

Upper Hondo SWCD
267 Main Road
P.O. Box 900
Capitan, NM 88316
575-354-2220 (Phone)
wanda@uhswcd.com

Upper Hondo Soil & Water Conservation District **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS**

Please read and sign the following statement
(Must be signed for consideration for Scholarship)

I UNDERSTAND THAT IN ORDER TO RECEIVE THE UPPER HONDO SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIP, I MUST MEET AND AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

1. I must be graduating from Capitan, Hondo, or Ruidoso High School or reside within the Upper Hondo SWCD boundaries
2. I must have a 3.0 Cumulative Grade Point Average to be considered, I must also maintain that average in college or technical vocational school to receive the continuing scholarship.
3. I must be planning to major in an AGRICULTURAL, ENVIRONMENTAL, or NATURAL RESOURCE related field of study. (This will be verified with the University or Technical Vocational School)
4. I must take a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester.
5. I will send a copy of my grades and proof of enrollment to Upper Hondo SWCD Board of Supervisors at the end of each semester; only after sending these documents will I receive payment from Upper Hondo SWCD.
6. I understand that I must enter college or technical vocational school in the fall of the year in which I receive my scholarship.
7. I may apply for continuing scholarship aid each fall via a written application; I must submit this BEFORE AUGUST 1ST of each year. The scholarship is available to me for a maximum of 4 years.
8. I understand that the scholarship awarded will be for \$500.00, which will be paid in two installments (\$250.00/ fall semester; \$250.00/ spring semester), WITH PROOF OF ENROLLMENT AND GPA.
9. I may be asked to attend a District Board Meeting for an interview.
10. I understand that this scholarship will be revoked if I have falsified information OR change my field of study.
11. I must deliver this application to the Upper Hondo Soil & Water Conservation District office, **via email or in person, no later than 5 pm on May 8, 2026**

APPLICANTS SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

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2026 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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The Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District will award a \$500 scholarship to a high school graduate studying in the field of **AGRICULTURE, ENVIRONMENT or NATURAL RESOURCES.** Applications **MUST** be completed and returned to the above address **by May 8, 2026.** One scholarship for each school may be awarded.

#### **PLEASE ATTACH AN OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT WITH THIS APPLICATION**

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score: \_\_\_\_\_ Rank in Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s)/Spouse:

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_



