

TAHITIAN VILLAGE SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2026

Purpose: To positively impact our neighborhood and community by investing in the continued education of two graduating Tahitian Village seniors.

Tahitian Village Property Owners' Association (POA) and Architectural Control Committee (ACC) together will award a:

1. \$2,000 scholarship to a graduating high school senior planning to attend a college/university
2. \$2,000 scholarship to a graduating high school senior planning to attend a trade/vocational school.

(If there are no applicants for a trade/vocational school scholarship, two college/university scholarships will be awarded.)

Guidelines:

- The student MUST currently reside in Tahitian Village.
- Only complete applications will be considered.
- All information should be typed or neatly printed.
- Applications MUST be **submitted by April 1st by 4:00 pm** to the Tahitian Village Property Owners' Association office located at 112 Corporate Dr. Bastrop, TX. (Our office is in the northeast corner of the BCWCID building.) NO exceptions and NO late submissions will be allowed.
- Certificates for the scholarships will be issued:
 - June 1, 2026 -ACC
 - June 16, 2026 -POA
 - July 6, 2026 -ACC
 - July 21, 2026 -POA
- Attendance on one of the four listed meeting dates is required, and recipients must agree to have their photo taken and shared in the Pine Post.
- Scholarship checks will be issued upon receipt of proof of payment from the recipient.
 - We will accept receipts for tuition, school supplies, or housing as proof of payment.
 - The proof of payment must be received within the first three months of the tuition period immediately after receipt of the scholarship certificate.
- The scholarship offer is only valid for the school year after the recipient's high school graduation.
- The decision of the scholarship committee is final and cannot be reviewed or challenged.
- Applications and guidelines are available on our website (tahitianvillage.org) or available in the Tahitian Village POA Office.

Scholarship Criteria/Checklist:

- (1) Completed application (typed or neatly printed)
- (2) Recommendation letter from school counselor, teacher, coach or employer

- (3) Proof of enrollment from the college, university, trade or vocational school the student will be attending
- (4) Unofficial H.S. transcript including the most recent semester completed or a G.E.D.
- (5) Extracurricular list which includes any extracurricular activities, jobs, or volunteer activities done during the applicant's high school career.
- (6) Complete a 500-word essay from the following prompt: Explain how your chosen career or field of study could potentially impact Tahitian Village or any other community in which you may live.

Tahitian Village Scholarship Application:

Full Name: _____

Address (street, city, state, zip):

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Emergency contact (relationship, name, phone number):

Printed Name of Applicant: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

If under 18 years of age, printed name of Parent/Guardian: _____

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By signing this application, you agree to attend either the June 16th or July 21st meeting of the POA for the college/university scholarship, or the June 1st or July 6th ACC meeting for the trade/vocational scholarship.

Name of High School: _____

College/school you will attend: _____

Please indicate [X] if you are attending a [_____] college/university or [_____] trade/vocational school

Planned major: _____

Career objective: _____

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS:

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- Unofficial H.S. transcript including the most recent semester completed or G.E.D.
- Extracurricular activity list
- 500-word essay (Please do not include your name in the essay.)

Thank you for applying for our scholarship.

To be completed by staff:

Date received: _____

Received by: _____