

ELIGIBILITY LIMITED TO GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS from GRAPEVINE and COLLEYVILLE High Schools

Please submit one application in the following sequence:

1. The application with one recent high school photograph attached. The photograph should be a head-and-shoulders type of portrait.
2. **Sheets pages 1 of 2 & 2 of 2 of the application must be completed.**
3. Attach transcripts from most recent school.
4. Attach copy of SAT and/or ACT scores, GPA and class standing.
5. Attach two personal reference letters.
6. Attach two reference letters from faculty.
7. Assemble the application package in numerical order, item 1 through 7, and staple in upper left-hand corner.

INFORMATION AND GUIDELINES FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

The Grapevine Masonic Lodge #288 generates funds that are used to support charitable endeavors such as the graduating high school senior's college scholarship program. The scholarships are merit-based and awarded to High School graduates. The number of scholarships awarded each year is a function of the revenue generation capabilities of the Lodge.

The following guidelines are offered to assist student applicants and high school counselors:

1. No more than two scholarships will be awarded to any one individual high school graduating class.
2. Scholarship value is \$2,000. \$1000 will be paid to the student upon receipt of the fall registration. \$1000 will be paid to the student upon receipt of passing 12 credit hours and receipt of registration for second semester.
3. Each application is reviewed and graded on a merit/student achievement basis. Our focus is to recognize students for their efforts and endeavors to achieve in life – merit is based on their high school transcripts, work ethic and character, after class endeavors, activities connected to civic responsibilities, Masonic beliefs, and financial need. **We want to help those that need the help.**
4. Academic references (2) should be from the faculty of the school attended by the student.
5. Personal references (2) should **not** be from faculty members of the school attended or from immediate family.
6. Personal and academic references must cite specific achievements and activities.
7. The student should be careful to comply with the instructions for Application Submittal. **The deadline for submittal of applications is April 13, 2012 winners will be advised by April 20, 2012.**
Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.
8. Final Scoring, evaluation, and selection of recipients is the responsibility of the Scholarship Committee. Each application is scored by three individual scorers. All final decisions (award or not to award) are made by the Scholarship Committee alone.