



North Modesto Kiwanis Club Spring 2022 Scholarship Application

The members of the North Modesto Kiwanis Club spend many hours each year participating in fundraisers to support the youth of our community. From these funds, **the club intends to award \$1,000 scholarships to as many as 20 students for the 2022-23 academic year.** It is the hope of the NMKC that recipients in their adult life will give back to their communities as members of a community service club.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE - MARCH 1, 2022

Incomplete or late applications after that date will not be considered.

The application and further instructions are in a Google Form at this address:

<https://forms.gle/t4YQyas39EK9CRxJA>

THE FORM MUST BE COMPLETED **ONLINE** IN ONE SESSION. Review the questions first, prepare your responses and files for upload, then complete the entire form in one session. You may not edit the form after it is submitted. Only one submission is permitted per student. Only one document may be uploaded for each item, so combine pdfs if necessary.

GOALS

1. To encourage public or private high school graduates (within the boundaries of the Modesto High School District) to pursue educational goals at an accredited community college, four-year college or university, or technical/vocational school.
2. To recognize academic achievement and to invest in the future of young scholars.
3. To recognize young scholars who have demonstrated a commitment to volunteerism and community service.

SELECTION CRITERIA

- Academic record (GPA of 2.75 or higher)
- Extra-curricular activities, leadership experience, community service
- Applicant goals
- Personal statement
- Letters of recommendation from one teacher or counselor and one community member
- Preference given to students whose annual family income is below \$200,000
- Preference will be given to students intending to attend college in California and return to serve in our community.

REQUIRED UPLOADS (PDF or JPG)

1. ONE-PAGE* personal statement describing your educational and career goals, including how you plan to give back to the community as an adult. (*12-point type, 1 inch margins, single-spaced)
2. Unofficial copy of your high school transcript(s)
3. Verification of family income (e.g. FAFSA-expected family contribution, tax return – carefully marked-up to remove personally identifiable information such as social security numbers!)
4. Letter of recommendation from a school teacher, counselor, or other school-related contact
5. Letter of recommendation from a community member NOT related to your school