

FALCON PRIDE SCHOLARSHIP

Sponsored by Palash S. Islam

Purpose: To encourage and recognize high academic achievement, participation in sports, participation in school and community activities, and to assist with the costs of higher education. Provide academic and career mentorship during and after college.

Eligible Candidates: Hanford High School (HHS) senior class students who are planning to attend a two-year or four-year college, and who have participated in at least two school sports and maintained a 3.0 or higher GPA.

Application Procedures:

Applicants must submit:

- Completed application form
- Personal essay
- Copy of their high school transcripts
- Letter of recommendation (may be sent direct to: Palash@synergyfg.com)

Selection Criteria: The selection criteria will include the following considerations.

- Commitment to attend a two-year or four-year college
- Participation in at least 2 school sports
- Participation in club, school, and community activities, and leadership positions held
- Submission of an essay on the assigned topic
- Submission of Hanford High School transcripts.

Number of Scholarships: Two or more applicants will be selected with a \$500 scholarship being given per selected applicant that will be provided directly to the college or university in the student's name (account).

Scholarship Committee: The committee that will review the applications and award scholarships will be appointed by Palash S. Islam and include his coaches and teachers from Hanford High School. The committee will consist of a minimum of three people and all committee members shall not be a related to any of the applicants.

Application Submission:

Completed applications and supporting documents shall be submitted to palash@synergyfg.com. The application and supporting documents for this scholarship must be received prior to **May 1st**.

Falcon Pride Scholarship Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

College Planning to Attend: _____

Current Cumulative GPA: _____

High School Sports Participation (List all sports and associated years of participation):

	Fall	Winter	Spring
Freshman			
Sophomore			
Junior			
Senior			

List other clubs, school and community activities, leadership positions, and associated years of participation:

	Clubs/Activities/Leadership
Freshman	
Sophomore	
Junior	
Senior	

Personal essay about:

- What you want to accomplish in college and your career
- Which teacher or coach has made a positive impact in your life
- How you make a positive impact on others
- Discuss whether mentorship is important for you- and why.

Letter of recommendation from a current HHS teacher or coach