



ONE ACT OF HOPE AWARD APPLICATION

DESCRIPTION

This one-time scholarship award is open to Weslaco High School seniors who exemplify a giving heart. Two-three students will be selected annually, each receiving a one-time award in the amount of \$500-\$1,000. Scholarship awards can be used for tuition at an accredited 2- or 4- year college or university. Special emphasis will be given to students who have participated in the golf or track programs and/or have participated in the Spanish Club who demonstrate an attitude of excellence, kindness to others, humility, and generosity in the classroom, on the athletic field, or in the community.

ONE ACT OF HOPE AWARD ELIGIBILITY

- A Weslaco High School senior who is enrolled in a 2-or 4-year accredited college or university.
- Priority is given to a student who is or has been on the golf or track teams and/or who is or has participated in the Spanish Club during high school.
- Must have the endorsement of either a teacher or high school administrator who can attest to the student's exceptional kindness and generous spirit.

Please complete the information below:

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Name of the College/University you plan to attend in the Fall: _____

Field of study, if known: _____

Please share with us your involvement in extracurricular activities and/or work history during the past four years (no more than 400 words):

Describe what an “attitude of excellence” means to you and provide an example of how you have demonstrated this during your high school career (no more than 300 words).

Share with us any challenges have you faced in high school that took creativity, ingenuity, or grit to overcome (nor more than 350 words)

Student Signature: _____ Date _____

Please attach the following to this application and return to your guidance counselor no later than March 1st:

1. High school transcript
2. Two (2) reference letters citing examples of how you demonstrate humility, generosity, kindness, and a giving heart. At least one of the reference letters must be from a teacher or high school administrator. Neither reference can be from a family member.
3. A personal written statement describing your personal goals as well as why you desire a scholarship from the Hope-2-Others Foundation (*no more than 1 typed page, 12 size font, and no less than .5 margins*)

If March 1 falls on a weekend, the application will be due the following school day no later than the last bell. Decisions will be made no later than April 15. All scholarship monies will be sent directly to the qualified educational institution on behalf of the scholarship recipient.

Students receiving scholarship funding from Hope-2-Others Foundation must notify the Foundation of the institution of their choosing no later than July 15, so checks can be mailed to the respective institution no later than August 15.