

Arrowhead Park Association Scholarship

Youth Scholarship Guidelines

I. Principles

- a. Grants will be made to the dependent children of individuals who work in Arrowhead Park for a company that is a member in good standing of the Arrowhead Park Association. A parent must have worked for the APA member company for at least 6 months before the child can apply. Scholarship awards will be based on academic achievement, the clarity and content of a personal statement, need, and demonstrated volunteer/community service.
- b. Funds will be sent directly to the college business office of the student's choice as a credit to his/her account.
- c. The number and amount of the awards are determined by the Arrowhead Park Association Board annually and are based on available funds.
- d. Winners may not reapply.

II. Eligibility

Applicant students must:

- a. Attend, or be a graduating high school senior planning to attend, an accredited college or university.
- b. Be matriculated in a program leading to the associate or baccalaureate degree.
- c. Have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0.
- d. Complete and submit the application to the Arrowhead Park Board of Trustees by 12:00 midnight April 20, 2018. The application and supporting materials must be combined into a single PDF document and emailed to arrowheadparkassociation@gmail.com. Submissions containing multiple documents or zipped files will not be considered, nor will incomplete applications. Please verify your application contains all required documents prior to submission. Please use the Subject line of APA SCHOLARSHIP.

III. Non-Discrimination Policy

No applicant will be denied eligibility for a scholarship grant on the basis of race, creed, color, sex, sexual orientation, or national origin.

IV. Procedures

- a. Applicants, in addition to the application form, must submit transcripts of their academic record (unofficial permitted), a personal statement of no more than two pages, and two letters of recommendation, one from a teacher and one from a community/volunteer organization where the student has done at least 40 hours of work through the high-school years. Applicants must also submit proof of a parent's employment at an Arrowhead Park Association member company. This proof may be in the form of a letter on company stationery from Human Resources stating that the parent has been continuously employed by the company for at least six months prior to the date of application. All documents must be scanned and combined into a single PDF document.
- b. Following review of applications based on criteria previously determined, scholarship award decisions will be made by the Education Committee of the Arrowhead Park Association. Decisions will be announced by the second Friday in May.
- c. NOTE: Once an applicant is selected to receive a scholarship, he or she must submit a sealed, official transcript to the education committee as verification.

Arrowhead Park Association Scholarship

Employee Scholarship Guidelines

I. Principles

- a. Grants will be made to individuals who work in Arrowhead Park for companies that are members in good standing of the Arrowhead Park Association. Applicants must have continuously worked for a member company for at least six months before applying for the scholarship.
- b. Scholarship awards will be made based on scholarship, the clarity and content of a personal statement, and need.
- c. Funds will be sent directly to the college business office of the student's choice as a credit to his/her account.
- d. The number and amount of the awards are determined by the Arrowhead Park Association Board annually and are based on available funds.
- e. Winners may not reapply.

II. Eligibility

Applicant students must:

- a. Attend or plan to attend an accredited college or university.
- b. Be matriculated in a program leading to the associate, baccalaureate, or master's degree.
- c. Have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0.
- e. Complete and submit the application to the Arrowhead Park Board of Trustees by 12:00 midnight April 20, 2018. The application and supporting materials must be combined into a single PDF document and emailed to arrowheadparkassociation@gmail.com. Submissions containing multiple documents or zipped files will not be considered, nor will incomplete applications. Please verify your application contains all required documents prior to submission. Please use the Subject line of APA SCHOLARSHIP.

III. Non-Discrimination Policy

No applicant will be denied eligibility for a scholarship grant on the basis of race, creed, color, sex, sexual orientation, or national origin.

IV. Procedures

- a. Applicants, in addition to the application form, must submit transcripts of their academic record (unofficial permitted), a personal statement of no more than two typed pages, two letters of recommendation, and proof of employment for the prior six months at a member company. All documents must be scanned and combined into a single PDF document.
- b. Following review of applications based on criteria previously determined, scholarship award decisions will be made by the Education Committee of the Arrowhead Park Association. Decisions will be announced by the second Friday in May.
- c. NOTE: Once an applicant is selected to receive a scholarship, he or she must submit a sealed, official transcript to the education committee as verification.

Arrowhead Park Association Scholarship

Non-Member Scholarship Guidelines

I. Principles

- a. A grant will be made to an individual (or their qualifying child) who works in Arrowhead Park for a company that is eligible to become an active member of the Arrowhead Park Association, or had previously been an Associate Member of the APA. Applicants must have continuously worked at a membership-eligible company for at least six months before applying for the scholarship.
- b. Scholarship awards will be made based on scholarship, the clarity and content of a personal statement, and need.
- c. Funds will be sent directly to the college business office of the student's choice as a credit to his/her account.
- d. One (1) scholarship will be awarded in the amount of five hundred dollars (\$500).
- e. Winners may not reapply.

II. Eligibility

Applicant students must:

- a. Attend, or be a graduating high school senior planning to attend, an accredited college or university.
- b. Be matriculated in a program leading to the associate, baccalaureate, or master's degree.
- c. Have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0.
- d. Complete and submit the application to the Arrowhead Park Board of Trustees by 12:00 midnight April 20, 2018. The application and supporting materials must be combined into a single PDF document and emailed to arrowheadparkassociation@gmail.com. Submissions containing multiple documents or zipped files will not be considered, nor will incomplete applications. Please verify your application contains all required documents prior to submission. Please use the Subject line of APA SCHOLARSHIP.

III. Non-Discrimination Policy

No applicant will be denied eligibility for a scholarship grant on the basis of race, creed, color, sex, sexual orientation, or national origin.

IV. Procedures

- a. Applicants, in addition to the application form, must submit transcripts of their academic record (unofficial permitted), a personal statement of no more than two typed pages, two letters of recommendation, and proof of employment for the prior six months at a membership-eligible company or a prior associate member company. For youth applicants, one letter of recommendation must come from a teacher and one must come from a community/volunteer organization where the student has done at least 40 hours of work through the high-school years.
- b. Following review of applications based on criteria previously determined, scholarship award decisions will be made by the Education Committee of the Arrowhead Park Association. Decisions will be announced by the second Friday in May.
- c. NOTE: Once an applicant is selected to receive a scholarship, he or she must submit a sealed, official transcript to the education committee as verification.

Arrowhead Park Association Scholarship Application

Please check the scholarship you are applying for (only one scholarship can be selected)

Youth

Employee

Non-Member

Personal Data

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Education:

Please list secondary schools and colleges attended, most recent first:

School

Dates

Degree

<u>School</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Degree</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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Arrowhead Park Employment Information

If applying for Youth Scholarship, enter parent's name:

Employer: _____ Title: _____

Employment Address: _____

Employed Since: _____ Work Phone: _____

(See worksheet on reverse)

Personal Statement Guidelines:

The personal statement should be no more than two typed pages. It should discuss your academic achievements, career aspirations, personal goals, and other comments relevant to your application. Include a listing and description of your community service and volunteer activities. It is also necessary that you substantiate why you need additional financial assistance.

Worksheet:

School You Will Attend: _____

Address: _____

Costs:

Tuition per year: _____

Fees per year: _____

Estimated cost of books: _____

Total (1): _____

Other Support:

Scholarships: _____

Grants: _____

Tuition Assistance _____

Total (2): _____

Total (1) minus (2): _____