

Helen and L.S. Wong Memorial Scholarship

The Helen and L.S. Wong Memorial Scholarship was established by a private donor in honor of the donor's parents, Helen and L.S. Wong, to provide educational opportunities for students of Asian heritage from Fairfield and Suisun high schools. The donor would like to support practical and focused students in pursuing an undergraduate degree.

Award Information

Up to three recipients will be selected and awarded a one-time \$3,000 scholarship.

Eligibility Criteria

- Grade level: Rising freshman enrolled full-time at an accredited four-year college/university or a community college (with a strong commitment to transfer to a four-year institution) in the 2024-25 academic year
- Resident of Fairfield or Suisun, CA or graduating senior of a high school in Fairfield or Suisun, CA
- Financial need
- Ethnic heritage: Asian heritage
- Minimum GPA: 2.8

Selection Criteria

- Focus and motivation towards educational and career goals
- Academic achievement
- Overcoming hardships

Scholarship Application

The online application can be found at: **XX**. The deadline to submit is **Friday, April 12, 2024, by 11:59PM.**

Five to ten finalists will be selected. Finalists must submit official transcript(s), FAFSA submission summary (formerly the Student Aid Report), and SAT/ACT scores if available.

Preparing Your Application

Your application is comprised of the following materials below. To be considered for review, all materials must be submitted by the deadline.

1. Online application form
2. Essays
3. Resume
4. Financial data for self and parents, as reported on your FAFSA or CADAA
Estimates will be accepted, but data from your Submission Summary (formerly Student Aid Report) will be required if selected to be a finalist.

5. Most recent transcripts, including grading scale
Unofficial transcripts will be accepted but official transcripts will be required if selected to be a finalist.
6. Two letters of recommendations, at least one of which is from a current teacher or professor
Letters should be on official school or organization letterhead. Please include the student's first and last name.

Essays

1. Tell us about yourself, including your academic and career goals, hopes and dreams for the future and the role/influence of your Asian heritage.
Recommended length: 250-500 words
2. Describe your proudest moment and the greatest challenge you have faced, either personally or academically. What did you learn from these experiences?
Recommended length: 150-200 words
3. Describe a project, experience or person related to your academic and/or career goals that inspired you. What impact did it have on you?
Recommended length: 150-200 words
4. Optional: Is there anything else you would like us to know, including any unusual family or personal circumstances that have affected your achievement in school, work experience, or your participation in school activities?
Recommended length: 150-200 words

The online application can be found at:

For questions, please contact us at scholarships@asianpacificfund.org

You may learn more about Asian Pacific Fund on our website asianpacificfund.org.