

Texas Alumni High School Baseball Coaches Association

Scholarship Requirements and Application for Scholarship

The Texas Alumni High School Baseball Coaches Association (TAHSBCA) was established in 2013, this organization is made up of Retired Texas High School Baseball Coaches from the entire State of Texas. The TAHSBCA, with the full support of the Texas High School Baseball Coaches Association, created this scholarship program and opportunity in support of the educational goals of our youth of today.

To qualify for this scholarship, the senior applicant must plan to pursue an education in college or technical studies and must be related to a Member of the TAHSBCA good standing.

The ideal student candidate for this scholarship must demonstrate exceptional leadership skills, character, a solid academic standing and be a good citizen within the community. Through this award the TAHSBCA will proudly honor these accomplishments. The application instructions and following checklist will serve as a guide for submitting a complete application.

1) Application:

Applicants must be a senior in high school at the time of the deadline and must be planning to attend an institution of higher learning or technical studies. The school guidance counselor will verify the GPA of the applicant and sign at the bottom of the application.

2) Honors and Extracurricular Activity Check List:

Use the form provided to fill out information on honors and awards received along with any extracurricular activities, hobbies, or interests. Feel free to attach additional pages if needed.

3) Essay:

Choose one topic from the list below and provide responses with two typed pages.

4) Letter of Recommendation:

Please submit one letter of recommendation. These letters may be from a guidance counselor, teacher, employer, or someone unrelated who has knowledge of your skill sets and abilities. Letters of recommendation should be addressed to the Texas Alumni High School Baseball Coaches Association using the address listed below. They may be mailed or delivered with the application as long as they are sealed.

NOTE: GPA SCORES ARE TO BE FILLED IN BY YOUR GUIDANCE COUNSELOR ONLY.

Essay Topics

Choose one topic and provide a response for each topic on a separate page. This is your chance to best present yourself. Include your topic heading and your name at the top of each page.

1. Upon completing your education, how do you plan to “give back” to your Community?
2. What are your goals for the future and how do you plan on achieving them?
3. Please describe a personal challenge you had to overcome and how you did it.
4. Please describe someone who has had a significant impact on our life, explain why or how.

Submit Completed Application

Once all forms have been filled out and collected, please submit the scholarship application with all sheets together in the following order:

- 1) Application
- 2) Honors and Extracurricular check lists
- 3) Essays

Choose one topic and provide a two-page response. This is your chance to best present yourself. Include your topic heading and your name at the top of each page.

- 4) Letters of recommendation (Principal, Instructor(s), and Minister etc.)

Return your completed application, postmarked by April of their junior year to:

Texas Alumni High School Baseball Coaches Association
C/O Joe Ray Halsey - Scholarship Committee
5920 Dark Forest Drive McKinney, Texas 75070

Please type all information on all pages, thank you.

Application Information

Student's Name:

Student's Email Address:

Student's Home Address:

City:

State:

Zip Code

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Home Phone:

Student's Cell Phone:

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Parent or Guardian's Name:

Parent or Guardian's Cell Phone:

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TAHSBCA Member's Name:

TAHSBCA Member's Cell Phone:

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Relationship to TAHSBCA member:

Education

Current High School Attending:

Current High School Attending Address:

City:

State:

Zip Code

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Current GPA: (Minimum 3.0)

Class Ranking:

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Awards, Activities, Hobbies

Please list all requested information including the number of years involved. Please be specific. You may add additional pages if needed.

Scholarship Awards: (Example - Honor Roll, Specific awards) Number of years.

Athletic Awards: (Example - Track, Football, Baseball, Captain) Number of years.

Other Extra Curricular Activities: (Example - Band, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts)

Hobbies, Talents, or interests not listed above: (Example – Piano, guitar, and fishing)

I (Student Name) Certify that all information listed in this application is true and correct.

(Student Signature)

(Date)

(Parent or Guardian Signature)

(Date)

(TAHSBCA Member)

(Date)