

General Council Scholarship Application

Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland Council, Inc. is pleased to offer three (3) scholarships valued at \$1,000 each for further education to a graduating high school senior in our council. One (1) scholarship is the Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland Scholarship, and the two (2) other scholarships being awarded are the Kathleen L. Elich Memorial Scholarship. This application is for consideration of both opportunities.

General guidelines for awarding these scholarships are as follows for each recipient:

- Must have plans to enroll in full-time attendance at a college, university, trade or technical school.
- Must be an active participant in Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland Council. This participation could include the following program pathways: camp, events, travel, troop, and virtual. Affiliation with a troop is not required.
- Must demonstrate good academic progress and be serious about her education.
- Students who receive full scholarship awards from other sources or who receive appointments to one of the Service Academies (West Point, Annapolis, Air Force) are not eligible to participate in this program.
- Funds will be paid directly to the student's college. If the recipient does not enroll, they will be disqualified from the scholarship award.
- Financial need may be considered as a tie-breaker in the later stages of selection.

Please submit the following information by March 15 of your senior year. Applications will not be considered if late or missing any requested information.

- Completed Scholarship Application
- Copy of High School Transcript with ACT/SAT Scores (separate ACT/SAT report copies are acceptable)
- Résumé
- Two (2) letters of reference

Name: _____ Troop Numer or IRM ID Number: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone Number: _____

Girl Scout History: Please list the years by date you were a member of the following age levels:
(ex: Senior 2020-23)

Daisy	Brownie	Junior	Cadette	Senior	Ambassador
Bronze Award		Silver Award		Gold Award	
<i>Describe your project in one sentence:</i>		<i>Describe your project in one sentence:</i>		<i>Describe your project in one sentence:</i>	

Honors, Recognitions & Awards

List any distinctions or honors received during grades 9-12, including those associate with academic and extracurricular activities. Place and “x” in the grade column to indicate what year(s) the distinction was received.

Activity	9	10	11	12	Name of Disinction

School & Extracurricular Activities

List the activities you have been involved with during grades 9-12 and place an “x” in the grade column to indicate the year(s) you participated. These activities should be associated directly with your school. (e.g. athletics, band, drama, school clubs, student council, National Honor Society, peer tutoring, etc.).

Activity	9	10	11	12	Position(s) Held/Honors

Community Activities & Volunteer Work

List the activities you have been involved with during grades 9-12 and place an “X” in the grade column to indicate the year(s) you participated. These activities should be outside of school. (e.g. church youth groups, scouts, 4-H clubs, unpaid volunteer work, etc.).

Activity	9	10	11	12	Position(s) Held/Honors

Work Experience

List any paid employments or co-op activities. List the most recent work experience first.

Employer	Job Title	Dates of Employment	Hours Per Week

Education

What High School do you currently attend?: _____ Graduation Date?: _____

What college do you plan to attend: _____ Have you been accepted?: _____

Cumulative GPA: _____ Date Range: _____ SAT Reading Mean: _____ SAT Math Mean: _____ ACT Mean: _____

Essays

Describe your current participation in Girl Scouting:

List your leadership roles in Girl Scouts as well as other activities during grades 9-12:

What skills have you gained through your participation in Girl Scouts?

What are your personal and educational goals?

How will further education help you contribute to your community?

What makes you a good candidate for this scholarship?

What would you say to encourage others to participate in Girl Scouts?

Are there other details about your education, Girl Scout experience, or leadership qualities you would like to share with the selection committee as they make their decision?

Parent/Guardian Information

Parent/Guardians(s) Full Name: _____

Household Income: _____ Number of Persons in Household: _____

Phone Number: _____ Work Email: _____

Permanent Address (if different from above): _____

COMPLETE APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY March 15 each year.

Applications may be submitted through mail, fax, or email using the following information:

Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland Council, Inc.
Attn: GSOH General Scholarship Review Committee
1700 WaterMark Drive
Columbus, OH 43215
Fax: 614-487-8189
Email: program@gsOH.org