

# 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: 8900 NE Walker Rd, Suite 125, Hillsboro 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**

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 are based on scholastic achievement and personal characteristics. Secondary criteria are 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 \_\_\_\_\_