



SAN DIEGO DOWNTOWN LIONS SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The San Diego Downtown Lions Club, through its Welfare Foundation, has scholarship assistance available to students graduating from eight area high schools so that they may pursue higher education in an undergraduate college or vocational school of their choice. Scholarships of \$1,500.00 will be awarded to each student selected.

Applicants must be U.S. citizen (or legal residents) and residents of the U.S.

Legal residents must submit a copy of their alien registration ID card and write their registration number on the application form in the designated area. Graduating seniors will be selected **only** from Hoover, Garfield, Kearny, Twain, Lincoln and San Diego High School, Monarch and Gompers as this scholarship is intended to assist graduating seniors from the geographical operating area of the San Diego Downtown Lions Club. ***Applications submitted from students of other schools will not be considered.***

We are seeking individuals who have demonstrated a desire to serve their communities and will continue to foster a spirit of community service. For this reason, scholarships will be awarded based on scholarship, financial need and demonstrated community service.

Applicants should fully complete the application form, the financial data form, and provide transcripts from their high school.

Please insure that your personal identifying information (e.g. name, address, phone or cell phone and e-mail address) is legible.

All applicants should submit a typed essay explaining why they deserve this scholarship. The essay should include your activities in or out of school that are beneficial to others. This may include but are not limited to help to family members, music/performing arts, sports, civic groups, church, etc.

Your completed application must be postmarked by Monday, March 16, 2020
or hand delivered to the Lions Club of San Diego no later than 4pm
Thursday, March 19, 2020

**Lions Club of San Diego
310 Market Street
San Diego, CA 92101-6944**

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SAN DIEGO DOWNTOWN LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME

LAST

FIRST

MIDDLE

HOME ADDRESS

ZIP

PHONE: HOME: () CELL ()

E-mail Address:

DATE OF BIRTH:

ARE YOU A U.S. CITIZEN? YES _____ NO _____ If not, are you a legal resident? If you are, please provide us with your alien registration number and attach a copy of your alien registration ID card to the application. **ALIEN REGISTRATION NUMBER:** _____

SCHOOL CURRENTLY ATTENDING

GRADUATION DATE:

CUMULATIVE GPA

(4.0 scale)

SCHOOL YOU PLAN TO ATTEND DURING 2020-2021 YEAR:

Name

City/State

PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING:

1) A TYPED ESSAY

Please tell us what Community Service means to you and why you deserve this scholarship. The essay should include your activities in or out of school that are beneficial to others. This may include but are not limited to help to family members, music/performing arts, sports, civic groups, church, etc.

2) LETTERS VERIFYING COMMUNITY SERVICE

This includes all forms of community service activities in which you have participated that you would define as service to others. Such activities in or out of school should show benefit to others, including your family members.

3) COMPLETED ATTACHED FINANCIAL DATA SHEET

4) THREE TYPED PERSONAL REFERENCE LETTERS These may be from any of the following sources: teachers, school administrators, employers, social workers, ministers, etc. References must be provided by non-relative adults.

5) SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT

Application and all completed materials **must be received** in the Lions Club office by 4 pm on **Thursday March 19, 2020.** **DO NOT STAPLE ANY MATERIALS!**

Failure to provide any of these items as described may disqualify your entry. The scholarships will be awarded based on scholarship merit, financial need, and demonstration of community service.

LION\$ SCHOLARSHIP REFERENCE FORM

(Three typed letters of references are needed. Please use this format or have persons providing your reference answer the following questions in their own prepared letter.)

NAME OF PERSON PROVIDING RECOMMENDATION:

Position: _____

Applicant Name: _____

How do you know the applicant?

Why do you feel this applicant should receive the Lion\$ Scholarship?

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FINANCIAL DATA: Income tax figures are from a completed and filed tax return for the prior year.

PARENTS' OR GUARDIANS' INCOME, FEDERAL TAX AND ASSETS (include both parents or guardians if filing separately.)

Income	Adjusted Gross Income (Line 31 of Prior Year 1040)	\$ _____
	Non Taxable Income (Soc. Sec., Child Support, AFDC, etc.)	\$ _____
	Total U.S. Federal Tax Paid in Tax Year	\$ _____
Assets	Cash, Savings, Checking accounts, Investments	\$ _____
	Home, if owned: Assessed Value	\$ _____
	Current Mortgage Balance	\$ _____
	Medical Expenses (not covered by insurance)	\$ _____

STUDENT INCOME AND ASSETS

Income	Annual Earnings from Full or Part-Time Work	\$ _____
	Other Income (Family, Friends, Savings, State And Federal Aid, Other Scholarships)	\$ _____
Assets	Checking and Savings Accounts, Investments	\$ _____
	Other	\$ _____

Estimated amount of tuition, room and board for the next school year: \$ _____

Are both parents working? _____ How many members in your family? _____

How many dependent children in the household, applicant included, and their ages:

Number _____ Ages _____ How many family members

will be in college at least part-time this next school year, including you? _____

Explain below any unusual circumstances in your household that affect the family's finances (illness, elderly dependent family member, etc.)

I certify that the information provide is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. If requested, I agree to provide verification of the information I have given on this form, including a copy of my (or my parent's or guardian's) U.S. Income Tax Return. Falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted to me by the San Diego Lions Club.

Student Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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LIONS CLUB OF SAN DIEGO**

THANK YOU!