

AWGA Scholarship Application

INFORMATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS

The AWGA Scholarship will be awarded annually in the amount of \$1,000 to \$2,000 (up to \$10,000 total). These advanced education scholarships can be renewed by the recipients up to 3 times. Any applicants who receive the scholarship for the 2022 - 2023 academic year, will be required to re-apply to receive the funds in additional years.

1. Candidate must be female, and must be, or have been, a member of any organized golf program during high school with priority given to participants in the AWGA Build A Team Program.
2. Financial need will be considered before awards are given.
3. Candidate must be a graduating Arizona high school senior in the year they are applying or Arizona high school graduate that has completed less than two years of college by January 1 of the year in which they apply or has a GED diploma.
4. Scholarships may be applied to expenses at 2 and 4 year colleges/universities and accredited trade schools to cover tuition, general fees room, board, books, lab fees.
5. Recipients must retain a 2.5 (or higher) grade point average and must reapply for subsequent years of eligibility.
6. The Scholarship MUST be renewed on an annual basis (up to 3 times).
7. Students will be allowed to transfer payment to a different academic institution if required.

MANDATORY FILING REQUIREMENTS

Completed application due to the AWGA Scholarship Review Committee by January 31, 2022. All information contained in the Scholarship Application will be kept confidential.

1. Answer all questions - indicate "N/A" if not applicable.
2. Transcript may be submitted with the application or sent directly to the AWGA Scholarship Review Committee.
 - High school transcript – Through Fall 2021.
 - GED Diploma
3. Letter(s) of recommendation (may use forms included with this packet)
 - a. PGA or LPGA Golf Professional
 - b. High School teacher, coach, or counselor
4. Worksheet 1—Parental Financial Information
5. Worksheet 2—2022 - 2023 Resources/Aid
6. Worksheet 3—2022 - 2023 Cost of Attendance
7. Essay describing "How has golf made a difference in your life?"

HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT INFORMATION

1. High School Transcript – Through Fall 2021
 - a. Cumulative high school grade point average
 - b. Class rank (number or percentile)
 - c. ACT and/or SAT scores

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INSTRUCTIONS

Complete all questions indicating "N/A" if not applicable. Use additional sheets if necessary.

STUDENT INFORMATION SECTION (Please type or print in black ink)

_____ Current Recipient or _____ New applicant
_____ Less than 36 college hours
_____ More than 36 college hours

A. Name: _____ B. Date of Birth: _____

C. Social Security Number: _____ D Telephone: _____

E. Address: _____ F. County: _____

G. City: _____ H. State: _____ I. Zip: _____

J. High School: _____

K. Address: _____

L. City: _____ M. State: _____ N. Zip: _____

O. School District: _____

P. Graduation Date: _____ Q. Rank: _____ of _____ or _____ % of _____

R. High School GPA: _____ out of _____

S. SAT results _____ : Date taken: _____

ACT results _____ : Date taken: _____

T. First enrollment date as a full-time student to college (12 hours minimum) _____

U. College application information (use additional sheet if necessary):

Major: _____

School: _____

Accepted: Yes / No Anticipated acceptance date: _____ Class level _____

Athletic scholarship: Yes / No Amount granted: _____

V. Golf Participation (use additional sheet if necessary)

1. Golf program participation: How many years _____ from _____ to _____

2. AWGA Build A Team participation: How many years _____ from _____ to _____

3. USGA Handicap _____ or average score _____ (verified by PGA or LPGA professional)

Junior Golf Events (event name, golf course, scores, finishing position) List most recent events first:

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____

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W. School, Church, and Civic Related Activities, Awards and Accomplishments (use additional sheet if necessary)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____

AA. Attach essay describing “How golf has made a difference in your life?”

BB. Name of persons supplying recommendation letters (may use forms included with this packet):

1. PGA or LPGA Golf Professional _____
2. High school teacher, coach, counselor _____

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PURPOSE

The purpose of the AWGA Scholarship is to encourage and promote the attainment of higher education goals for female golfers who have participated in junior golf programs and/or the AWGA Build A Team program and who have demonstrated a high level of academic achievement during high school or college and who have a financial need.

ELIGIBILITY

The female applicant must be enrolling as a full-time student (12 hours minimum/semester) in an accredited two or four-year college/university or accredited trade school in the Fall of 2022. Has participated in junior golf programs and/or the AWGA Build A Team program AND the primary residency of the student/applicant and legal guardian is within Arizona.

SCHOLARSHIP BENEFITS

Annual Scholarships will be awarded based on review by the committee. All scholarship funds will be distributed directly to the financial aid office of the college/university or accredited trade school for qualified expenses of tuition, general fees, room, board, books, lab fees.

NOTICE: According to NCAA regulations, this scholarship may be deemed as “countable” in computing total financial aid with institutional athletic scholarships. Therefore, the awarding of this scholarship may raise NCAA compliance issues. The AWGA Scholarship Review Committee makes no representations or warranties regarding these issues. It is recommended that all compliance issues be addressed by the student/recipient, his or her coach, athletic department personnel, and the NCAA.

The funding of the AWGA Scholarship is expressly contingent upon verification by the recipient of acceptance as a full-time Bachelor's Degree candidate in an accredited four-year college/university, an Associate's Degree candidate in an accredited two-year college or a student in an accredited trade school. A full-time student is defined as one who is enrolled for 12 or more hours per semester. The recipient and academic institution must notify immediately the AWGA Scholarship Review Committee if the recipient's course load drops below 12 hours. Recipient shall at that time forfeit the right to future scholarship benefits.

The awarding of the AWGA Scholarship is further contingent upon other financial aid grants and/or scholarships received prior to or after the AWGA Scholarship Review Committee's final selection. The AWGA Scholarship Committee expressly reserves the right and may revoke any commitment to extend scholarship benefits to any applicant receiving any other form of financial aid, grants and/or scholarship for attendance at an accredited four-year college/university, an accredited two-year college or accredited trade school.

A recipient must maintain a cumulative 2.5 or (equivalent or higher) grade point average to be eligible for renewal of the scholarship each semester. The college must submit such confirmation to the AWGA Scholarship Review Committee prior to receiving any funds.

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CHECKLIST FOR A COMPLETED APPLICATION

Due to the volume of applications to process, we regret that any incomplete application will be automatically disqualified from further processing. Please complete this checklist prior to submitting. Each applicant is responsible for informing sources of transcripts and recommendation letters of this deadline.

- Received by AWGA Scholarship Review Committee on or before January 31, 2022.
- All blanks are completed - indicate "N/A" where not applicable.
- Certified Transcript
- High School transcript
- Recommendation Letters (may use forms included with this packet)
 - PGA or LPGA Golf Professional
 - High school teacher, coach, counselor
- Essay describing "How golf has made a difference in your life."
- Worksheet 1—Parental Financial Information
- Worksheet 2—2022 - 2023 Resources/Aid
- Worksheet 3—2022 - 2023 Cost of Attendance

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CERTIFICATION

I certify that the enclosed information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge as reflected by the appropriate school records. Any false information will automatically void this application.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Guardian's Name: (Please print): _____

Address and Phone if different from applicant's: _____

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TEACHER/COACH/COUNSELOR REPORT

Candidate should give this form to teacher/coach/counselor along with a stamped envelope addressed to:

AWGA Scholarship Review Committee
PO Box 15055
Scottsdale, AZ 85267.

Concerning Scholarship Candidate: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

	Excellent	Good	Average	Fair	Poor
Cooperation	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Courtesy	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Dependability	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Industriousness	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Initiative	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Leadership	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Maturity	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Personal Appearance	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Self-Control	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

In your opinion, what kind of scholastic record should this student make at the college level?

Excellent _____ Good _____ Average _____ Fair _____ Poor _____

The applicant at the end of seven semesters, ranks _____ in a class of _____.

Comments:

I do _____ I do not _____ recommend this student be awarded an AWGA Scholarship.

SIGNED _____ PRINT NAME _____ DATE _____

HIGH SCHOOL: _____ POSITION: _____

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PGA or LPGA GOLF PROFESSIONAL REPORT

Candidate should give this form to a PGA or LPGA Professional along with a stamped envelope addressed to:

AWGA Scholarship Review Committee
PO Box 15055
Scottsdale, AZ 85267.

Concerning Scholarship Candidate: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

	Excellent	Good	Average	Fair	Poor
Cooperation	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Courtesy	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Dependability	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Golf Proficiency	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Initiative	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Leadership	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Maturity	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Personal Appearance	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Self-Control	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

In your opinion, what kind of scholastic record should this student make at the college level?

Excellent _____ Good _____ Average _____ Fair _____ Poor _____

The applicant has a USGA handicap of _____ or a average 18-hole score of _____

The applicant has been a golf student of mine for _____ years.

Comments:

I do _____ I do not _____ recommend this student be awarded an AWGA Scholarship.

SIGNED _____ PRINT NAME _____ DATE _____

GOLF COURSE: _____ POSITION: _____