



John Franklin Scholarship Association, Inc.

Scholarship Application Deadline Date: February 28, 2026

Purpose:

The purpose of the John Franklin Scholarship Association, Inc. is to encourage and promote the attainment of higher education goals for youth and to provide some financial assistance.

The young man, for whom the scholarship is named, was a young man who worked hard, had just ok grades even though he studied hard, but had a lot of determination to succeed. He went to Abilene Christian University on a Golf Scholarship and again was just ok, but he never failed to give it all he had, so he and the golf team succeeded.

He received a degree from ACU and married a fine young lady, Amy, from Weatherford, Texas. The future looked bright but God had other plans and he went to be with the Lord at the young age of 26.

John's motto was: NO NEGATIVENESS – BE POSITIVE
FOR THIS IS THE DAY THAT THE LORD HAS MADE
LET US REJOICE AND BE GLAD
FAITH, FAMILY, FRIENDS AND HARD WORK.

Eligibility:

Applicants must attend **H.M. King High School** (Kingsville), **Academy High School** (Kingsville), **Kaufer High School** (Riviera), **Bishop High School** (Bishop) or **Burnet or Quest High School** (Burnet).

Applicants must have completed (or plan to complete) high school in the year applying and must be enrolled (or planning to enroll) as a full-time student. A full-time student is defined as one who is taking 12 hours or more in a course of study leading to a traditional associate (2 year) or baccalaureate (4 year) degree at an accredited college or university located within the United States or considered a full-time student by his/her respective institution.

Award Amounts:

Each year recipients will be selected to receive \$5,000 per year, awarded as \$2,500 per semester. The scholarship is renewable each year for a maximum of four years upon submitting proof of enrollment and maintaining a passing GPA. Total scholarship - \$20,000

Please send the application by February 28, 2026 before 11:59 pm to

johnfranklinscholarship@gmail.com

All applications must be sent by email.

If you have any questions, please contact:

Jennifer Kress
(361) 219-4152

Name: _____

Telephone: _____ Email Address: _____

Father's Name: _____

Mother's Name: _____

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Education: Names of schools attended in the last three (3) years.

School presently attending: _____ Grade: _____

Current GPA: Class Rank: Class Size:

Anticipated Major: _____

High School Offices Held:

Extracurricular activities or projects in which you have participated: (membership in organizations)

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Describe any honors or awards received: _____

Employment: _____

List names of colleges and universities to which you have applied (in order of choice):

To the best of my knowledge all of the above information is true.

_____ Signature of Applicant	_____ Date
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- ★ On a separate page briefly explain why you should be awarded this scholarship and how it will help you achieve your goals.
- ★ Please submit two letters of recommendation:
 - One from a school official (teacher, coach, principal, counselor, etc.)
 - One from a community member (work, church, volunteer activities, etc.)
 - Letters from relatives are not acceptable
- ★ Please enclose a copy of your transcript.

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Please email all pages by deadline to:

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