

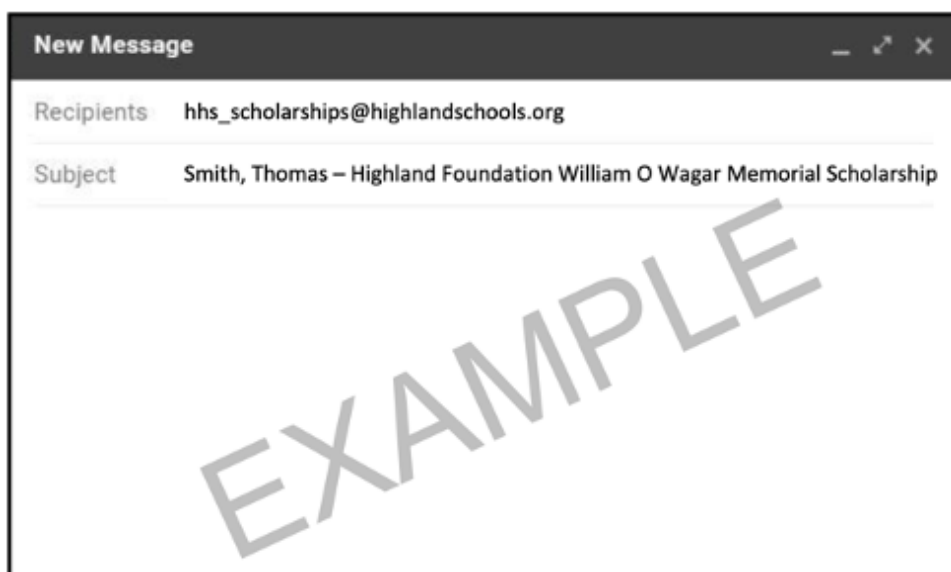
The William O. Wager Math and Science

Scholarship Application

Instructions for Scholarship Submission – Please read the following carefully

Due Date – Applications must be submitted by March 15th, 2024.

1. Please read the scholarship description as well as the eligibility criteria before filling out the scholarship application. We encourage you to apply for all scholarships where you meet the eligibility requirements. Please complete the scholarship application in its entirety. If sections are missing, the application will not be accepted.
2. Each scholarship must be emailed as one PDF file to hhs_scholarships@highlandschools.org. Include the following information in the subject line of the email (example below)
 - Your Last Name
 - Your First Name
 - Name of the scholarship



3. If you are applying for multiple scholarships, please send each one in a separate email.
4. If a transcript is required, the counseling department will attach it to your submission once it is received.
5. If a letter of recommendation from a staff member within Highland High School is required, please ask the recommender to scan and submit separately to hhs_scholarships@highlandschools.org.
6. If an outside recommendation letter is requested, it must be attached as part of your scholarship application.
7. Scan and submit your completed application to hhs_scholarships@highlandschools.org.

VERY IMPORTANT - ALL PAGES OF EACH SCHOLARSHIP MUST BE SUBMITTED AS ONE PDF FILE.

Highland Foundation Scholarship Cover Sheet

This cover sheet must be submitted with your scholarship application.

The following information will be used to contact the applicant for interview appointment, questions, clarifications, public relations, etc.

Please be sure the information is current and accurate.

Student's Name (First / Last) _____

Student's Address _____

Student's School Email Address _____ @HLND.ORG

Student's Personal Email Address _____

Students' Contact Number (Best phone number to reach you) _____

Parent's Name(s) _____

Parent's Email Address(es) _____

The William O. Wagar Math and Science Scholarship Fund

PURPOSE

The William O. Wagar Math and Science Scholarship Fund was established through the Highland Foundation for Educational Excellence to provide a scholarship to the student who plans to seek additional education in the field of math or science in an institution of higher learning. The fund is inspired by 1983 Highland graduate, Bill Wagar, who died quickly in 2000 of cancer. Bill was a natural learner and loved to encourage young people to further their education. Bill found every aspect of life exciting, and he realized education as a great tool to open doors for discovery. Bill was a NASA Glenn Project Manager at the time of his death.

SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT

The scholarship amount will be determined by the yearly investment earnings with a maximum amount of \$1000.

SELECTION PROCESS AND CRITERIA

Scholarship Administration Committee: Science and Math Faculty Members, Counseling Department Representative, Jenny Wagar, Martha Catherwood, Bill Bullock, Highland Foundation Representative.

Scholarship Requirements:

1. Candidate must be a senior at Highland High School
2. Candidate must have a cumulative grade point average between 2.5 and 3.5
3. Candidate must be enrolled in a science or math related course of study in an accredited institution of higher learning
4. Candidate must write a one-page essay expressing their leadership skills, personality, community participation and their plans for their course of study
5. It is the Highland Foundation's hope that the recipient would come back to share their studies with students in the Highland Community

PRESENTATION OF AWARD

The scholarship will be awarded at Highland High School's Annual Awards Night, held in the spring of each year, by either a Foundation Representative or appropriate faculty member in the Math and Science Department.

METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. Scholarship award will be made payable to the institution of higher learning and the student by the Highland Foundation.
2. Equal installments will be paid upon recipient's presentation of a fee invoice. The full scholarship will be paid during the student's first academic year.

TIMEFRAME OF AWARDS

1. Each student has one calendar year from issuance of scholarship award to enroll in institution of higher learning. Any award not used will remain within the fund.
2. Should student withdraw from institution during first year of academic training, any balance of award will remain within the fund.