



Kiwanis Club of Rolling Hills Estates

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<http://kiwanisclubrhe.org>

2024 Scholarship Application

The Kiwanis Club of Rolling Hills Estates is pleased to offer \$1,000 scholarships to deserving students. Scholarship monies are allocated by the Club based upon proceeds from each year's fund-raising activities. We anticipate awarding fewer scholarships than in recent years, but we look forward to recognizing and supporting as many of our applicants as possible.

The Kiwanis Club hopes to reward students who have shown special "heart" and performed to the best of their ability in high school. It is also recognized that achievements may have been maintained under difficult conditions related to family, outside endeavors, employment, and other situations. The Scholarship Committee will consider academic merit, service and need. Students may be recognized for providing exceptional service to their school and to the community.

Students seeking a Kiwanis of RHE scholarship will earn additional consideration with the following criteria:

1. Active members of the Kiwanis Club of RHE, KIWINIS or Key Clubs.
2. Leadership or ongoing participation in community and school activities.

Applications are welcome from students planning to attend a four-year college or university as well as from those with other vocational aspirations and who plan to attend a community college or vocational program. Vocational Grants applies to those seeking a two-year degree or credential leading to employment.

We will only accept applications from students who plan to attend schools that actively foster an environment of respect and tolerance.

It is important to follow the enclosed instructions carefully and submit all materials, as directed, by the spring 2024 deadline. The scholarship application for high school seniors may be downloaded from the website at www.kiwanisclubrhe.org.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS

SPRING 2024

Emailed by April 15, 2024

APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS

1. High School graduate
2. Grade Point Average of 3.0 or above
3. Accepted by a community college, university, college or trade school
4. Students pursuing a STEM or vocational program
5. Total family income \$75,000 or less
6. Resides in Palos Verdes, San Pedro, Wilmington or Harbor City

2024 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (Application Must be Typed)

Applicants Full Name: _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Financial (Annual Family Income _____)

Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

High School and Address: _____

Grade Point Average (GPA): _____

Are You a Citizen of the United States: Yes _____ No _____

Parent/s or Legal Guardian: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Community Service or Activities

<u>Activity/Group</u>	<u>Position Held</u>	<u>Time Period</u>	<u># of Hrs.</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Employment

Place Position Responsibilities Time Period

Recommendation Letters (Minimum of Two Letters Attached to Application)

Full name and title Full Address Email address Phone

Educational Plans (Attach Acceptance Letters to Application)

Please list all schools you have applied to or intend to apply. Clarify if you have been accepted or are currently pending.

Intended Major

What will be your career objective?

FUNDING

Other scholarships Applied For and the Amount

Other source of funding

Other Financial Aid, Granted, Source and Amount Awarded

Is family able to provide support in college?

Yes _____

No _____

If Yes, give an amount?

Do you know any members of the Kiwanis of RHE?

Yes _____

No _____

If Yes, who? _____

Abstract for publication, (Maximum of 200 words typed and attached to the application) must include the following in the third person,

1. Academic Accomplishments
2. Grade Point Average
3. Community Service
4. College Acceptance or applied
5. Career Objective

Personal statement of 500 – 1000 typed words: please be sure to include the following:

1. Describe your scholastic achievements, school-related extracurricular activities, community involvement, jobs held, or other work experience. Include any awards or special recognition that you have received.
2. Provide any pertinent information that would indicate your financial need.
3. What are your educational and professional goals?
4. Tell us about a difficult situation in your life, how you overcame it, and what it taught you?

WHEN YOU HAVE COMPLETED THE ABOVE, YOU SHOULD EMAIL YOUR COMBINED ELECTRONIC COPY OF YOUR APPLICATION AND THE REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS AS ONE PDF DOCUMENT. We will not accept multiple documents, Zip files or Google Docs.

Be sure your name is in the file names.

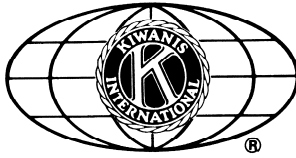
Submit your documents to Susan Brooks,
KRHE Scholarship Committee:
Brooks.sbc@gmail.com

Required Documents

1. Completed Application, Abstract and Personal Statement
2. Yours and your family's most recent Form 1040. Send the first 2-3 pages only (to include the signature lines) of the year of your scholarship application
3. Acceptance letters from institutes of higher education, professional schools or cultural education programs
4. Photo for PowerPoint award presentation
5. Provide two letters of recommendations (from teachers, community service or employer)
6. A copy of your SAR from FAFSA filing
7. Authorization of release of educational records for financial award and for publication of your photo and name for the press

Optional Documentation

1. Community Service Certificates
2. Media coverage of community service
3. Any other awards/programs substantiating financial need.



AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF
EDUCATIONAL RECORDS
FOR FINANCIAL AWARD

NOTE: In accordance with the Federal Privacy Rights of Parents and Students Act, the following signed consent is necessary for _____
Name of High School

to release student information for use in conjunction with the student's application for financial aid or awards.

The undersigned hereby consent to release by the High School of all educational records about the student, including recommendations and other such information as may be requested.

Signature of Student

Date

Printed name of Student

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian

Date

Printed name of Parent or Legal Guardian



**AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF
PHOTOGRAPHS FOR PUBLICATION IN THE PRESS**

The following signed consent is necessary for _____, as well
Student's name
as any family members who may attend the 2020 Kiwanis Club of RHE scholarship awards luncheon.

The undersigned hereby consents to release any photos taken based on scholarship awards to the student from the RHE Kiwanis Club for the purpose of advertising, solicitation, documentation and/or press coverage of this process.

Signature of Student

Date

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian

Date