

# Miami High School Alumni Association

## 2026 Scholarship Application

### ELIGIBILITY

- Be a current senior at Miami Senior High School.
- Have a minimum unweighted GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale
- Be currently enrolled or planning to enroll in 2026 at an accredited college, university, or technical/vocational school

### PERSONAL INFORMATION:

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

Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Unweighted GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Intended College/University/Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Major/Field of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

### SCHOLARSHIP VIDEO (Max 3 Minutes)

In this video, show us who you truly are, beyond your resume. CREATIVELY tell us:

- What has shaped you
- What drives you
- Where you are going
- How this scholarship will help you get there

We are not looking for a list of achievements. We are looking for identity, growth, and vision.

## REQUIRED SUBMISSION ITEMS

(1) Completed Application Form in PDF Format

**(File Name: Last Name, First Name 2026 Scholarship Application)**

(2) Scholarship Video (Max 3 minutes) MP4 Format

**(File Name: Last Name, First Name Video)**

(3) Letter of Recommendation (MHS teacher, counselor, or staff member) PDF Format (Do not wait till the last minute)

**(File Name: Last Name, First Name Recommendation Letter)**

(4) Parent Media Release Form (with original parent/guardian signature) Submit signed copy in PDF Format

**(File Name: Last Name, First Name Parent Media Release Form)**

### HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR SCHOLARSHIP FILES

**Step 1: Create a Google Drive Folder**

 [LastName\\_FirstName\\_2026Scholarship](#) 

**Step 2: Upload ALL 4 Required Items**

- Application (PDF)
- Video (MP4 or MOV)
- Letter of Recommendation (PDF)
- Parent Media Release Form (PDF)

**Step 3: Adjust Folder Settings**

- 1 Right-click on the folder
- 2 Click "Get link"
- 3 Set to: *Anyone with the link* → **Viewer**
- 4 Make sure it says:  *Anyone with the link* ▾ **Viewer** ▾  
*Anyone with the link can view*

**Step 4: Email the Link**

 [contact@MiamiHighSchoolAlumniAssociation.com](mailto:contact@MiamiHighSchoolAlumniAssociation.com)

 [amayam@dadeschools.net](mailto:amayam@dadeschools.net)

**Subject:** [LastName, FirstName - 2026 Scholarship Application](#)

**IMPORTANT:** if your link is restricted, your application **CANNOT** be reviewed.

**Make sure:**

 **- Anyone with the link can view**

**Using a personal email account (NOT A SCHOOL ACCOUNT) email all required materials to:**

[contact@MiamiHighSchoolAlumniAssociation.com](mailto:contact@MiamiHighSchoolAlumniAssociation.com)

**&**

[amayam@dadeschools.net](mailto:amayam@dadeschools.net)

Email Subject Line: Last Name, First Name – 2026 Scholarship Application

Deadline: Thursday, March 12, 2026 at 8:00 PM – **NO EXCEPTIONS**

### **INTERVIEW PROCESS**

All qualified applicants will participate in a MANDATORY in-person interview with the Scholarship Selection Committee.

Initial Interviews: Saturday, April 11, 2026 beginning at 9:00 AM at Miami High.

Semi-Finalist Interviews: Saturday, April 25, 2026 at 10:00 AM at the Miami High School Theater

If you have any questions, please see CAP Advisor, Ms. Sanchez, or MHS Alumni Association President, Mr. Amaya in Room 3201.

### **APPLICANT CERTIFICATION & AGREEMENT**

By submitting this application, I acknowledge and agree to the following:

- If awarded a scholarship, I have until December 31, 2027 to claim the award. After that date, the scholarship will be forfeited.
- Scholarship funds will be paid directly to the accredited educational, vocational, or technical institution and will not be disbursed directly to the recipient.
- I certify that all content submitted, including my video, was created entirely by me without the use of artificial intelligence tools or automated systems. I understand that the use of AI in any part of this application will result in disqualification.

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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