

**Northwest Crossing Association of San Antonio, Inc.**  
**PO Box 591610, San Antonio, Texas 78259**  
**On-site Office: 210.647.0689 Email: [nwc@nwchoa.org](mailto:nwc@nwchoa.org)**

Two scholarships of \$1000 a year for four years are awarded each spring. A minimum grade point average of 2.75 and registration for at least 12 credit hours per semester is required. Academic updates are required prior to the spring semester or January 31<sup>st</sup> of each year. Failure to maintain grade average or full-time enrollment for 12 semester hours (or equivalent) will result in forfeiture of scholarship. Students will be responsible to submit GPA updates each semester to Dawn Tomaschfsky at dawn@patriotcm.com.

**Qualifications/Eligibility Guidelines:**

1. Applicant must be graduating from high school no later than June 30<sup>th</sup> the year of application.
2. Applicants must be a dependent of a member of NWC Association of San Antonio, Inc. in good standing (all association fees paid).
3. Applicants must be residents of the Northwest Crossing subdivisions as of date of application and the duration of the scholarship unless the student is residing on campus.
4. Applicants must not have a criminal record.
5. Applicants must set a reasonable graduation goal/expectation at a Texas institution of higher learning.
6. The scholarship is limited to students who will attend an accredited institute of higher learning.
7. Students are expected to maintain a minimum grade point average of 2.75.

**How to apply:**

1. Complete the scholarship application (see attached).
2. Prepare a written statement addressing the following areas:
  - a. What type of community service activities have you been involved in?
  - b. Describe your academic success (honors, awards, GPA, etc.).
  - c. What does citizenship mean to you?
  - d. What do you feel are your best character traits?
3. Provide at least one letter of recommendation addressing community involvement.
4. Submit the application, written statement, and letter(s) of recommendation to the address listed above, or to the NWC On-site Office in person or via email **no later than 12:00 noon on June 15, 2024.**
5. Applicant must submit the application, statement, and letter(s) of recommendation and meet all qualifications/eligibility guidelines on time in order to be considered.

**Composition of the Scholarship Committee:**

At least five (5) instructors/professors from area colleges and universities will review the applications.

**Evaluation Process:**

1. All committee members review the applications.
2. Each member will place applications in preferential order based on evaluation criterion.
  - a. Community involvement: 25 points
  - b. Academic: 15 points
  - c. Written Statement: 25 points
  - d. Character/Citizenship: 15 points
  - e. Recommendation: 10 points
  - f. Financial need: 10 points
3. The applicants receiving the highest composite score will be awarded the scholarship.
4. Interviews may be conducted in case of a tie involving more than two (2) candidates.
5. Applicants will be notified of results by June 30<sup>th</sup>.

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## Scholarship Application

Applicant's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_

School Counselor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Counselor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*(Signature is preferred but not required)*

College you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Other scholarships received: \_\_\_\_\_

Personal Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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*(These may include financial need\* or any other information you believe the committee should be aware of when the application is reviewed. You may attach a separate sheet if more space is needed.)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Father's Signature\*\*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's Signature\*\*

\* Applicants might be asked to provide copy of parents' federal income tax return(s) in order to establish financial need.

\*\* Parents' signatures are required if applicant is under 21 years of age and not self-supporting.