drive, Suite 125, Beaverton, OR 97006. You will be notified when your application is received only if you provide your e-mail address.

VIII. Announcement of scholarship recipient will be made by the third week in May.

IX. Scholarship money will be distributed by check after first term grades are received by the HEA President (must be a minimum GPA of 2.25). Scholarship recipients must mail or drop off their transcript in a registrar sealed envelope to the HEA office in order to receive their check.

** Do not depend on your school counselor to turn in your Application, Recommendation, Reference or Transcript. This is your responsibility.*

PLEASE SUBMIT AS ONE PACKET.

Hillsboro Education Association Scholarship APPLICATION

Please mark the scholarship category that you are applying for:

___ Four-Year College/University ___ Community College/Trade School

Applicant's Name _____
Last
First
Middle

Age _____ Birth date _____ Home Phone _____

Home Address _____
Street
City
State
Zip

E-mail Address _____

Parent _____ Work site _____
HEA member
Parent's

Number in family currently in college _____

High School _____ Graduation Date _____

College/University/Community College/Trade School attending _____

Major _____

Do you plan to live at home? _____ Do you plan to work? _____

Rank your financial need: _____ 1. Financial aid is essential
 _____ 2. Supplemental financial aid is needed
 _____ 3. Not dependent on financial aid

List significant work experiences:

In the space provided below, write a *brief* statement about yourself that includes your strengths and tentative plans for the future.

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List school activities and honors:

List activities and honors outside of school:

Describe below any other pertinent information concerning your own earnings or other financial assets or obligations.

Briefly describe why you are applying for this scholarship.

I hereby certify that:

1. I will be a full time student as established by the four-year college, university, community college, or trade school.
2. This assistance, if granted, will be used only to pay education-related expenses.
3. The information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
4. As the recipient, I understand that I will receive the scholarship at the beginning of the second semester or term if my grade point is 2.25 or higher.

Signature of applicant _____ Date _____

Hillsboro Education Association Scholarship
COUNSELOR RECOMMENDATION

Recommendation for _____

Counselor Name _____ School _____

Rank in class _____ of _____ Cumulative GPA _____

Primary criteria for this scholarship is based on scholastic achievement and personal characteristics. Secondary criteria is based on contributions to school and outside of school.

How long and in what capacity have you known this student?

Recommendation:

Date _____ Signature _____

Hillsboro Education Association Scholarship
PERSONAL RECOMMENDATION

Recommendation for _____

Your Name _____ Title _____

Primary criteria for this scholarship is based on scholastic achievement and personal characteristics. Secondary criteria is based on contributions to school and outside of school.

How long and in what capacity have you known this student?

Personal Recommendation:

Date _____

Signature _____