



## SANTA MARIA KIWANIS FOR KIDS, INC.

### 2026 ALLAN HANCOCK COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

#### Check Scholarship applying for:

- 1. Continuing Education Scholarship (GPA 3.0):** A \$1000 scholarship will be awarded to an Allan Hancock student continuing on to a 4-year college from Allan Hancock Jr. College. Special consideration will be given to a student who has shown leadership and unfailing service to the community.
- 2. Central City Culinary Scholarship (GPA 3.0):** A \$1,000 Scholarship for a high school graduate and/or local community college graduate enrolled in a culinary institution. Essay should include experiences, why you want to pursue culinary arts. Bonus points will be given if you want to return to the Santa Maria area to start your career. What influences can you share and what motivated you towards culinary arts.

#### Please mail completed applications to:

**Kiwanis Scholarship Program, Kiwanis Club of Santa Maria, P.O. Box 85, Santa Maria, CA 93456**

**Applications, including a copy of transcripts, must be postmarked no later than March 6, 2026.**

*Any application postmarked after this date WILL NOT be considered.*

#### Student's Personal Information

- Please check if student is involved in Circle K or has a parent/guardian that is a Kiwanian.

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Other Number: \_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Weighted GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

College/School Planning to Attend: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Autobiography:

Please prepare an autobiographical essay of no more than **500 words** which includes the following topics:

- Qualifications specific to the scholarship(s) for which you are applying
- Community involvement including Kiwanis Key Club and Circle K
- What are your future educational and career goals? Why?

#### Checklist for application packets:

I have reviewed my application and confirmed the following items are included.

**No two-sided pages. Do not send a resumé. Do not staple pages (paperclip OK)**

- Completed application signed by student
- An official copy of college transcript
- An essay (maximum 500 words)

#### Include one letter of recommendation (required):

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

All scholarship award recipients will be notified with the details to receive your award.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_