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together to better
our community.

Cy-Fair Women's Club Scholarship 2023-2024

Scholarship Award is for \$1,000 payable one time to the college that the recipient is attending.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:

The Cy-Fair Women's Club is offering college scholarships to seniors (both male and female) who reside in Cypress Fairbanks ISD boundaries *and* are graduating at any **CFISD high school, home school or private school** -- and plan to attend, on a full-time basis, an accredited two or four-year college, university or technical school. *Applicants must have taken the SAT or ACT or a college placement tests (Compass, Asset or THEA will be accepted) and passed all parts of the STARR test (or the equivalent thereof).*

The Cy-Fair Women's Club is dedicated to helping the community through fundraising for worthwhile organizations who serve others. Successful candidates for our scholarship should demonstrate a strong commitment to serve others, as well as academic achievements, involvement in their school, leadership qualities, and personal character. The primary focus of this scholarship is to award students who give back to their community through community service.

The application is a WORD document. Our preference is that you type the application and email your completed application to scholarship@cyfairwomensclub.org. Handwriting the application is discouraged. Application must be submitted via email **NO LATER THAN Monday, February 5, 2024, and the following must be mailed, post-marked by February 5, 2024:**

1. An official school transcript sent from the school to the address below.
2. SAT, ACT or TSI scores. The student may email a copy of his/her original test scores if the school does not include the scores with the transcript (most schools do not include scores).
2. Two (2) references, one from a teacher, counselor, or coach and the other from a community leader such as minister, employer, etc. No relatives please. The letter should include the reference's title, their relationship to the applicant, and how long they have known the applicant. The letter should contain a general evaluation and comments on specific strengths, special talents/abilities and/or leadership skills of the applicant. The reference can mail the letter directly to the address below or email the letter to scholarship@cyfairwomensclub.org. The student may send in letters that have been sealed/signed by the reference.

IT IS THE STUDENT'S OBLIGATION TO SUBMIT A COMPLETE APPLICATION. STUDENTS CAN SEND AN EMAIL REQUESTING CONFIRMATION OF SUBMITTAL TO THE EMAIL BELOW.

If necessary, students can also print the application and mail with the documents to the address below. **PLEASE DO NOT SEND DOCUMENTS CERTIFIED MAIL OR ANY OTHER WAY THAT REQUIRES A SIGNATURE!!**

Mail documents to: **Cy-Fair Women's Club - Scholarship**
P.O. Box 2173
Cypress, Texas 77410

Any questions may be directed to: Jessica Renzelman Jessica.Renzelman@cfisd.net

CY-FAIR WOMEN'S CLUB 2023 – 2024 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Submission Deadline is Monday, February 5, 2024

1. Applicant's Information:

Name:

Cell Phone:

E-mail:

Home Phone:

Address:

City:

Zip:

Parent(s) name(s):

Parent's Email:

Student's High School(s):

Cy-Fair (formerly Copperfield) Women's Club Member Current or Past Statement

To be completed ONLY if Mother/Guardian has been a current or past member of Cy-Fair Women's Club or Copperfield Women's Club for at least 12 months.

Mother's name:

Mother's years of membership:

Describe Mother's participation (including offices held, committees and event (s) participated):

Part 1.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES (Non-school related)

List community organizations that you belong to outside of school, such as scouts, charity leagues, and church groups. Indicate positions held, any awards received, and estimate hours spent. (Note community service performed for school organizations will be listed under Part 2.)

Organization	Position/Dates	Description of Activities and Describe Any Awards Received	Estimate total hours spent on activity per year				
			9th	10th	11th	12th	total hours
<u>Examples:</u> St. Elizabeth Lifeteen Girl Scouts	<u>Example:</u> Member(2016-2017) Member(2008-present)	<u>Examples:</u> Rehearse weekly/sing at Sunday services Weekly troop meetings; Gold Award-highest award achievable for a project with a sustainable impact in the community					

Note: additional rows may be added by clicking outside and to the right of the last row and hitting enter.

Part 2.

COMMUNITY OR VOLUNTEER SERVICE (School related)

List organization, describe community/volunteer service performed on behalf of or as required by each organization, and estimate hours spent in service for that organization

Organization	How did you find this organization?	Describe the volunteer activity performed.	Estimate total hours spent on activity per year				
			9th	10 th	11th	12th	total hours
<u>Examples:</u> Mu Alpha Theta Lowery Elementary CyFair Women’s Club	<u>Examples:</u> Qualified to join PALs Key Club	<u>Examples:</u> Tutored students Mentored/tutored elementary students Work Shop Til You Drop					

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Part 3.
ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT-AWARDS/HONORS/RECOGNITIONS RECEIVED (include honor societies, advanced placement (AP) classes, and all other academic achievements)

Awards/Honors/Recognitions	Description	Year Received			
		Mark with an "X"			
Examples: Honor Roll Regional qualifier (Math) Certificate for English III	Examples: Award for mostly A's on report card 1 of 3 chosen for reg. team (UIL) Excellence in English awarded by teacher	9th	10th	11th	12th

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Part 4.
SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

List all school activities, athletic teams, and school clubs you have been active in during high school such as band, student council, and sports. List leadership positions held. List any honors or awards you received that are not academic, including letter jackets earned. Estimate time spent on school activities listed. (Note community service performed for school organizations will be listed above under Part 2.)

Organization	Position/Year	Honors/Awards	Description of Activities	Estimate total hours spent on activity per year (do not include class time or hours reported in Part 2).			
				9th	10th	11th	12th
Examples: Speech/Debate Basketball Team Band Key Club	Example: Member/11th Captain/12th Member/10th 1st Chair/11th Member/10th Treasurer/11th	Example: Letter jacket/12th	Examples: Hosted speech tournament Played forward Played clarinet Performing service, attending weekly meetings				

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Part 5.
EMPLOYMENT

Employer/Sponsor <u>Examples:</u> Target Mr./Mrs. Neighbor	From mm/yy 06/16 01/15	To mm/yy 08/16 Present	Job Title <u>Examples:</u> Cashier Babysit 2yr and 5 yr old	Hours/ Week or Month, e.g. 10/wk 5 hrs/mth

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Part 6.
Hobbies

Include activity, how you began, and information such as skills learned, knowledge acquired, hours spent, and goals.

Activity <u>Example:</u> Playing French Horn	Description Started playing at age 14; take weekly lessons; want to attend Julliard School of Music	Hours/ Week or Month, e.g., 15-20/wk

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Part 7.

Applicant Statement and Essay. Student must complete (1) and either (2)(a) OR (2)(b).

(1) Please write a brief statement telling us the field of study that you wish to pursue and how this scholarship will help you toward your goal.

(2) In a minimum of 200 words, write an essay on one of the following topics:
(a) Discuss something that you have done that has made a difference in your community (including a service that was meaningful to you) **OR** (b) What would you like to do to change the world for the better?

Part 8.

References – Please put reference names here so we know if you are missing a reference letter.

One reference should be from a teacher, counselor or coach and the other from a community leader (e.g., minister, employer, etc.). No relatives please.

Name of Reference One:

Relation to student:

Name of Reference Two:

Relation to student:

*It is the responsibility of the applicant to make sure both reference letters are submitted by the deadline.