

Newport Beach Foundation Scholarship Application

The Newport Beach Foundation is focused on engaging and supporting the next generation of community leaders. This scholarship rewards 2-year or 4-year college-bound students who have shown consistent leadership in different facets of their lives. Additionally, candidates have demonstrated strong work ethic, commitment and character. The Foundation is interested in candidates who are meaningfully involved in their community and show respect and kindness to others.

This scholarship will award the deserving recipient with \$2,500.00 towards their future goals. In past years when there are several qualified applicants more than one monetary award is made to a runner up in amounts ranging from \$500-\$1500 depending on qualifications. Additionally, the recipient(s) will receive a coveted spot in the Spring 2025 Distinguished Citizen Program. This program gives participants exclusive behind the scenes access to both civic and business leaders of Newport Beach. Graduating from the Distinguished Citizen Program is an honor recognized within the City of Newport Beach as well as personally by the sitting Mayor. Receipt of the monetary award is conditioned on completion of the Distinguished Citizen Program.

Deadline January 31, 2025 to return your application materials to your Counseling office and The Newport Beach Foundation via email at info@nb-foundation.org.

ELIGIBILITY:

1. Demonstrates at school, during extracurricular activities, and within the community the attributes of leadership, integrity, kindness, work ethic, and going the extra mile to make a difference.
2. Is a current high school senior at a high school in Newport Beach with a minimum G.P.A. of 3.0.
3. Please respond to items 3-5 on separate sheet(s) and attach them to the application:
 - a. Describe a situation where you used your leadership skills. What was the lasting impact you received from this situation and what do you think the others involved might say if we asked them about it/you?
 - b. What would you use the scholarship funds for?
 - c. What are some of your favorite things about Newport Beach? What would you improve or do differently if you were in a leadership position within the City?
4. Provide two (2) references, and their contact information. One must be from your high school and one outside of school, exclusive of friends and family.
5. List: (a) high school related activities: clubs, sports, music, arts, and leadership positions, (b) community service involvement: church, volunteer organizations, camps, etc., and (c) employment experience (if any).

APPLICANT:

Your Name: _____

Cell Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____