

HAEF SCHOLARSHIP 1

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Instructions for the HAEF Scholarship 1 (Female) Scholarship

This scholarship is provided by the Hmong American Education Fund. The scholarship seeks to financially support two dedicated Hmong-American female student in the pursuit of their educational goals. The successful applicant will be awarded up to \$500 each to the choice of their college/university. Download this application packet and fill out the form below. All application materials are due by April 30. Late applications and materials will not be considered. Any hand-written application will be disqualified. All application materials must be emailed to: <u>hmongeducationfund@gmail.com</u>. You will be notified of your application status via email by or after June 1.

Scholarship Selection Criteria and Eligibility

- A U.S. citizen or legal resident alien.
- A Minnesota resident
- Female, and identify herself as a person of Hmong descent
- A high school senior or has earned a high school diploma or GED
- Has been accepted fulltime to a public technical 2-year college or accredited 4-year college/university
- Has a minimum GPA of 3.0 in a 4.0 scale system
- This is not a renewable scholarship

Scholarship Application Packet, Checklist

- A completed application
- Essay (1500 words or less)
- Copy of unofficial transcript
- One letter of recommendation
- Submit all required application documents in PDF format to hmongeducationfund@gmail.com

A Successful Applicants must demonstrate the following

- Pursue an education to better themself and others
- A commitment to excellent academic achievement
- A commitment to helping your community
- Demonstrates a show of financial need or hardships

Essay Questions: In one essay, 1500 words or less, please answer the following questions

- Tell us your goals, and why you deserve this scholarship
- Tell us your needs and how this scholarship can help you
- Tell us some of the things you have done to help your community

Additional Requirements

- Recipient is expected to attend the Scholarship Awards Banquet on the first Saturday of August
- If selected, recipients are expected to submit the documents requested for the Scholarship Awards Banquet (ex. photo, bio, thank you letter to donors)

Successful applicants are encouraged to attend two general academic coaching and mentoring sessions with HAEF. These sessions can be done via phone, e-mail or face to face.

(If you have any questions, please email: <u>scholarships@thehaef.org</u>)



HAEF 1 - Female Scholarship Application

(Type responses below & email back to <u>hmongeducationfund@gmail.com</u> along with all other required documents in PDF)

Last Name:	First Name:	Middle:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	E-Mail:
Gender: Female Male	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy):	Race/Ethnicity:
Current Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Permanent Address (if different from above):		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Check one of the following: U.S Citizen Legal Alien Resident of U.S. None	Are you a first generation student?	Marital Status: Single Married Divorced Widowed
Number of parent(s):	Family size:	Number of dependents (if applicable):
Are you currently in high school or pursuing your GED?		
Name of your current School:		Current GPA:
School Address:		
Name of College/University you have been accepted to and/or will be attending:		
Major/Program:		
Degree you are seeking: Associate BA/BS Masters PhD/Doctorate Other:		
What year of schooling are you in: First Year Sophomore Junior Senior		
Will you be a Fulltime Student: Yes No		
Have you been awarded other scholarships or financial assistance? (If yes, please list them):		
Print Name:	Signature:	Date:
Disclaimer: By signing this application I understand that the information provided is true to the best of my knowledge. HAEF reserve the right to verify information submitted on the successful candidate's application. In addition, the views and opinions expressed by individuals and/or businesses featured in our scholarships do not necessary represent the views of the Hmong American Education Fund		