

# Grey Forest Utilities Scholarship

## 2019 Scholarship Application

**Awards:** (Grey Forest Utilities customers or their dependents) 1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$2,000; 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$1,000; 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - \$750; 4<sup>th</sup> Place - \$500. One additional award (\$750) is reserved for a Grey Forest Utilities resident or their dependents. In the event of a tie, financial need will be used to determine the winner. If a second tie breaker is needed, volunteer activities/community service will be used to determine the winner.

*Please read the instructions carefully to avoid disqualification.*

**Qualifications:** (1) Applicant must be a graduating high school senior, undergraduate student, graduate student, professional or non-traditional student (older student returning to college).

(2) Student must be attending or applying to an accredited college or university in the United States.

**Selection Procedures:**

(1) Final selections will be based on your potential for success, your essay, reference letters, and your financial need.

(2) All scholarship monies will be paid directly to the college or university of the winners. This is not a cash award.

**Application completion and mailing instructions:**

(1) Do not leave blank spaces/unanswered questions. Use "N/A" for any area on the application not applicable to you. **DO NOT ALTER THIS APPLICATION.** Missing application components or false information may be cause for disqualification. All information provided is subject to verification.

(2) All transcripts must be *official* transcripts. Internet copies will not be accepted and may be cause for disqualification. Indicate if you are a non-traditional student and your last transcript is from more than five years ago.

(3) Your essay must focus on your educational and career goals. Relate how past, present, and future activities will help you achieve these goals. Pay particular attention to spelling and grammar. Use SpellChek and GrammarChek on your computer. Poorly written essays will be graded accordingly.

(4) Mail to: CRM Scholarship Foundation  
346 Carroll  
San Antonio TX 78225

(5) **Deadline:**

All applications, recommendation letters, official transcripts, and essays must be postmarked no later than April 25th, 2019 to be considered. Hand-delivered applications will not be accepted.

(6) **Award Announcements:** Winners will be announced in June 2019.

# Part 1 – General Information

(Please print or type)

1) Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(First) (Middle/Maiden) (Last)

2) Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3) Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ SS# \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
(Area Code) (Number)

4) Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthplace: \_\_\_\_\_  
(MM/DD/CCYY) (City/State)

5) Check one:  Customer  Dependent of Customer  Resident  Dependent of Resident  
State relationship of customer/resident to you - include their name and address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name/Relationship) (Street Address) (City) (State)

6) Father's occupation/employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
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7) Mother's occupation/employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
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9) State your current level of education:

- High school senior  Undergraduate student  Graduate student  
 Veterinary student  Dental student  Medical student  Non-traditional student  
 Other professional \_\_\_\_\_

Name of school and dates attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of school: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_ What is, or was, your major? \_\_\_\_\_

Total GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA in major: \_\_\_\_\_

High school only - Number in class: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ PSAT: \_\_\_\_\_ SAT: \_\_\_\_\_



### Part 3 – Financial Information – Applicant

(Please print or type)

*(The financial circumstances of an applicant are one of the factors considered in the selection process. Therefore, it is necessary to request the applicant's financial information, as well as the applicant's parent's/guardian's financial information (if applicant is a dependent). All information provided in this application is confidential and will be returned to Grey Forest Utilities by CRM Scholarship Foundation immediately after the final recipient determinations are made.)*

1) Have you (the applicant) applied for any other scholarships?  Yes  No

If so, list names and amounts applied for: \_\_\_\_\_

2) Do you plan to apply for financial aid:  Yes  No If no, give details: \_\_\_\_\_

3) Do you have reasonable expectations of financial aid from any other source?  Yes  No

Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

4) Applicant's previous employment and/or current employment during high school and college (employer, dates, average hours per week, earnings per week):

5) Do you plan to work during semesters?  Yes  No During the summer?  Yes  No

Full Time  Part Time

Anticipated Earnings per week: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

6) Applicant's Personal Savings: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Personal Checking: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Personal Investments: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Part 3 – Financial Information – Parents or Guardian

(Please print or type)

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7) Combined gross income from all sources during 2018 (parents/guardian): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

8) Estimated financial assistance for college related expenses parents or guardian expect to provide to applicant in 2019/2020: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

9) Please describe any extenuating circumstances which prevent, or in the near future, may prevent you from providing financial assistance for college related expenses to the applicant:

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### Part 4 – Final Instructions/Checklist

1) Answer all sections on the application. Incomplete applications will not be considered. All answers and claims may be verified by the committee. False statements will be cause for disqualification.

1) Provide two letters of recommendation. One letter should be from a teacher, principal, professor, or counselor. The other may be from an employer, a volunteer supervisor, pastor, priest, or a close family friend. All letters should be typed, dated, signed, be no more than one 8½ by 11 page in length, and submitted (post-marked) by April 25th, 2019. Hand-delivered recommendation letters, official transcripts, and essays will not be accepted.

2) Your essay must focus on your educational and career goals. Relate how past, present, and future activities will help you achieve these goals. Pay particular attention to spelling and grammar. Use SpellChek and GrammarChek on your computer. Poorly written essays will be graded accordingly. Your essay shall not exceed one 8½ x 11 page in length, doubled-spaced.

3) All transcripts must be official transcripts. Internet copies will not be accepted and may be cause for disqualification. Indicate if you are a non-traditional student and your last transcript is from more than five years ago.

Applicant's Name (printed): \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Name (printed): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_