

## KENEDY COUNTY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

To be considered for a Scholarship, an applicant **MUST** fulfill the following conditions:

- 1) **RESIDENT OF KENEDY COUNTY**: Must provide Parents name on a bill AND Applicants Driver's License or ID, or School Transcript with physical address
- 2) **SUBMIT AN APPLICATION PACKAGE** (attached) which includes the following:
  - a) Completed scholarship application
  - b) Transcript(s) from high school or college or certification of GED
  - c) Letter(s) of recommendation from high school principal or counselor; AND three faculty member recommendations to be filled out on application
- 3) **FOR ENTERING FRESHMEN ONLY**: Meet all entrance requirements, including providing the Kenedy County Scholarship Fund Committee with transcripts of high school records and scores on ACT or SAT by the closing date of applications
- 4) Have a minimum score of 16 on ACT or 700 on SAT, or a minimum GPA of 2.5 as a full-time student or be accepted to a college or University with proof of letter of acceptance
- 5) Submit test results from aptitude tests from approved technical institution
- 6) Personal interview with at least 3 board members (if requested by board)

Scholarship Funds will be issued at the beginning or end of the Spring & Fall Semesters upon receiving an official transcript and board calls to order. **No summer semesters will be paid out.** Funds will be mailed or can be picked up by recipient upon request.

To continue as a Kenedy County Scholar on a semester-to-semester basis, a recipient must maintain a minimum **2.5 GPA** based on completion of a minimum of **12 credit hours per semester** at a College or University or a minimum of 16 credits at a technical school. A recipient of a scholarship may receive a minimum of \$200 or a maximum of \$800. (Funds may increase/decrease depending on funds granted)

**ALL SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE AWARDED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE KENEDY COUNTY SCHOLARSHIP BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**

**ALL APPLICATIONS PACKAGES MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN:**

**MAY 1<sup>ST</sup>** FOR FALL SEMESTER

**NOVEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>** FOR SPRING SEMESTER

# KENEDY COUNTY SCHOLARSHIP FUND APPLICATION

## Applicant Information

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last First M.I.*

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Street Address Apartment/Unit #*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
*City State ZIP Code*

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Last four of Social Security No: \_\_\_\_\_ Years of residence In Kenedy County: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Major or Field of Study \_\_\_\_\_

Extra-Curricular Activities (Clubs, Athletics, Services, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Special Recognitions (Awards, Honors, Offices held, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Community Service Activities: \_\_\_\_\_

## Education

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_ Did you graduate? YES ☐ NO ☐ Diploma: \_\_\_\_\_

College: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_ Did you graduate? YES ☐ NO ☐ Degree: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_ Did you graduate? YES ☐ NO ☐ Degree: \_\_\_\_\_

# RECOMMENDATIONS

To be completed by a faculty member. (Requirement in 2c)

Name: _____				Title: _____			
Leadership:		Academic record/promise:		Character:		Phone: _____	
YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	How long have you known the applicant? In what capacity? _____	
_____							

Name: _____				Title: _____			
Leadership:		Academic record/promise:		Character:		Phone: _____	
YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	How long have you known the applicant? In what capacity? _____	
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YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	How long have you known the applicant? In what capacity? _____	
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## REQUIREMENTS

- ☐ Write a **250 word** essay in your own handwriting on why you want to receive this scholarship. How will this scholarship money help you? What are your future plans? (Please attach with application)
- ☐ Official Transcripts must be attached from High School or University. (seal of stamp must be present)
- ☐ Letter of recommendation from High School Principal or Counselor.

## Disclaimer and Signature

*I certify that I am a legal resident of Kenedy County, Texas and my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.*

*If this application leads to receiving scholarship funds, I understand that false or misleading information in my application or interview may result in disqualification for future distribution.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_