



KIWANIS CLUB OF SALEM
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2026

The Kiwanis Club of Salem, Virginia, offers six \$1500 scholarships to graduating seniors at Salem High School or Glenvar High School who plan to attend a College, University, or technical program at a Community College.

Lisa Bain Memorial Scholarship: \$ 1,500.00
Bill Gore Memorial Scholarship: \$ 1,500.00
Carlos Hart Memorial Scholarship: \$ 1,500.00
Kiwanis Club of Salem Scholarship: \$ 1,500.00
Dr. Peggy A. Shiflett Scholarship: \$ 1,500.00
Roy Stanley Memorial Scholarship: \$ 1,500.00

Kiwanis Club Scholarships are given to provide financial assistance to students who have achieved academic excellence and demonstrated leadership activities. Scholarship awards must be used for educational expenses such as textbooks or tuition. The check will be sent directly to your school of choice.

ELIGIBILITY:

1. A student applying for this scholarship must have been accepted at a College or University in the fall after graduating from Salem or Glenvar High School.
2. The scholarship will be awarded based on academic achievement, need, and leadership potential.
3. Complete applications must be received by the Kiwanis Club of Salem **on or before March 1, 2026.**
4. Complete applications must be sent to:

**Scholarship Committee
Kiwanis Club of Salem
P. O. Box 133
Salem, Virginia 24153**

CHECK LIST:

The following documents must be included in your application to be considered for a scholarship:

1. **Part 1: Scholarship Application, letter of acceptance, college student ID**
2. **Part 2: Applicant's Activity History**
3. **Part 3: Applicant's Reference Forms: Two (2) needed**
4. **Part 4: Consent to Release Information to a Third Party**
5. **Copy of official transcript (sent under separate cover)**



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PART 1

Application Deadline: **postmarked no later than March 1, 2026**

The criteria for judging the merit of your application will include your achievements, and your financial need, as well as your ability to express yourself clearly, concisely and with proper grammar. Please complete this form by printing legibly in black or blue ink.

Name of Applicant: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code _____

Phone Number _____ Date of Birth: _____

Email Address: _____

Current School: _____

College, University, or technical program at a Community College you will be attending in the fall: _____

(Attach a copy of your letter of acceptance to the back of this page.
Include your college student ID)

Please list names and telephone numbers of individuals who have agreed to write a recommendation on your behalf.

A) _____

B) _____

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, all the information I have provided is accurate and complete.

Signature

Date

Printed Name



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**PART 2
COLLEGE AND FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION**

Name of Applicant: _____

1. What College, University, or technical program at a Community College do you plan on attending in the fall. (Please attach your acceptance letter)

2. What do you plan to major in?

3. What is the estimated cost (tuition, room, board) per year?

4. What is your Expected Family contribution, based on the FAFSA SAR review?

5. What Financial aid (merit and need based) were you awarded by college. Include financial aid that you do not have to repay. (Do not include loans)

6. Do you expect to take out student loans?
 - a. Estimated amount:



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PART 3

APPLICANT'S ACTIVITY HISTORY AND ESSAY

(Please attach a sheet titled PART 3 with the following information)

1. List School related activities. Include academic clubs, athletic teams, organizations, etc. Identify leadership roles such as Club President and Team Captain.
2. List the community related activities you've been involved in. Include activities such as church, civic, community service, scouting and other organizations. Identify leadership roles.
3. List other accomplishments you believe are important for the scholarship committee to consider.
4. List past and present employment experience. Include dates of employment, employer, job description.
5. **ESSAY: SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP.** Describe how you have demonstrated service and leadership, as you define those traits, and explain why this is important to you. (Not to exceed 300 words.)



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**PART 5
CONSENT TO RELEASE FORM**

I, _____, hereby request and give my consent to release of the information specified below to the Kiwanis Club of Salem Scholarship Committee:

**Kiwanis Club of Salem
Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 133
Salem, VA 24153**

I understand that all application information will be shared with the Kiwanis Club of Salem Scholarship Committee for the purpose of selecting scholarship recipients.

Materials to be released to the Kiwanis Scholarship Committee:

- 1. Copy of official school transcript
- 2. Scholarship Application
- 3. Two recommendations

Reason for release:

Application for Kiwanis Club of Salem Scholarship

_____ Date _____
Applicant's Signature

_____ Date _____
Parent or Guardian's Signature

Should I be awarded a scholarship, I give my consent to release this information to the media, and I give my permission for my name and photograph to be used in Kiwanis Club of Salem promotional materials.

_____ Date _____
Applicant's Signature

_____ Date _____
Parent or Guardian's Signature