

# EQUINE FOUNDATION OF AMERICA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



***Please send all paperwork to:***

Equine Foundation of America  
P.O. Box 36195  
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***Purpose:*** The Equine Foundation of America Scholarships provide financial assistance to undergraduate college and university students who have demonstrated a sincere interest in an equine-related career field, and need financial assistance for the pursuit of a post-secondary education to accomplish that goal. The amount of the scholarships vary, depending on available funds and number of qualified applicants.

## **Application Deadline: October 1**

### ***Eligibility:***

- 1) Current high school senior OR
- 2) High school graduate currently taking at least 12 hours at a college or university
- 3) Resident of Arizona
- 4) Intent to study an equine-related field and pursue a career in the horse industry
- 5) Minimum G.P.A. of 2.5 (4.0 scale)

### ***Selection:***

Selection will be based upon the following factors:

- 1) Promise of success in selected field of study
- 2) Scholastic merit
- 3) Involvement in Arizona horse industry
- 4) Quality of application
- 5) Moral character

### ***Application Process:***

- 1) Application and attachments must be typed or done by word processor
- 2) Three letters of recommendation dated in current semester and sent attached to application
- 3) Current Official Transcripts are required from **All** relevant academic institutions (current high school, colleges, or universities attended) \*Request transcripts early to be received by deadline.
- 4) Verification of attendance for current semester (i.e. copy of registration form, class enrollment receipt, or current schedule verified by school administration)

*COMPOSITION AND SPELLING ARE IMPORTANT ELEMENTS OF THE SELECTION PROCESS*

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**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Social Security Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street or P.O. Box City State Zip

**Address of Residence on Campus:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street/P.O. Box City State Zip

**Telephone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

## ACADEMIC INFORMATION

**High School Attended/Attending:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Graduation Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cumulative High School G.P.A. (A=4.0)** \_\_\_\_\_  
(actual or anticipated)

**All Colleges/Universities Attended:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School where you are currently enrolled/intending to enroll:** \_\_\_\_\_

**College Major/Program:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Semester Units:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Total College Units Completed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cumulative College G.P.A. (A=4.0)** \_\_\_\_\_

## INTEREST SURVEY

Use a maximum of three typed 8 ½ x 11" single-sided sheets of paper to answer these questions.  
(*Put your name on each sheet.*)

- I. Describe your career plans and goals.
- II. List activities, offices held, honors and scholarships (include dates and amounts awarded).
- III. List equine-related activities and accomplishments.
- IV. Describe how you would use this scholarship award to meet your academic and career goals.

## REFERENCES

List the three individuals you asked to send letters of recommendation . Reference letters should discuss your character, goals, and dedication to pursuing a career in the horse industry.

Academic and professional references are preferred. References letters should be placed in sealed envelopes, included with the application, and sent by the applicant to:

*Equine Foundation of America, Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 36195, Phoenix, AZ 85067-6195*

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

*Incomplete applications and applications received after the due date will not be reviewed.*

I understand it is my responsibility to confirm all required paperwork is received by the Equine Foundation of America office. I meet the eligibility requirements for the Equine Foundation of America Scholarship Program, and hereby formally request consideration of my application by the Scholarship Selection Committee.

The Scholarship Selection Committee of the Equine Foundation of America has my permission to review the academic records I have submitted in support of my application for this scholarship.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*Scholarship awards will be presented at the Arizona Equine Youth & Career Fair, held in conjunction with the Arizona Festival of Horses.*