

Golf Coaches Association of America Presidential

Scholarship General Information

Attached please find the 2024-25 Presidential Scholarship Application Form. Individuals interested in applying for the 2024-25 school year must fill out the application form and provide required documentation in order to be considered by the selection committee. For the 2024-2025 academic year, the NAB has determined that there will be six (6) \$3,000 scholarships that will be awarded in July of 2024. The scholarship will be awarded for one year only. Recipients may only receive an undergraduate scholarship or a post-graduate scholarship for one academic year. Undergraduates/ postgraduates who have previously applied and did not receive a scholarship may re-apply.

Scholarship Criteria

- Applicants must be a son, daughter, grandson, or granddaughter of a GCAA member coach in good standing
- Applicants must be either a graduating senior in high school or equivalent, or currently enrolled in good standing in a college or university
- Both undergraduate and postgraduate applications will be considered
- Playing a sport collegiately is NOT a requirement for consideration
- Community Service will be considered by the committee

Application Requirements (Each applicant must submit the following)

- Application form
- Current high school or the equivalent transcript or college/university transcript
- SAT or ACT scores (official copy required)
 - o If your SAT or ACT score is listed on your high school or college/university transcript this is acceptable in lieu of an official copy.
 - Please note: If you were accepted into your current or future university test optional, you are not required to submit ACT or SAT scores.
- Two letters of recommendation (minimum)
 - Letters need to be addressed to the Presidential Scholarship Committee and be turned in by the candidate with the rest of the nomination materials.
- One-page typed essay covering What is the most important thing your GCAA member parent/grandparent ever taught you?
- A list of applicant's community service projects and activities please describe

<u>Timeline</u> - 2024-2025 Academic Year Scholarship Applications

- May 16, 2024: Applications distributed to GCAA member coaches in good standing
- July 1, 2024: Applications due
- July 16, 2024: Selection committee begins review process of applications
- On or around July 19, 2024: Scholarship recipients notified when selections are made
- On or around August 1, 2023: Recipients announced pending receipt of confirmation of high school or the equivalent graduation/good standing at their current college or university
- August 5, 2024: Scholarship checks will be mailed to recipient/family pending confirmation of attendance
- January 6, 2025: Scholarship checks will be mailed to recipient/family pending confirmation of attendance