

Kekaulike High School Foundation Scholarships

Description: The purpose of this fund is to provide scholarships to King Kekaulike High School graduating seniors who are majoring in any area of study (or as designated by the scholarship) at any accredited post-secondary institution within the US.

[Kekaulike High School Foundation Scholarship Information](#)

Deadline: Friday, March 22, 2024, 5:00pm HST

Eligibility Criteria: Applicants must -

- Be a resident of the State of Hawai'i
- Be a current year graduating senior of King Kekaulike High School
- Attend an accredited, two or four year institution including other accredited post-secondary vocational-technical schools/programs within the US (including US territories)
- Attend as a full time student (as determined by your school's financial aid office)
- Preference for:
 - Demonstration of financial need (Expected Family Contribution [EFC] score)
 - Minimum GPA of 2.5
 - Ten or more hours of community service
 - Participation in extracurricular activities

How to apply:

- Please go to our [KHFS Common Scholarship Application](#) and complete this ONE application for all Foundation Scholarships.
- Please use this [link](#) to send an automatic request for a letter of recommendation from two adults. It is highly recommended that you send your request at least two weeks prior to the deadline of **Friday, March 22, 2024** to ensure submission of letters in a timely manner.

Other important required information:

BEFORE completing the application, be prepared to have **PDF copies** of the following documents:

- A list all of your extra-curricular activities, including sports, community service, part-time jobs, volunteer work, club memberships and offices held on a separate document (Limit to one page, 10-12 font size, see [sample 1](#), [sample 2](#))
- Personal statements: Responses to all three prompts (total of all three responses is limited to ONLY 1 page, typewritten, double spaced, 10-12 font size)
 - The lessons we take from obstacles we encounter can be fundamental to later success. Recount a time when you faced a challenge, setback, or failure. How did it affect you, and what did you learn from the experience?
 - Explain how your passion for your intended area of study supports your future career path.
 - Discuss an accomplishment that sparked a period of personal growth and a new understanding of yourself or others.
- FOR MAJORS IN THE STEM FIELD ONLY: a separate 500-700 word essay in response to this prompt: "Describe your interest in STEM and how you would choose to give back or inspire others to take an interest in the STEM field."
- Your official transcript obtained from the school registrar (NOT from Infinite Campus or a teacher; see [sample](#))
- The first page of your Student Aid Report (SAR, see [sample](#)) or a copy of the Free Application for Student Aid (FAFSA) form showing your name and the estimated family contribution (EFC)

**For more information on the Kekaulike High School Foundation, please go to: www.kekaulikefoundation.org
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