High Desert Community Foundation Board Choice Scholarship
2023 Scholarship Criteria
Application Deadline: Received by March 31, 2023

The HDCF Board Choice Scholarship provides college financial assistance to outstanding graduating seniors. The applicant must be actively involved in the community and disclose their plan to pursue a two or four-year degree.

Recipients receive a scholarship award to an accredited public or private institution of higher education to be used toward tuition, books, educational fees or supplies.

Scholarship criteria:
• Minimum 3.0 G.P.A.
• High School graduating senior planning to attend a college or university
• Exhibit community/high school involvement
• Demonstrate financial need

The application packet should include:
• Completed application
• Essay as described in guidelines
• Letters of recommendation (one must be from a teacher)
• Transcript

Applicants may mail or deliver their completed application packets to:

High Desert Community Foundation, Inc.
20601 Hwy 18, #171
Apple Valley, CA 92307

Please call 760-242-8877 if you have any questions.
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2023 Scholarship Application
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Please print or type.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: ________________________________________________________________

Address: _____________________________________________________________

City: ____________________, California Zip Code: _________________________

Home Phone ( ) __________________ E-Mail Address: _______________________

Date of Birth: __________________

FAMILY INFORMATION

Parent or Guardian Name(s): _____________________________________________

Address: _____________________________________________________________

Occupation: ____________________________ Work Phone ( ) ________________

TRANSCRIPT INFORMATION

A high school verified transcript must be attached to this application.

MAJOR SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

List all school activities in which you have participated during the past 4 years (i.e., student government, legitimate school clubs or campus organizations, Performing Arts, sports, etc.)

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**COMMUNITY SERVICE**
List all community activities in which you have participated in without pay during the past 4 years (i.e., scouts, church involvement, volunteer work, etc.). (Use additional pages if needed.)

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**WORK EXPERIENCE**
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**PROOF OF APPLICATION or REGISTRATION** to an accredited University or College for the 2023 Fall Term must be attached to this application.

**ESSAY**
Please write an essay (maximum 2 pages double spaced) telling us about yourself, your family, your hobbies, extracurricular activities and interests, your educational goals, the community service/high school involvement you have done and **why you should be chosen for this scholarship**.

**LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION**
Please attach two (2) letters of recommendation. One must be from a teacher. The second letter can be an individual in your community, your church, your work, or personal reference who is knowledgeable about your academic capabilities, skills, talents, and accomplishments.

**APPLICANT CERTIFICATION**
I certify that the information provided in this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted.

Printed Name: ___________________________________________________________

Signature: _______________________________ Date: __________________________