

## Amity High School Scholarship Application Guidelines

In an effort to ensure that scholarship applications meet the highest possible quality standards, Amity High School has established the following guidelines:

- All applications must be proofed to insure neatness, proper spelling, and correct grammar.
- The application must include ALL of the requested materials or it will not be accepted.
- ALL questions must be answered clearly and completely using complete sentences. (It is highly recommended that you provide all pertinent information that helps to clarify your response)
- ALL applications must be accompanied with a signed statement that your parent or guardian has reviewed your complete application.
- Your application must be received prior to the deadline established for submittal.

I want to remind you that most scholarship donors really appreciate students that put the necessary time and effort into the application process.

Good luck and thank you in advance for turning in the quality applications that I know Amity students are capable of producing.

Jeff Clark, Superintendent  
Amity School District 4

### **How to Use and Print the AHS Fillable Scholarship Applications Online**

1. Download and save the scholarship normally.
2. Go to your file folder; click on “downloads”
3. Right click on the scholarship that you have saved – click on “OPEN WITH” – click on “Adobe Reader” – you can now fill in your information, cut/paste, print, or save

You will have to open the scholarship with Adobe Reader every time you want to use it.

# AMITY SCHOOL DISTRICT EDUCATION FOUNDATION VOCATIONAL, TECHNICAL, & TRADE SCHOLARSHIP

## **GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTION**

The Amity School District Foundation offers scholarships up to \$2,000.00 each to Amity High School seniors continuing their education at the vocational, technical, or trade school level. These scholarships are offered to encourage and assist Amity High School seniors who wish to further their education.

## **SELECTION CRITERIA**

Scholarships will be granted on the basis of: quality of application, academic excellence, achievement and involvement in extracurricular activities, citizenship and financial need. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

The student:

1. Is a senior enrolled at Amity High School.
2. Will complete the scholarship application and
3. Attach a current unofficial transcript. (Request this in advance from the High School Secretary.)
4. Will enroll in either a vocational, technical, or trade school the fall term following his/her graduation from high school.
5. A student will be eligible for 25% of the full amount for each year he/she attended Amity High School.

## **PAYMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS**

Funds will be made payable to both the student and the educational institution of their choice.

A letter outlining how to access funds will be provided when the scholarship is awarded.

**Application is to be completed and turned in to the ASPIRE Coordinator by 3pm on February 2, 2023.**

**AMITY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
EDUCATION FOUNDATION VOCATIONAL,  
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**APPLICATION FORM**

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's accumulative GPA at the end of the 7<sup>th</sup> semester: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years in attendance at Amity High School: \_\_\_\_\_

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Parent's Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Write a short essay telling us what influenced your decision to continue your education at a vocational, technical, or trade school?**

**What do you plan to do in the future?**

**What have you done in school to prepare you for this next step? Include:**

- High School Classes
- High School Activities
- Possible work experiences and/or community service

**Write a short essay describing the characteristics you possess that will help you to be successful in your career choice. How will these characteristics help you be successful?**

A large, empty rectangular box with a black border, intended for the student to write their short essay. The box occupies most of the page below the question.

**What activities have you been involved in while in high school? What honors have you received? Please organize and include dates and or years.**

**Include a paragraph telling us what are you most proud of in your high school experience and why.**

## Financial Information

### First Year Budget

How many members in the household? Adults: \_\_\_\_\_ Children: \_\_\_\_\_

How many household members enrolled in college next school year? \_\_\_\_\_

#### Estimated Income:

Student's Current Savings: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Summer Earnings: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Earnings during  
First Year of College: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Contribution for  
The First Year: \_\_\_\_\_

First Year Financial  
Assistance Offered  
By the College: \_\_\_\_\_

Grants & Scholarships:  
(from other sources) \_\_\_\_\_

Other First Year  
Expected Income: \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Income:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### Estimated Expenses:

Tuition & Fees: \_\_\_\_\_

Room & Board: \_\_\_\_\_

Books: \_\_\_\_\_

Living Expenses: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Expenses: \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Expenses:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Additional Income Needed:**

(difference between Income & Expenses)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Certification

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT:

1. I plan to pursue further training beyond high school.
2. The information contained in the application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
3. I have received and initialed the application checklist to make sure that my scholarship application is complete.

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Printed or Typed)

SIGNATURE of APPLICANT: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Application Checklist – To be Initialed by the Student and Parents

Student Initials	Parent Initials	
		Application form is complete. (page 3)
		Essay telling about your post-secondary and future career plans. (page 4)
		Essay telling about characteristics you possess that will help you be successful in your career choice. (page 5)
		Extracurricular activities – organizations, clubs, and community involvement, and work experience if it applies, and honors and awards you have received. Paragraph letting us know what activity had the biggest impact on you as a person. (page 6)
		Financial Information. (page 7)
		Certification Page. Parent and student review of application. Signature and initials are required. (page 8)
		Transcript Included.

I have reviewed this application and hereby certify that it meets the specified guidelines, the information is correct, and it is submitted with my approval.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT  
OR GUARDIAN: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**(February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 3pm)**