



**H.O. “Bud” Biggs Memorial Scholarship  
2025 Scholarship Criteria  
Application Deadline: Received by March 28, 2025**

The **H.O. “Bud” Biggs Memorial Scholarship** provides college financial assistance to outstanding graduating seniors. Before his passing in 2017, Bud Biggs was the longest-standing board member of the High Desert Community Foundation. Therefore, in Bud Bigg’s image of generosity and leadership, the applicant must be **actively involved in the community** and describe 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

**The application packet should include:**

- Completed application
- Essay as described in guidelines
- Proof of application or registration to a college or university
- 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 or email [hdcf@verizon.net](mailto:hdcf@verizon.net) if you have any questions.



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*Please print or type.*

**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

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

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_, California Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

**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.)

Activity	Years of Participation	Special Awards/Honors

**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.)

Activity	Years of Participation	Special Awards/Honors

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

(Use additional pages if needed.)

Employer	Dates Employed	Job Description	Hours Worked Per Week	Hourly Rate of Pay

**PROOF OF APPLICATION or REGISTRATION to an accredited University or College for the 2025 Fall Term must be attached to this application.**

**ESSAY**

Please write an essay (maximum 2 pages double spaced) telling us about **how you have demonstrated the characteristics of servant leadership**. Pull examples from yourself, your family, your hobbies, extracurricular activities and interests, your educational goals, the community service/high school involvement you have done, etc.

**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 a 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 the termination of any scholarship granted.

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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