

2017-2018 Gary Finkas Scholarship

The Gary Finkas Scholarship is intended for a well-rounded Toutle Lake High School senior who is involved both academically and within the community, and is pursuing full-time post-secondary enrollment and a degree in a specific program of study.

Eligibility Requirements & Specifics

The applicant must:

- Be a graduating senior at Toutle Lake High School.
- Have a cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher.
- Be an **active** member in good standing in one or more of the following
 - clubs/organizations:
 - Future Business Leaders of America
 - Future Farmers of America
 - Kiwanis Key Club
 - Ecology Club
 - 4-H
 - Student Council (Class or ASB Officer)
- Be attending as a **full-time** student at an *accredited university, community college, or vocational/technical college* in Washington State.
- Pursuing a degree in one of the following undergraduate programs:
 - *Teaching/School Counseling*
 - *Natural Resources*
 - *Agricultural*
 - *Fish & Wildlife*
 - *Business*

Applications must include the following components to be considered for scoring:

1. Completed Application Form - PLEASE TYPE
2. 1-2 Page TYPED Educational Goals Essay
3. Two (2) Letters of Recommendations
4. Official High School Transcript

<p style="text-align: center;">PLEASE MAIL TO: Gary Finkas Scholarship P.O. Box 133 Toutle, WA 98649</p>
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All entries must be received or postmarked by **Wednesday APRIL 26th, 2017**

A one-time award of **\$500** will be sent directly to the recipient's school in the recipient's name upon verification of 2017-2018 enrollment **and** registration of courses. If no applicant is found to meet the requirements, the scholarship will not be awarded.

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Only typed & completed applications will be considered

Application Form

APPLICANT'S NAME _____

Last

First

Middle

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

**WHERE ARE YOU PLANNING ON ATTENDING (College, University,
Community College, Vocational or Technical School, etc)**

First Choice _____ admitted (yes/no) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Second Choice _____ admitted (yes/no) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Program of Study: _____

WORK EXPERIENCE: Begin with the most recent. Use only the space provided.
Position Employer Dates Hrs/Wk

Position	Employer	Dates	Hrs/ Week

Provide the following information for the last four (4) years: *(Please type)*

Offices / Positions of Leadership/ Awards:

School / Community:

Volunteer / Not-For-Pay Service

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Educational Goals Essay

On a separate page, please describe your community and academic involvement, future educational goals, and why you should be considered for this scholarship.

Essay Requirements:

- 1-2 pages, TYPED

Letters of Recommendation

Letter of Recommendation Requirements:

- Two letters of recommendation are required.
- Letters should address applicant's community service, volunteer activities, leadership skills, and work experience.
- At least one (1) letter of recommendation must be from an advisor of a club/organization, discussing applicant's participation and leadership.
- Official Transcript

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****Late Applications will not be considered.**

For questions, call (360) 751-2605