

G O L D S H E E T

“The Place to Start When Searching for College Scholarships”

The TJUHSD Gold Sheet provides scholarship opportunities for all students from Mission Oak, Tulare Union, Tulare Western, or Tech Prep. The majority of the scholarships listed on this site are open to all students within the district. However, scholarships that are only for one campus will be designated by having the name of that campus after the scholarship title.

General Directions

- Criteria:** Review the list of scholarships to determine if you meet the criteria. Please don't waste your time or the time of our donors by applying for scholarships in which you do not meet the basic requirements.
- Application Process:** The procedure for applying for many scholarships has changed this year so read and follow all directions carefully.
- Deadlines:** Make sure you pay attention to deadlines. Late and/or incomplete application packets are almost always thrown out! If you begin working on a scholarship several weeks before the due date, it will give you time to pull together letters of recommendation, transcripts, and do a better job writing essays. Sloppy, last minute applications are rarely given much consideration. Show that you really want and deserve the scholarship by putting together a high quality packet.
- Transcripts:** If an “official” transcript is required you can get it from the counseling office's registrar. It is recommended that you request transcripts a minimum of two weeks in advance of the due date.
- Letters of Recommendation:** Letters of recommendation are extremely important. Make sure to give teachers, counselors, coaches, etc. at least two weeks time to write a recommendation. At the time you ask someone to write you a letter of recommendation, give him/her a copy of your General Scholarship to prompt them about your accomplishments and supply them with a description of the scholarship requirements. This will help them say things about you that relate to the requirements of the scholarship.
- TJUHS General Scholarship Application:** Many of the local community and school scholarships require this application form. Therefore, it makes sense to invest time into making it the best you can. Make sure to save it for future use or editing. It is your responsibility to turn in a completed printout of this application with every scholarship you apply for that requires the General Scholarship Application.
- To make it easier for you to complete, edit, and save this application for ongoing use throughout the year, we have provided the form in two common formats (Word 2007 and Excel 2007). PDF format is available, but we recommend that you use either Word or Excel because they will give you the ability to save for later use. The PDF version can only be saved if you have the Adobe Acrobat Professional version, therefore, it should only be used as a last resort.**
- If you have questions see Ms. Rhea. And submit your completed application to her.**

GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

This application is to be used by all students from Mission Oak, Tulare Union, Tulare Western, and Tech Prep

Scholarship Name: _____



High School: (select one) Mission Oak: Tulare Union: Tulare Western: Tech Prep:

Your Legal Name _____ Total GPA _____

Address _____ Home Phone _____

City _____ Zip code _____ Birthday _____ Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____

Father's Name _____ Occupation _____

Mother's Name _____ Occupation _____

Number of family members living at home (Including yourself) _____

Number of immediate family members who will be attending college next year _____

When you graduate from high school, what do you plan to do? (Put an "X" in all that apply)

_____ Work _____ Attend a trade school / Name _____

_____ Military _____ Attend a junior college / Name _____

_____ Attend a college or university / Name _____

What is your major or career goal? _____

Explain any special family circumstances or extraordinary expenses (such as divorce, parenthood, separation, unemployment, illness, other children in college, etc.) that should be considered in awarding you a scholarship.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

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All information provided will be held in the strictest confidence and will be used only by school and/or community scholarship committees.

LIST ALL ACTIVITIES, AWARDS, AND HONORS

Academic Awards and Honors Received

Sports Played and Athletic Awards

Clubs, Band, Student Government or Other School Activities

Community Service, Work, Other Non-school Activities and Awards

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Submit a one-page typed statement providing information that will distinguish you as deserving of this scholarship and also share your goals and aspirations.