

**KIWANIS CLUB OF LEHIGH ACRES
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

Return application to:
Kiwanis Club of Lehigh Acres, Inc.
P.O. Box 635
Lehigh Acres, FL 33970-0635

OUR CHILDREN
THE BUILDING BLOCK
OF OUR FUTURE

Please Note: BE NEAT AND BE COMPLETE.
PLEASE ATTACH YOUR PHOTO TO TOP RIGHT HAND CORNER OF THIS PAGE.
How you complete this application, expresses your interest in receiving a scholarship.
Use additional sheets when needed.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Student Name

Last	First	Middle
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Permanent Mailing Address _____

	Street	Apt#
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City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Day Phone (____) _____ Night Phone (____) _____

Birth Date ____ / ____ / ____ Current Age _____ College ID# _____

Student e-mail address _____

RECIPIENT QUALIFICATIONS

Recipients must have Lehigh Acres, Florida, as their legal residence prior to attending the College, University, Trade School or Postgraduate School (if required for their choice of profession, e.g. law, medicine, etc.) of their choice. **A minimum grade point average 2.5 must be maintained for the initial Award. Once in college the student must maintain a 2.5 grade point average and earn at least 12 credit hours each semester to receive money for the following semester and be eligible for renewals.** Preference shall be given to members of the Kiwanis Family: Key Club, Builders Club, and K-kids Club Members. Financial need will also be considered as well as the applicants other means of Scholarships, Grants, and financial Aid that they may or may not be receiving. Awards shall be available for use at only accredited institutions of higher education. **Recipients must be willing to attend a Kiwanis Scholarship Awards presentation and agree to allow photographs and stories to be used for Kiwanis public relations purposes.**

This application must be submitted on or before **March 31st**.

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Father's Name

_____ Last _____ First _____ Middle _____

Living _____ Married _____ Divorced _____

Address _____
Street _____ Apt# _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Employer _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number (____) _____

Mother's Name _____
Last _____ First _____ Middle _____

Living _____ Married _____ Divorced _____

Address _____
Street _____ Apt# _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Employer _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number (____) _____

PERSONAL STATEMENT

Write a 500 word essay explaining your personal goals for the future and any unusual family or personal circumstances that have affected you. Include at least a paragraph on your chosen major. This is to be on a separate 8 1/2 x 11 sheet titled **Personal Statement** and attached to this application.

IMPORTANT, please indicate if you are the first member of your family to attend a college or university.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

On a separate 8 1/2 x 11 sheet titled **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**, list all school and community activities you have participated in during the past four years. Explain the purpose of the activity and identify type of activity as community, volunteer, sports, career-related, scholastic club, 4H, FHA, political, scouts, art, music, sorority/fraternity (type?), debate, drama, religion, science, hobby, etc. Use the following column heads on your list:

ORGANIZATION PURPOSE- TYPE OF ACTIVITY- DATES INVOLVED # OF YEARS

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

List your employment experience during the past four years, beginning with most recent. Use additional sheet if needed with the same column heads as below:

COMPANY NAME-TYPE OF EMPLOYMENT-CAREER RELATED-FAMILY OWNED-

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (Dates: From/To -#Months/Yrs -#Hours/Week)

SCHOOL PLANS

School I plan to attend (if school is not chosen at this time, please list schools to which application has been made):

School _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

School I will attend is: 4-Yr Coll/Univ ___ 2-Yr Comm/Jr. Coll. ___ Voc/Tech ___ Other _____

Circle undergraduate level:

1 2 3 4

Major or course of study is _____

Anticipated date of graduation from college: Month _____ Year _____

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

School Name _____ Graduation Date ___/___/___

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Principal _____ School Phone (____) _____ - _____

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT

High school students and those who have not completed one full semester or post-secondary education must have the following section completed by an appropriate school official:

Test Scores: Use actual scores, not percentages:

SAT-Verbal ____ Math _____ Writing _____ Total SAT _____ ACT-Composite _____

Passing grade scale ranges from _____ to 100.

Cumulative grade point average is _____ on a _____ scale.

Applicant ranks _____ in a class of _____

School Official's Signature _____ Date ___/___/___

Title _____ School Phone(____) _____

TRANSCRIPT REQUIREMENTS

Student must enclose an official copy of their LATEST TRANSCRIPT or a copy of LAST SEMESTER'S REPORT. Do not wait for final spring grades. If the transcript must be mailed by the school, check here ____.

IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO CONFIRM TRANSCRIPT HAS BEEN MAILED.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Please provide income and tax figures direct from your parents / guardians last completed and filed tax return. Also attach a copy of page one and two of that form (1040) to this document. Black out all social security numbers and include a copy with this application.

Please show combined income of parent(s) as reported on the Federal Income Tax Return Attached.

Total Income. (1040 on # 6) _____

Additional Income and Adjustments to Income Business Income (line #12) / Farm Income or (loss) line #18 _____

Adjusted Gross Income (1040 line # 7) _____

Taxable Income (1040 line # 10) _____

NOTE: THE STUDENT MUST BE CLAIMED ON THE 1040 FORM TO QUALIFY FOR A SCHOLARSHIP

FINANCIAL NEEDS

Write a 500 word letter explaining any financial circumstances that you feel would best qualify you for this scholarship. Be sure to include all means of personal support, current employment, and/or anticipated employment during school sessions if any. This is to be on a separate 8 1/2 x 11 sheet titled: FINANCIAL NEEDS and attached to this Application.

OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS/GRANTS/AID

Please list all other Scholarships/Grants/Aid you have received or applied for on a separate 8-1/2 x 11 sheet, TITLED: **OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS**, and attach to this application. Please list the following information: Date applied, Scholarship provided by what source, amount applied for, date awarded, or date of expected notification, contact address/person, amount granted/received.

Check if applicable

_____ I have qualified for Florida Bright Futures – Percentage: Tuition _____ dorm _____

_____ I have a Florida pre-paid scholarship Plan for - Tuition _____ dorm _____

_____ I have qualified for the Hope Scholarship, or other scholarship that is unique to my perspective college.

CERTIFICATION

In submitting this application, I certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted. I am also attaching a recent Photo of myself to this completed Application.

Signature _____ Date ____ / ____ / ____

REFERENCE LETTER

Applicant's Name (print) _____

I am applying for a Kiwanis Scholarship. I desire that the Kiwanis be fully advised of the information requested on this form. I hereby release you from any and all liability for damages for providing the information requested.

Applicant's Signature _____

The applicant shall request this reference letter to be completed by just three of the following persons: either a high school or college counselor, advisor, teacher or professor; or a business or medical professional, supervisor, or member of the clergy. NOTE TO persons providing references: We would appreciate your reaction concerning this applicant to the qualities listed on this form. Please check an appropriate point on the scale for each quality. If you have no information, check "Don't know" for that item. Space is allowed for comments.

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I have known the applicant for _____ years in my capacity as _____.

Signature _____ Date _____

Name (print) _____ Phone (____) ____ - _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Excellent Strong Average Weak Don't know

1. Personal Integrity Applicant is honest in financial and intellectual relationships					
2. Spiritual Commitment - Applicant show evidence of dedication to Judeo Christian life and work.					
3. Social Concern – Applicant demonstrates desire for involvement with others including those of varied social and ethnic backgrounds.					
4. Perseverance – Applicant has shown ability to remain with a situation to its conclusion in spite of difficulty.					
5. Self-direction – Applicant is capable of managing time and work effort without external motivation or supervision.					
6. Maturity – Applicant shows ability to make judgment with wisdom.					
7. Commitment to family – Applicant conducts his life and activities in harmony with family members.					
8. Appearance – Applicant is clean and neat and appropriate in dress for occasion.					
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COMMENTS:

KIWANIS FAMILY MEMBERSHIP

If you belonged to any of the following Kiwanis Leadership Programs, please complete the following:

HIGH SCHOOL: KEY CLUB

SCHOOL ATTENDED: _____

YEARS IN CLUB: _____ ADVISOR _____

SCHOOL ATTENDED: _____

YEARS IN CLUB: _____ ADVISOR _____

MIDDLE SCHOOL: BUILBERS CLUB

SCHOOL ATTENDED: _____

YEARS IN CLUB (8th Grade): _____ ADVISOR _____

SCHOOL ATTENDED: _____

YEARS IN CLUB (7th Grade): _____ ADVISOR _____

SCHOOL ATTENDED: _____

YEARS IN CLUB (6th Grade): _____ ADVISOR _____

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: K-KIDS CLUB

SCHOOL ATTENDED: _____

YEARS IN CLUB: _____ ADVISOR _____

SCHOOL ATTENDED: _____

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