

**Application
for
Friends of the Marble Falls Library Scholarship
and
Marble Falls Library Thrift Store Scholarship**

The Friends of the Marble Falls Library and the Marble Falls Library Thrift Store are pleased to offer high school seniors an opportunity to apply for one of two \$1,000 scholarships. This application will be considered for both scholarships, but students may receive only one of the two.

Criteria:

1. Applicants must be a graduating senior from Marble Falls High School, Falls Career High School, Faith Academy of Marble Falls, or a home-schooled student completing a homeschool program who would have attended Marble Falls High School.
2. Student must be planning to attend a 2-year or 4-year college or a technical school.
3. An official 7th semester transcript is required. Attach transcript to application in a sealed envelope from the school student attends.
4. Two letters of recommendation are required.
5. Community service is an important part of consideration. Be sure to list all service completed during the 9th – current 12th grade. Include any that you will participate in during the remaining 12th grade year.
6. Recipients of scholarships will be notified in early May 2026.
7. Scholarship funds will be sent directly to the recipient's school.

Submission Instructions:

1. Forms required for submission: completed application, essay, 2 letters of recommendation, and official transcript.
2. Scholarship Applications, hand delivered or mailed, **must be received in the Marble Falls Public Library by 6:00 pm on March 11, 2026.** If mailed, applicant is responsible for making sure the application will arrive before the deadline. No late applications will be considered.
3. Address for mailing:
Marble Falls Library
Attn: Diana Virdell, Scholarship Chair
101 Main Street
Marble Falls, Texas 78654

Applications:

1. Available at the Marble Falls Public Library or high school counselor's offices.
2. Download from the Marble Falls Library Website, marblefallslibrary.org, under the tab "Support the Library:

For additional information contact:

Diana Virdell, Scholarship Chair
Friends of the Library Board Member
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I. STUDENT INFORMATION (Print)

Name: (First Last) _____

Address: Street or P.O. Box _____

City & Zip Code. _____

Phone Number: _____

Date Of Birth: (Example: January 7, 2015) _____

II. ACADEMICS (Check One)

1. Which school do you attend:

Marble Falls High School
 Falls Career High School
 Faith Academy, Marble Falls
 Homeschool

2. Class Rank (7th semester rank in class after the first semester of senior year)

_____ out of _____ (total students in class)

3. Unweighted GPA (4.0 scale): _____

4. SAT Score _____

5. ACT Score _____

III. FAMILY INFORMATION

1. Father/Guardian: (Print)

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Highest Education Level _____

Employer _____

Position _____

2. Mother/Guardian: (Print)

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Highest Education Level _____

Employer _____

Position _____

3. Number of immediate family members (including yourself): _____
4. Number of immediate family members in college or technical school next year (including yourself) _____
5. Annual Gross income of family (parents/guardians with whom you live): _____
6. Have you completed the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) or the TASFA (Texas Application for Student Financial Aid)? _____ Yes _____ No
7. If No, when do you intend to complete the FAFSA or TASFA? _____
8. Have you applied for or received any other scholarships? Check one:
_____ Yes. Applied only
_____ Yes. Applied and received.
_____ No
9. Please list all scholarships applied for and, if received, the dollar amount.

IV. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

1. Have you been employed during your high school years?
_____ Yes
_____ No (skip the next question)
2. Please list all employment during your high school years. Include company name, employment date range and position held (Example: Super Taco – November 2021 – current – waitstaff)

V. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES - FIRST GENERATION

1. Will you be the first generation in your family to attend college or technical school?

Yes

No

2. If yes, please explain the significance of attending college or technical school to you and your family.

VI. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES – ANY OTHER ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please tell us about any special circumstance or hardships that may not be reflected in your application for the scholarship committee to consider when reviewing your application (optional).

VII. HIGHER EDUCATION AND CAREER GOALS

1. Please list and rank, starting with your first preference, the universities, colleges, 2-year colleges, or technical schools you have applied to. Indicate whether you have been accepted to the school or if you're still waiting to find out. (Example: 1. Texas State University- waiting: 2. Angelo State University – accepted: 3. Texas A&M Corpus – accepted)

2. If planning to attend a 2-year or 4-year college or university, what is your intended major?

3. Is your plan to obtain a 2-year technical or vocational certification?

Yes

No

4. If yes, Name of Technical or Vocational Certification Program:

5. Do you plan to enroll full-time or part-time: _____

VIII. EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

1. List all school-related extracurricular sports, clubs, and any other school activities you participated in during high school. Include any that you will participate in during the remaining 12th grade year. Indicate the grade level and time spent in each activity.

2. List all community or volunteer service you participated in during high school. Include any that you will participate in during the remaining 12th grade year. Indicate the grade level and time spent in each activity.

Add an additional page if needed or if you have a resume, attach it.

1. SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

2. COMMUNITY OR VOLUNTEER SERVICE:

3. If you were not able to participate in school activities or community service, please explain.

IX. AWARDS, HONORS AND DISTINCTIONS

List all awards, honors, or distinctions you received during high school.
You may attach a separate sheet or resume.

X. ESSAY

Submit an essay on the following topic:

What are your plans for the future and how do you plan to achieve them

Note: Your essay should be **one page in length (8.5" x 11')** with a font size no smaller than **11pt**. **Single or double space is acceptable.**

XI. LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Two letters of recommendation from teachers/educators or other personal references (non-family members) are required.

XII. Official Transcript

Attach an official 7th semester transcript in a sealed envelope.

XIII. REQUIRED SIGNATURES

We hereby affirm that the information contained in this application is accurate and complete to the best of our knowledge. We acknowledge that the information in this application, the high school transcript and letters of recommendation will be viewed by the scholarship selection committee.

Student:

Signature

Printed Name

Date

Parent/Guardian:

Signature

Printed Name

Date

See cover page for submission instructions and deadline to submit.