

# Kenneth B. Esterak Memorial Scholarship

The Kenneth B. Esterak Memorial Scholarship of \$2,500.00 for a Waco High student planning to attend Texas A&M University will be awarded to a senior demonstrating outstanding academic achievement and leadership.

The scholarship criteria are as follows:

- Top 5% of Waco High graduating class
- Demonstrate leadership during high school
- Participate as a community volunteer during high school
- Proof of acceptance at Texas A&M University

An application form must be completed including a personal essay (1-2 pages) regarding concept of leadership and philosophy of service.

**Electronic applications are preferred and should be emailed to [education.foundation@wacoisd.org](mailto:education.foundation@wacoisd.org) by midnight on Friday, April 24, 2026.**

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## Texas A&M University - 2026 Application

LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ MIDDLE INITIAL \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY, STATE, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ WHS GRADUATION DATE \_\_\_\_\_

WHAT MAJOR/CAREER TO YOU PLAN TO PURSUE? \_\_\_\_\_

DO YOU MEET ALL OF THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA?  YES  NO IF NO, PLEASE EXPLAIN: \_\_\_\_\_

- 
- Top 5% of the graduating class
  - Demonstrated leadership during high school
  - Participated as a community volunteer during your high school years
  - Proof of acceptance at Texas A&M University

LIST ANY HONORS, AWARDS, ACHIEVEMENTS OR EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES IN WHICH YOU HAVE BEEN INVOLVED. (USE A SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY.)

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**PREPARE A PERSONAL ESSAY. YOUR ESSAY SHOULD BE ONE TO TWO PAGES IN LENGTH AND DESIGNED TO DEMONSTRATE YOUR PERSONAL AND ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS, CONCEPTS OF LEADERSHIP, AND PHILOSOPHY OF SERVICE. ALSO INCLUDE A RESUME.**

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: April 24, 2026**

Return to: Waco ISD Education Foundation - P.O. Box 2369 - Waco, TX 76703

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