

# **Western Colorado Golf Foundation Scholarship Application Form**

## **Criteria**

The following minimum criteria must be met to qualify for a scholarship.

1. The student must be a graduating senior from a public or private school located on the Western Slope of Colorado (as defined by the Colorado Golf Association) and admitted to an accredited college or university on a full-time basis (minimum of 12 credit hours). If a student is reapplying for a subsequent scholarship, he/she must be a full-time student with a G.P.A. of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.
2. The student must be a participating member of a high school varsity golf team and/or a junior golf association.
3. The scholarship shall be used for books, fees and tuition expenses.
4. Any student applying for a scholarship must complete an application form and submit to a personal interview.

The Scholarship Committee may evaluate and consider the following factors in awarding a scholarship:

1. The grade point average of the applicant and SAT and/or ACT scores.
2. The financial need of the applicant and the applicant's parents.
3. The outside activities and community service of the applicant.
4. The applicant's contribution to golf in his/her community.
5. The results of a structured, personal interview.
6. The applicant's competitive experience on a golf team or in junior golf, including competitive tournaments.
7. The quality of the application.
8. Three letters of recommendation. One must be from a member of the Western Chapter of the Colorado Section of the PGA and one must be from the golf coach or junior golf program director.
9. Any other factors that the Scholarship Committee deems appropriate in granting such scholarships.

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## **PROCEDURES**

1. Applications must be submitted by March 1 for scholarships to be awarded in the fall term.
2. The scholarship committee shall review the applications and select applicants for a structured, personal interview, to be conducted by March 31.
3. Recipients and alternates shall be advised by April 15.
4. Recipients must provide confirmation that they are accepting the scholarship, that they have been admitted to a college or university and of the costs of tuition, books and fees, no later than July 1.
5. If a recipient does not attend college or university or otherwise qualify for a scholarship, the Scholarship Committee shall award the scholarship to an alternate and notify the alternate by August 1.
6. Scholarship funds shall be remitted directly to the recipient's college or university.

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## Subsequent Scholarships

A recipient may apply for up to three (3) subsequent scholarships to further his/her college education. The minimum qualifications for such scholarships are:

1. A cumulative G.P.A. of 2.5 (based on a 4.0 scale). A certified transcript must be submitted.
2. Proof that the applicant is enrolled for the next school term.
3. Submission of a new application and financial information. A personal interview may or may not be required.

## Policies

1. The Scholarship Committee shall not discriminate against any applicant based on race, color, creed disability or gender.
2. Selection of recipients of any scholarship shall be made at the sole discretion of the Scholarship Committee.
3. In order to award scholarships to applicants throughout the Western Slope of Colorado, the Committee will consider the number of scholarships awarded in any single year to applicants from any one school district. However, the Committee will be guided by the principle of awarding scholarships to the most qualified applicants.

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**Nothing contained herein shall be construed to grant a right or entitlement to any applicant. The Foundation reserves the right to add to, delete, amend, alter or modify any criteria, procedure or policy at any time.**



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## Family Information

Parent's Marital Status: Married \_\_\_\_\_ Divorced \_\_\_\_\_ Separated \_\_\_\_\_

### Father's Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Job Title \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Gross Income \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Other Income \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Mother's

### Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Job Title \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Gross Income \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Other Income \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### If your parents are divorced, separated or remarried:

Is either parent remarried? **Father:** Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ **Mother:** Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

With whom do you reside? **Father** \_\_\_\_\_ **Mother** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please list siblings:** Indicate with and asterisk (\*) sibling(s) who are currently attending a college or university.

Name

Age

Relationship

Occupation

Lives With

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## Family Situation

Write a paragraph explaining your family's financial condition. Include any extraordinary factors that should be considered.

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List the ways in which you have contributed toward your financial support.

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List the amount that you have saved toward your college expenses: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

List the amount that you expect from your family and other sources: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

List the scholarships and grants for which you have applied:

<u>Scholarship/Grant Name</u>	<u>Awarded</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Applied</u>
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**Checklist**

All applicants must include the following items:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Application Form
- \_\_\_\_\_ Three letters of recommendation
  - One from a member of the Western Chapter of PGA
  - One from a golf coach or junior golf director
- \_\_\_\_\_ Official High School Transcript through 7 semesters
- \_\_\_\_\_ ACT and/or SAT scores
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ Senior Picture

Send completed applications to: Western Colorado Golf Foundation  
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