

KLICKITAT VALLEY EDUCATION TRUST
(formerly Goldendale Educational Fund)
Application for Scholarship (minimum of \$500)
(Renewable for 3 years)

NOTE: This Scholarship will provide assistance to students attending any form of accredited post-secondary education; i.e. vocational, trade school, community or four year college.

The careful and detailed completion of this form is very important. Before completing, be sure to carefully review the attached Guidelines.

Name of Applicant:

Telephone/Cell:

Home Address:

Email:

College or school you will attend:

Major field of study:

School term starts:

An application for assistance from this fund must be filed by **May 10th** and presented to Goldendale High School Counseling & Career Center, who will deliver to the below address. Goldendale High School graduates can mail directly to:

Klickitat Valley Education Trust
550 Wood Rd.
Centerville, WA 98613

Number of Years Attended Goldendale High School:

Date Graduated from GHS:

See Rule I of Rules and Regulations.

Attach a request for special consideration, including residency requirement, if applicable.

Cumulative GPA (as of your latest completed semester/term):

Current Level of Education Completed:

References: Provide the names and addresses of three references. One must be a person of responsibility in your school system.

1. Name: Tel

Address:

2. Name: Tel

Address:

3. Name: Tel

Address:

Your ability to express yourself and to organize your thinking is important. Write your reasons for seeking education in your major field of study, with emphasis on why you desire to succeed:

Attestation and Guarantee for Repayment of Advances

I certify that all the statements in this application are correct. I further guarantee repayment of advances if I do not attend a post-high-school educational institute as a full time student for the first term of the school year stated on this application.

Date

Signature

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Guidelines

-Eligibility

In order to be eligible for benefits from the Fund, applicants must have received all of their secondary education in Goldendale High School and, along with their parents or guardians, have been residents of the Goldendale School District or contiguous elementary districts during those years, and be residents at the time of selection. Students who graduate in less than four years shall also be eligible for benefits from the Fund. This requirement shall not preclude participation in a high school student exchange program.

An applicant who fails to meet the eligibility requirements outlined above may be given special consideration during the selection process by the Board of Directors if extraordinary circumstances can be substantiated in writing.

-Grade Point Average and Hours Requirements

All recipients shall be required to maintain, at a minimum, an annual and cumulative grade point average for the preceding year s follows: HS Graduate – 2.0; Freshman – 2.2; Sophomore – 2.35; Juniors – 2.5. All recipients must complete not less than 12 hours per term or 36 hours per school year (semesters 12/24), unless a waiver is authorized by the Board of Directors. A recipient must be enrolled as a full-time student for each term or semester during which they receive financial assistance from the Fund. The grades and hours earned by recipients for academic credit at the college level for high school courses or by challenging a college grade.

• Schools to be Attended

The Fund will provide assistance to students attending any form of post-secondary education-i.e. vocational or trade school, community college, four-year college. These schools and programs must have proper accreditation.

• Four Year Limit

The philosophy of the Fund is that all recipients are selected for a period of one school year (i.e. three terms, two semesters). When deemed reasonable, at the sole discretion of the board, reappointment will automatically be made if the beneficiary complies with the grades and hours requirements set forth herein, but in no event shall any person be eligible to receive assistance from the Fund after having completed 12 terms (8 semesters)

• Maximum Limit of Other Scholarships

The maximum amount students shall be eligible to receive from other scholarships or grants-in-aid, and still be eligible to receive financial assistance from the Klickitat Valley Education Trust, is not to exceed 50% of the cost (tuition, fees, books, room and board) to attend the school for the academic year. In the event the student *does* receive other scholarships or grants-in-aid in excess of the 50% cost figure, then the award from the Klickitat Valley Education Trust will be voided.

Each selectee, or their parents or guardians, shall provide a written statement to the Board of Directors of the Klickitat Valley Education Trust detailing all scholarships and grants-in-aid the student is eligible to receive prior to receiving their monies from the Fund. This shall be done on an annual basis for each year the student is to receive assistance from the Klickitat Valley Education Trust.