

Most Valuable Student Scholarship

The Elks National Foundation Most Valuable Student scholarship contest is open to any Texas high school senior who is a US Citizen. Applicants will be judged on scholarship, leadership, and financial need. Applicants compete for scholarships ranging from \$4,000 to \$50,000. Applications must be completed by November 13, 2024. To learn more about the MVS Scholarship and to begin your on-line application, click [here](#).

TESA Four-Year Scholarship

The TESA Four-Year Scholarship Program awards scholarships to three male and three female students from the 2024 graduating classes of Texas high schools. Applicants must be United States citizens and residents of Texas. Each award will be in the amount of \$1,250.00 per year for the 2024-2028 academic years, for a total of \$5,000.00 per award. Applicants will be judged on financial need, scholarship, leadership and extra-curricular activities, and strength of character, and must be seeking a four-year Bachelor's Degree at an accredited college/university in the United States. Deadline for submission is March 8, 2024. This application may be downloaded [here](#).

TESA Teenager of the Year Scholarship

The Teenager of the Year Scholarship Contest is open to 2024 graduating High School Seniors who are citizens of the United States and residents of Texas. Applicants will compete for one-year scholarships based on scholastic achievement, leadership and extra-curricular activities, and character. Recipients must be seeking a 4-year degree at an accredited college/university in the United States. Male and female applicants will compete separately for three scholarships ranging from \$1000.00 to \$2500.00 each. Applications may be downloaded [here](#) and must be submitted to a Texas Elks Lodge by March 8, 2024.

TESA Girl Scout Gold Award Scholarship

The Texas Elks State Association will award a one-year \$2,500 scholarship to one 2024 Texas graduating senior who is a US citizen, a resident of Texas, and has earned the Girl Scout Gold Award. The application must be received by a Texas Elks Lodge by March 8, 2024. To be eligible, the applicant must be a 2024 graduating senior Girl Scout who needs financial assistance for post-secondary education expenses, earned the Girl Scout Gold Award and provide proof of final approval of project by May 1, 2024, and plan to attend an accredited junior college, college, university, or trade school in the United States. Access the application [here](#).

TESA Eagle Scout Scholarship

Eagle Scouts who are 2024 graduating seniors, citizens of the United States, residents of Texas, and currently enrolled in an accredited Texas high school may apply for the one-year Eagle Scout Scholarship worth \$2500.00. Applicants must include a copy of their Eagle Scout Certificate and a description of their project along with personal recommendations. The recipient must plan to attend an accredited junior college, college, university, or trade school in the United States. The application may be downloaded [here](#), and must be submitted to a Texas Elks Lodge by March 8, 2024.

TESA Essay Contest

The TESA Essay contest is open to *any* Texas high school student who is a citizen of the United States and a resident of Texas. Access the application and essay topic [here](#), and then submit your application and completed essay to a Texas Elks Lodge by March 8, 2024. One-year scholarships of \$1000.00, \$800.00, and \$500.00 will be awarded for the top three essays, and recipients must plan to attend an accredited junior college, college, university, or trade school in the United States.

TESA Vocational Grant

The TESA Vocational Grant Program is open to any prospective student, 18 years of age or older, planning to pursue a vocational/technical (VOC/TECH) course within the State of Texas. Each applicant must be a citizen of the United States of America and a resident of Texas on the date the application is submitted. While graduating high school seniors may apply, ***the program is not limited to high school students***. A high school

diploma or equivalent GED is not required. Applications must be submitted to a Texas Elks Lodge by March 8, 2024, and may be downloaded [here](#).

ENF Legacy Awards

The Elks National Foundation Legacy Awards are four-year scholarships worth \$4,000 for Texas high school seniors who are the children or grandchildren of Elks members. For complete eligibility requirements or to complete the online application, click [here](#). Application deadline is February 5, 2024.

ENF Emergency Education Grants

Emergency Education Grants are awarded by the Elks National Foundation for financial assistance to children of deceased or totally disabled Elks, who wish to obtain or further their college education. For complete eligibility requirements and application instructions, click [here](#). Applications must be filed no later than December 1, 2024.