



LEWIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

\$750 CARDINAL SCHOLARSHIP

TO: Applying Student residing in Lewis county

RE: \$750 LCSOA Financial Needs Assessment Scholarship for 2023/2024 School Year

ELIGIBILITY:

Applicants must qualify in the following areas:

- High school senior living in Lewis County
- OR – a full-time student enrolled in a baccalaureate program, associate degree program, or vocational/technical certification program that has graduated from the Lewis County area

The scholarship recipient must be enrolled in a baccalaureate program, associate degree program, or vocational/technical certification program at the time of issuance of the scholarship award. After verification of enrollment, a check will be forwarded to the recipient's school of choice.

REQUIREMENTS:

To be considered, you must submit the following:

- Completed scholarship application
- Personal essay (limit 500 words) including the challenges overcome to meet previous goals or goals to go to college or attend further education opportunities and **financial obstacles**
- Transcript of your high school and/or college grades
- SAT or ACT scores – if **NOT** submitted, automatically disqualifies your application
- One signed letter of recommendation
- List of honors/awards, community service, organizations involved, extra-curricular activities and work history
- Plan to enroll or actually be enrolled full-time as a college student, 12 credits per quarter or equivalent for semester
- Must not be a previous recipient of any LCSOA Scholarship Awards

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Applications must be postmarked no later than **April 14, 2023**. Mail completed application to:

**LCSOA
PO Box 462
Chehalis, WA 98532**

Applications will be rated on their GPA and SAT/ACT scores; essay (judged on originality and description of their financial hardship, grammar, spelling and punctuation); and extra-curricular activities (including academic prizes, awards, hobbies, community involvement, and work history).

- GPA & SAT/ACT Scores – Points Possible 34
- Essay – Points Possible 33
- Extra-Curricular Activities (Community Service, Honors/Awards, Work History, Organizations Involved, Etc.) – Points Possible 33

The scholarship recipient will be notified by mail prior to **May 3, 2023**. Recipient must provide proof of enrollment to the LCSCA prior to a check being forwarded to the recipient's school of choice.

Good luck!



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TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Check your current academic status: High School Senior
 Full-Time College Student
 Part-Time College Student
 Full-Time Vocation/Technical Program
 Other: (List) _____

Full Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Phone: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Name of education institution enrolled or planning to enroll in: _____

Major/Degree: _____

LIST THREE PERSONAL REFERENCES:

1) Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____

2) Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____

3) Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____

LIST OTHER FINANCIAL AID RECEIVING (IF ANY):

HONORS/AWARDS, COMMUNITY SERVICE, ORGANIZATIONS INVOLVED, EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES & WORK HISTORY:

List on a separate sheet of paper all honors and awards received, community service activities and organizations you are involved in, along with your extra-curricular activities and work history.

PERSONAL ESSAY:

To complete your scholarship application, please write a brief essay (limit 500 words) about yourself, including financial hardship, challenges you've overcome, future educational goals, and how you plan to achieve these goals. Include any information you think will help the scholarship committee reach a decision.

CERTIFICATION:

I certify the information in this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief. I authorize the release of my education records for scholarship purposes, and the release of my name for LCSOA media recognition.

Signature of Applicant:

Date: _____