

ECHO HERITAGE ASSOCIATION

Student Scholarship

Grant Award Application

Applicants meeting the requirements as listed below are invited to apply for a scholarship award to be used towards post-secondary education and/or a training program of the applicant's choice. Scholarships will be paid out in two installments to the educational institution the recipient attends after term grades have been submitted.

The Echo Heritage Association Scholarship Grant Award Program is a project of Echo Heritage Association; a 501 c 3, Oregon-registered, public, non-profit; EIN 83-2014138.

Requirements for Scholarship Application

1. Applicants must be a graduating senior of Echo High School.
2. Graduating seniors must have at least a 2.5 accumulative grade point average.
3. There must be a definite, clear showing of financial need in further education and an explanation of what is being done to overcome it. The selection committee will look for personal motivation from the applicant.

Application Process

1. Complete the scholarship application by answering the questions in the instructions below.
2. Please provide a minimum of 2 letters of recommendations. Only one of the letters may be from an employee of Echo School. The other letter must be from outside the school.
3. Provide a copy of your high school transcript.
4. Provide a photograph that may be used for publicity purposes [in the event your application is granted an award].

Completed applications must be POSTMARKED or eMailed no later than March 15, 2027.

Incomplete or late applications will not be considered for award.

Questions: Contact -- Scholarship Committee with email to echo.heritage@gmail.com

The selection committee will review applications and select finalists that may be interviewed. Finalists will be notified of the time and place if interviews are deemed necessary.

Scholarship applicants will be notified of awards, if any, by May 1, 2027.

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Mail completed applications, postmarked by March 15, to:

Echo Community Scholarships
PO Box 127
Echo, OR 97826

Instructions

Applicants, please use separate sheets of paper to answer the following questions. Please identify your responses using the numbers to correspond with the questions.

1. Please provide a short biographical sketch including names of parents (or other household family), schools you have attended, how long you have lived in the area, etc.
2. What are your educational goals and tell us about the college and/or training program you plan to attend, or have already begun, the course of study you have chosen, and the reason(s) behind your decision.
3. Explain the costs associated with your post-secondary education and/or training program, your financial needs for the upcoming year, and what you have done to address those needs.
4. What does community service and leadership mean to you and why are they important?
5. Please list both extra-curricular and community-service activities in which you have participated. (athletics, drama, clubs, music, church, community activities, etc.)
6. Please list the leadership positions with which you have been involved in your school and/or community.
7. Please tell us about any honors, achievements, recognition, and/or awards you have received (academic or otherwise).

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