



**National TSA Alumni Association
Collegiate Scholarship Application**

Overview

The National TSA Alumni Association established the alumni scholarship program as a way to provide financial support in recognition of the hard work and dedication of TSA alumni who have continued to give back to TSA beyond their time as a competitor. The amount awarded for this scholarship is \$1,000 annually and will be distributed to the recipient's college or university financial department.

Criteria and Requirement

- Applicant must be enrolled as a full-time student working towards the completion of an undergraduate degree.
- Applicant must have one semester remaining of their undergraduate degree to be eligible.
- Applicant must have a minimum G.P.A. of 2.5.
- Applicant must be a member of the National TSA Alumni Association.
- Applicant demonstrates continued involvement in TSA since becoming an alumni.
- Applicant must submit a completed application packet with the required deliverable by the stated deadline. Applicant should only submit one application packet and include all required deliverables.
- Applicant may not be currently serving as a member of the National TSA Alumni Council.

Deliverables

1. Completed scholarship application
2. Unofficial transcript
3. Resume
4. One letter of recommendation from an individual associated with TSA (e.g. chapter advisor or state advisor) who can speak to the applicant's involvement as an alumni. (Note: Recommendation letter cannot be from a current student member of TSA or fellow alumnus.)

Timeline

- **May 1, 2018** – Scholarship applications and supporting documentation must be submitted to the National TSA office at general@tsaweb.org.
- **May 2018** – Scholarship applications and supporting documentation will be reviewed by the selection committee.
- **June 1, 2018** – Scholarship applicants will be notified of decision.
- **June 22-26, 2018** – Scholarship recipient will be recognized at the national TSA conference. (Scholarship winner is not required to attend the national TSA conference on their own money.)
- **August 2018** – Scholarship funds will be distributed to the recipient's college or university financial aid department.

Selection Process

The scholarship award will be determined based on the criteria and the content of the deliverables included in the application packet. The selection is final and not subject to review.

Funding

The awarded scholarship is a one-time amount of \$1,000. The funds will be released directly to the recipient's college or university financial aid department to be applied toward tuition. The recipient will be notified of the payment per the stated timeline, pending no complications. The recipient will also be recognized at the national TSA conference, but is not required to be in attendance to receive the scholarship. If the scholarship recipient chooses to attend the national TSA conference, the recipient is responsible for all costs associated with attending the conference, including but not limited to travel, lodging, and meals. National TSA will pay for the recipient's conference registration fee.

Questions

All questions should be directed to National TSA at general@tsaweb.org.

Application

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State & Zip Code: _____

University/College: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State & Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____

Your current major: _____

Current Class Year: Freshman _____ Sophomore _____ Junior _____ Senior _____

Current G.P.A.: _____

Expected Graduation Date (Month/Year): _____

Name of your TSA chapter: _____

Location of your TSA chapter (city and state) _____

Name of your TSA chapter advisor(s): _____

Leadership roles while a TSA member: _____

List of conferences you attended (including year) while a TSA member: _____

Short Essay

Please submit your essay based on the below prompt on a separate page. The essay should not exceed 500 words.

- Describe your involvement with TSA since becoming an alumni.