

EGRSF Scholarships

Website:

<https://www.elkgroversf.org/>

Opened - December 1st

Application deadline – 5pm January 26th



ELK GROVE REGIONAL
SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

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To begin:
Under
Scholarships
tab choose
*Start an
Application*

Making the dream of
higher education a reality
for students

Read instructions



Then click on:

Start your
AWARDSPRING
application



START AN APPLICATION

Read Before Starting an Application

Elk Grove Regional Scholarship Foundation is partnering with AwardSpring for students to be able to apply for our scholarships. AwardSpring is a scholarship management company that is assisting us to process scholarship applications, for students to be able to apply for scholarships. Below you will find a link to start filling out your application. Award Spring will match you with the scholarships for which you are eligible to apply. Please note the following:

- The application process starts on **November 1, 2023**.
- The deadline for applying for scholarships is midnight on **January 25, 2024**.
- Please fill in all information on the application. Do not leave any blanks. If no information, please put N/A.
- Please fill in the required information that is listed in the criteria of the individual scholarship by the deadline date.
- Please upload any information that is needed in the criteria of the individual scholarship by the deadline date.
- Please read Navigating AwardSpring – A Guide for Applications before starting your application.
- If you have any questions or concerns while filling out the application, please contact the Career Center at your school site.

See instructions
below the
*Start your
AWARDSPRING
application*
link for more help
and instructions on
navigating the
AwardSpring
website.



Start your AWARDSPRING application

Navigating AwardSpring

A Guide for Applicants

The purpose of this guide is to walk you through the process of applying for scholarships using the AwardSpring platform.

- Start by navigating to the AwardSpring site by clicking on the button above.
- You will land at the login page.
- In the left menu bar, both Scholarships and Donors are clickable buttons.
- **Scholarships** will show you a list of all scholarships that are being offered along with their respective award amounts.
- Click on a scholarship to see additional information.

To Log-in:

1. [Sign In](#): If you already have an account, enter your email address and password and click the yellow Sign-In button, or

Sign in

OR

if you don't
have an
account
click on

Register

to create
your
account

The image shows a screenshot of the Elk Grove Regional Scholarship Foundation website. At the top right, the logo and name "ELK GROVE REGIONAL SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION" are visible. On the left side, there is a navigation menu with three items: "Scholarships" (with a book icon), "Sign In" (with a lock icon), and "Register" (with a checkmark icon). The main content area features a white sign-in form with the following elements: a "Sign In" heading, an "Email" label above a text input field, a "Password" label above another text input field, and a "Forgot password" link. Below the form are two yellow buttons: "Sign In" and "Register". The "Register" button is positioned below the text "Don't have an account?". A red arrow points from the "Sign in" text in the left sidebar to the "Sign In" button on the form. Another red arrow points from the "Register" text in the left sidebar to the "Register" button on the form. The background of the website is a photograph of a young woman with dark hair, wearing a purple top and a grey cardigan, holding a pen and looking at a book.

After your account is created you can begin completing the application.

Application

General Information

Completed

Academic Information

Completed

Financial Information

Completed

Qualification Questions

Completed

Additional Information

Completed

Phone Number

(916) 714-8158

Date of Birth

06/05/1962



Address

6400 Whitelock Parkway

City

Elk Grove

State

× California



Zip Code

95757

Click the
Next Step
button to
save and
move to the
next page in
the
application.

Parent /Guardian 2 *(Optional)*

10 word(s) left

Parent/Guardian Email

9 word(s) left

Parent/Guardian 1 Occupation

9 word(s) left

Parent/Guardian 2 Occupation *(Optional)*

10 word(s) left

Previous Step

Next Step

Submit Application

If you are unsure of your *Field of Study* or *College* you can choose more than one.

The screenshot shows a web form with a sidebar on the left and a main content area on the right. The sidebar contains several sections, each with a 'Completed' status: 'Academic Information', 'Financial Information', 'Qualification Questions', and 'Additional Information'. The main content area is titled 'Field of Study' and contains several sections: 'Field of Study' (with tags for Business/Administration/Accounting and Education), 'Degree Pursuing' (with radio buttons for Associate, Bachelor's, Master's, and Doctorate), 'Academic Status' (with radio buttons for Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior, and Graduate), 'Cumulative GPA' (with a text input field containing 3.00), 'What school are you currently attending?' (with a tag for Franklin High), and 'Post-Secondary School' (with tags for 4 Year College or University and Community College). Two red arrows originate from the text on the left: one points to the 'Field of Study' tags, and the other points to the 'Post-Secondary School' tags.

Completed

Academic Information
Completed

Financial Information
Completed

Qualification Questions
Completed

Additional Information
Completed

Field of Study

* Business/Administration/Accounting * Education

Degree Pursuing

Associate

Bachelor's

Master's

Doctorate

Academic Status

Freshman

Sophomore

Junior

Senior

Graduate

Cumulative GPA

3.00

What school are you currently attending?

* Franklin High

Post-Secondary School

* 4 Year College or University * Community College

*Every student should complete the **Financial Information** section.*

Application

General Information

Completed

Academic Information

Completed

Financial Information

Completed

Qualification Questions

Completed

Additional Information

Completed

Fill out the following questions to be considered for scholarships that give preference to or require financial need. Income must meet Cal Grant Level A guidelines to be eligible for financial need (www.csac.ca.gov/doc.asp?ID=20) plus \$20,000 for each level.

Parents' Combined Annual Gross Income (Optional)

Family Size (as indicated on last income tax form) (Optional)

Read the
*Qualification
Questions*
carefully.
An incorrect
answer can
eliminate
scholarship
opportunities.

Application

General Information

Completed

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Additional Information

Completed

Are/were you in the Foster Youth Program?

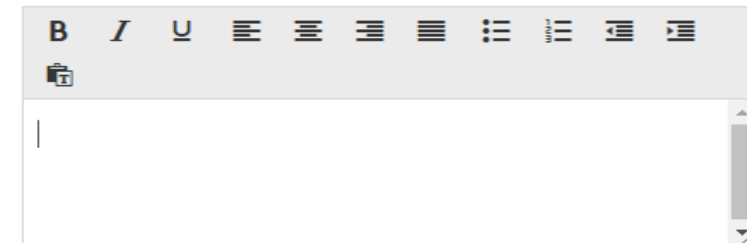
- Yes
 No

Did you play sports in school?

- Yes
 No

Write a brief personal statement telling us about yourself – your life experiences, hopes, ambitions, inspirations including any special circumstances that affect your ability to afford college. The personal statement is the one place where you can truly present your passions and personality. Write from the heart about something you feel passionate about.

250 word(s) left



A rich text editor toolbar with icons for Bold (B), Italic (I), Underline (U), Bulleted List, Numbered List, Decrease Indent, Increase Indent, Link, and Unlink. Below the toolbar is a text input area with a vertical scrollbar on the right side.

Do you reside in Elk Grove City Limits?

- Yes
 No

Do you live in EGUSD boundaries?

- Yes
 No

Personal Statement

The personal statement is a very important part of the application.

We are not looking for you to just talk about facts of your life but write about your life experiences, passions, ambitions, hopes, inspirations. Talk about an individual or event that shaped your life. Write from the heart about something you are passionate about. You can also include any special circumstances that affect your ability to afford college.

Complete the
Activity,
Community
Service,
and
Employment
sections exactly like
the examples.
Helpful Hint: Review
My Experiences in
[CaliforniaColleges.edu](https://www.californiacolleges.edu)

Please list them in the following format:

Activity : Participation Year(s) : Offices Held : Total Hours

School Activities

995 word(s) left

B *I* U [List Icons]

Key Club: 4: Treasurer: 100

List **community service** activities in which you have participated as a volunteer. **LIST ONLY COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES/HOURS OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM DURING GRADES 9-12 ONLY.**

Please list them in the following format:

Name of Organization or Event: Job Duties : Participation Dates : Total Hours

Community Service Activities

991 word(s) left

B *I* U [List Icons]

Common Ground Covenant Church: Nursery Worker: 2016-2020: 100

After
completing the
application
and double
checking your
answers you
are ready to hit
*Submit
Application!*

By submitting this application, you are agreeing that to the best of your knowledge, all the above information is true and correct and hereby grant permission for my photograph to be used for publication. I understand that the photograph(s) may be broadcast or published in various documents and/or websites and publications, now or hereafter in perpetuity. I understand and agree that I will not be paid for such use.

Step

Submit Application



Be sure to “Complete Follow-Up”

The scholarships on the ***RIGHT*** are complete and just need to be submitted.

Scholarships on the ***LEFT*** have letters of recommendation and/or essays before they are complete.

You have some follow-up work to do.
Click "Complete Follow-Up" in the boxes below.

42 Items requiring completion

7 Applied scholarships

Follow-Ups

BBVA Compass

Due 1/29/2020

Complete Follow-Up

Bounty on the Boulevard

Due 1/29/2020

Complete Follow-Up

C. Cantrell and Helen Carr Castello Memorial

Due 1/29/2020

Complete Follow-Up

Carrothers Family

Due 1/29/2020

Complete Follow-Up

Chet & Reno Dawson Memorial

Due 1/29/2020

Complete Follow-Up

Dr. George Kibby Memorial

Due 1/29/2020

Complete Follow-Up

Check all scholarships you're eligible for to see the different types of Letters of Recommendation.

There are several types: Teacher, Community Member, Community Service Verification, Non-family member to name a few.

Please use the form below to request a letter of recommendation from a teacher.

Requested on Dec 02, 2019

Stephanie Hartmann

Stshartm@egusd.net

Status: Pending

Resend Request

Send New Request

Please use the form below to request a letter of recommendation from a Community Service Involvement/Community Service Leader.

Recipient First Name

Recipient Last Name

Recipient Email

Decide **PRIOR**
to requesting
Letters of Rec,
which type the
recommender
will complete.

Recommenders
can only write
letters for
ONE category.

Please use the form below to request a letter of recommendation from **teacher.**

Requested on Dec 02, 2019

Stephanie Hartmann

Stshartm@egusd.net

Status: Pending

Resend Request

Send New Request

Please use the form below to request a letter of recommendation from **Community Service**

Community Service Leader.

Recipient First Name

Recipient Last Name

Recipient Email

What your Recommender Receives

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <https://elkgroversf.awardspring.com/ExternalRequest/Index/865edd7c-43b5-4e3e-b29a-415038ad366e>. The browser's address bar and tabs are visible at the top. The page header features the Elk Grove Regional Scholarship Foundation logo. The main content area is titled "External Request for Applicant" followed by a redacted name. Below the title, there are three paragraphs of instructions: the first asks the user to write a letter of recommendation in the provided textbox; the second asks the user to refer to the applicant's information form; the third asks the user to submit recommendations by a specific date, which is also redacted. Below these instructions, there is a section for "Recommendation from a non-family member" with a word count of "500 word(s) left". This section includes a rich text editor toolbar with icons for bold, italic, underline, bulleted list, numbered list, link, and unlink. The text area of the editor is currently empty. At the bottom of the form, there is a "Submit" button.

External Request for Applicant [REDACTED]

Please use the textbox below to write a letter of recommendation. A pre-written letter of recommendation can be copied and pasted in the textbox.

Please refer to the student information form you received from the applicant listing school activities, community service, employment and any other pertinent information.

Please submit recommendations by [REDACTED]

Recommendation from a non-family member

500 word(s) left

[Rich text editor toolbar with icons for Bold, Italic, Underline, Bulleted List, Numbered List, Link, and Unlink]

[Empty text area for recommendation]

Submit

After the recommendations are uploaded, it will show on the scholarships as

Status: Completed

Press the

Submit Application

button to complete the application

Apply for this Scholarship

Please use the form below to request a letter of recommendation from a non-family member.

Requested on Dec 02, 2021

Valery Javier

vjavier@egusd.net

Status: Completed

Submitted on: Dec 02, 2021

Please use the form below to request a letter of recommendation from a non-family member.

Requested on Dec 02, 2021

Ryan Autenrieth

rautenri@egusd.net

Status: Completed

Submitted on: Dec 02, 2021

✔ Great! You have answered all required questions. Now click the Submit Application button.

Submit Application

Please Note:

- **Personal Statement:** In your personal statement, talk about a passion, why you chose a particular career, who or what influenced you.. What is an incident that happened in your life that has made you the person you are today. Who in your life has been a great influence on you and why. Explain why it is important to you that you receive this scholarship.
- List as many school activities, community service activities, and work as you can. Be sure to list them in the format on the application.
- **Letters of recommendations:** Ask for them early. Give them a sheet from your Career Center with information on you so they can write a better letter of recommendation. **DO NOT USE THE SAME PERSON FOR DIFFERENT KINDS OF RECOMMENDATIONS.**
- If there is a possibility, you might attend a Community College first, please choose it also. You have two years to claim your scholarship.

Please Note:

- Be sure to completely fill out application. Capitalize names, cities, state, streets, and be sure to add apartment numbers.
- GPA: Scholarship list different minimum GPA's. As long as you meet this criteria, you are not competing against student's with higher GPA's. The rubric does not give you more points for a higher GPA.
- There are some scholarships that are for individual schools. For these scholarships, you are not competing against students from other schools.
- There are some scholarships that are for Alternative Ed students only. By listing you school, these will appear on your dashboard to apply.
- When you list your "field of study," choose the career(s) on the list that most fits what you want to do. If you are interested, choose more than one. It will open up additional scholarships for you to apply for.

Changes can be made!

- Prior to the January 25th deadline, corrections can be made to the application, however it's much easier to make corrections prior to submission.
- See your CCC Tech or your Counselor for questions.

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