Kiwanis Club of Sierra Vista
John O. Fiscus Career and Technical Education
Scholarship Application
($1,000)

The scholarship awarded is to be used at an accredited post secondary educational institution within one year upon graduation from high school, subject to the approval of the Kiwanis Club of Sierra Vista. This scholarship will be awarded on the basis of community service, financial need and academics. Incomplete or inaccurate applications will not be considered. Information submitted is subject to verification.

Student's Name (Print Clearly) _____

Parents' Occupation and Job Title

Father

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Mother

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Number of dependent children, including yourself, declared on parents' taxes:

PreSchool ____ **Elementary** ____ **MS** ____ **HS** ____ **College** ____ **Trade School** ____

Other ____ **(Explain "Other" on as separate sheet of paper)**

Indicate number of sisters / brothers currently receiving financial aid:

A full scholarship ____ **A partial scholarship** ____

Household Adjusted Gross Income reported on IRS Tax Forms 1040 or 1040A _____

Monies already set aside for your higher education (specify sources and amounts)

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Does your family have any unusual expenses? If yes, explain:

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GPA through 3-1/2 years _____ Current Year GPA _____

Community Service: Please complete the attached form by listing volunteer community service you have performed during your four years of high school. Attach a minimum of one letter to your application from an organization for whom you performed community service. These letter(s) should provide a reference and contact information acknowledging the community service you performed.

Write a paragraph on what vocational occupation you intend to pursue and why you have chosen this occupation. (If you need additional space, please attach an additional sheet entitled: Vocational Occupation

If you have any work experience, tell about it: length of time of this experience, position held and your responsibilities in this position. If you need additional space, attach a second sheet entitled: Work Experience

Remarks (Other information that will assist the board with your application)

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Your completed and signed application must be returned to this office no later than April 16, 2027.

Your application must include the following:

1. This completed and signed form
2. An official transcript of all your high school courses (grades 9 - 12)
3. Completed community service form
4. Letter from at least one organization for whom you performed community service
5. Letter of recommendation from at least one of the following persons: a teacher, counselor or employer

Applicant:

Name

_____

Address

_____

Telephone Number _____

We certify that the information in this application is true and accurate to the best of our knowledge.

_____Signed & dated by applicant

_____Signed & dated by parent or legal guardian

Community Service: Complete this form by listing any volunteer community service you have performed during your four years of high school. Attach letters to your application from each organization for whom your performed community service. These letters should provide a reference verifying the community service you performed.

Organization Name & Address	Point of Contact and Phone Number	No. of Hours Worked	Description of Community Service Performed

Scholarship Criteria and Information

The Kiwanis Club of Sierra Vista Scholarship Board will select scholarship recipients after review of the application material. Academic and other references, academic standing, and other specified criteria will be considered. Parameters for selection may include commitment to education, merit, character, school citizenship, school involvement, volunteer/community service activities, financial need, and grade point average.

Awards may be made to high school seniors who have been accepted at an accredited college, university or technical school. Scholarships will be awarded only for undergraduate or vocational-technical study.

A student who is awarded a scholarship will be notified of the award through their school administration.

Students are eligible for only ONE of the three Kiwanis Club of Sierra Vista scholarships. Students may apply for all three, but will only be considered to receive one of the three.

Completed application form with all supporting documentation must be turned in to your school administration no later than April 16, 2027. Home school students are to coordinate application delivery by the established deadline with Ron Faulkner at phone number 1-520-458-2384 No late applications or parts of the application packet will be accepted.

The award is intended to be used during the traditional academic year (fall through spring), and for academic purposes such as tuition, fees, and/or books.

The Kiwanis Club of Sierra Vista Scholarship Board reserves the right to determine if an award will be given.

Scholarship funds are payable to the educational institution designated by the recipient.

Relatives of the current Kiwanis Club of Sierra Vista Scholarship Board are ineligible.

Scholarship recipient selection(s) will be made without regard to race, age, gender, religion, political beliefs, employment status, or any other factor, which could constitute unfair or illegal discrimination.

Student must be a U.S. citizen, and a legal resident of Arizona. The student must be officially accepted at an accredited college or university, and must attend a college or university in the U.S. during the duration of the scholarship year. The student must enroll in a minimum of six (6) credit hours each semester of the award period.

Student must be in good standing, have a minimum of a 2.75 cumulative overall grade point average at his/her high school and be enrolled full-time during the spring semester when application is made.

Student must submit a transcript from their high school with his/her application. Transcripts should indicate cumulative grade point average. If the student has taken college or trade school courses, transcripts from these courses also may be submitted.

Decisions of the Scholarship Board are final in all matters related to the above practices.