

2018 Molalla Alumni College Scholarship

This scholarship is funded from the donations of Alumni of MHS and individuals in the Molalla community.

The Alumni Association of Molalla High School is proud to be able to offer these scholarships to any graduating MRSD senior who wishes to further his or her education at any accredited post high school institution. If you are going to a community college as a step to receive an Associates Degree and then continue to a 4-year college or university, use this application on which to apply.

- Award:** *Multiple awards* given—a minimum of \$1,500.00 each—including seven named scholarships—The Damm-Waiste, The Marquardt, The Trullinger/Sanden, The Rebekah Lodge, The Fry Family, The Schriever Family, and The Daniels Family—additional scholarships given at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee.
- Eligibility:** A current senior attending Molalla High School who has maintained at least a 3.0 accumulated weighted GPA.
- Where:** Any accredited institution of higher learning, community college, 4-year college, or university.
- Selection Based On:**
1. Scholastic record
 2. Community and school involvement
 3. Personal character
 4. Ability to organize application and follow directions
 5. Ability to communicate clearly and succinctly
- Deadline:** Application may be mailed (MASF P.O. Box 1050; Molalla) but must arrive on or before 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 4, 2018. You may also hand deliver them to Joan Deardorff at Doubletree's office in the Mainstreet Showhouse, 115 E. Main Street, Suite #9 Molalla.
- Procedure:**
1. Complete **all** the information required on the application, sign it
 2. Staple application pages together in this order (please, **no folders**)
 - Cover page
 - Essays
 - Activities
 - Letters of recommendation—must have two
 - Certified high school transcript (2-sided copy acceptable) through second trimester
 - Community College transcript, if college-level course taken
 - Explanation of absences if more than 10 days yearly or any unusual circumstances not explained in essays*
 - Checklist
 3. The scholarship winners will be selected by the Scholarship Committee and will be notified at the date of your Senior Awards.
- Awarding Scholarship:**
1. **Recipient** must verify high school graduation by the enrollment in a post high school educational institution. This verification must include the institution, college or university registrar's copy of their enrolled classes along with your student ID number. The award will be drafted in the form of a check made out to your account at the institution, college or university at which you are enrolled.
 2. Termination of the students' college program will result in the cancellation of the award.
- Contact Person:** Joan Deardorff, Scholarship Committee, 503-829-9140 days, and 503-829-4282 evenings, if you have questions.

2018 Molalla Alumni College Scholarship Cover Sheet

Please go to www.molalla-alumni.org to download a PDF copy of the application form. Fill the PDF out, print a copy, sign it and mail or deliver it. Or download the PDF file, print it out, fill in the information with a typewriter and mail or deliver it. This entire application ***must be typed*** or computer generated—**no handwritten copies will be accepted.** One application only—either a career/technical or college application.

Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Home Address: _____

Weighted GPA: _____ SAT Score: _____ ACT Score: _____

Telephone #: _____ Birth date: _____

Colleges applied: _____

Colleges accepted: _____

College attending: _____

College credits earned (transcript required): _____

Major Area of interest/study: _____

Father's Name: _____

Address: _____

Occupation: _____

Mother's Name: _____

Address: _____

Occupation: _____

I acknowledge that the information provided on this application is accurate and truthful.

Applicant's signature (required) *Date*

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REQUIRED—Short Essays (150 words maximum for each)

1. Explain your career aspirations and your educational plan to meet these goals.

2. Describe a challenge or obstacle you faced in the last ten years. What did you learn about yourself from this experience?

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3. Describe a personal accomplishment and the strengths and skills you used to achieve it.

4. Explain how you have helped your family or made your community a better place to live. Please provide specific examples.

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Additional requirements:

1. Attach to your application, one letter of recommendation from a teacher, coach, counselor, or administrator from your school. **This person must identify himself or herself**, their position at school, and what relationship they have with you. (If this is not done by the person composing the letter of recommendation, please write who this person is and how they know you on the bottom of their letter **before** attaching it to your application.)
2. Also attach to your application, one letter of recommendation from an adult who is **not related** and is **outside** of the school setting. **This person must identify himself or herself** and how he/she knows you and the circumstances for your relationship with this person. (If this is not done by the person composing the letter of recommendation, please write who this person is and how they know you on the bottom of their letter before attaching it to your application.) [i.e. Church youth pastor, Camp Fire advisor, Boy Scout advisor, doctor, family friend, etc.] **NOTE:** Your personal friend, although an adult, **may not** write this letter.
3. On a separate sheet of paper, please explain any unusual absences or circumstances not otherwise explained in your application or essays of which the committee members should be aware.

COMPLETION CHECKLIST

- _____ 1. Have you applied for one scholarship on the proper form?
- _____ 2. Is your application computer generated or typed?
- _____ 3. Have you signed and dated the cover sheet?
- _____ 4. Have you completed all required essays?
- _____ 5. Have you listed all your activities and labeled properly?
- _____ 6. Have you included 2 letters of recommendation per instructions?
- _____ 7. Have these people making recommendations identified themselves?
- _____ 8. If not, have you identified them?
- _____ 9. Is a high school transcript included?
- _____ 10. Is a college transcript included?
- _____ 11. Have you explained any unusual circumstances or absences of 10 days or more in any one year of high school?