



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION RULES

Please mail all application materials to Chamber of Flowood, P.O. Box 320927, Flowood, MS 39232

With a portion of the proceeds from their annual Chili Cook-Off, the Chamber of Flowood is proud to award scholarships to local high school seniors. Please review all information below before beginning the application process.

Eligibility

- Must be a high school senior graduating from one of the following schools: Hartfield Academy, Jackson Preparatory School, or Northwest Rankin High School.
- Must have cumulative GPA of 2.5 or more.
- Will be enrolled full-time in a college or career path for period covered by the proposed scholarship. There are no stipulations on which college or career path the student plans to pursue.
- Application must be complete and submitted by **March 9, 2026**. Mailed applications must be postmarked by March 9th. See entry form for more info on the submission process.

Required Items

- ***The Chamber of Flowood Scholarship Entry Form*** (follows)
 - Applications must be submitted on the standard entry form provided by the Chamber.
- ***Single-Page Resumé***
 - Applications must include a typed resumé that showcases any relevant **volunteer, extracurricular, community involvement, work, awards/honors, and/or special recognition**.
- ***Personal Essay***
 - Applicants will submit a 400-800 word essay answering each of the following prompts:
 - **Select one accomplishment/activity listed on your resume that demonstrates community involvement and is most meaningful to you. Describe your participation in detail.**
 - **What are your educational/career plans, and how will your future career impact the community in which you live?**
 - **What does the Scholarship Selection Committee need to know about you that can't be found on your application? Be creative. Have fun with it!**
 - **How will this scholarship help you?**
- ***2 Letters of Recommendation*** (in sealed envelopes)
 - One letter from a teacher
 - One letter from a teacher, guidance counselor, coach, pastor, supervisor, or other qualified individual
 - Letters should be submitted with this application in a sealed envelope with the recommender's signature across the back flap of the envelope. Incomplete applications and applications without appropriate recommendation letters will not be considered.



SCHOLARSHIP ENTRY FORM

Deadline: March 9, 2026 at 5 p.m.

Please mail all application materials to
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Mailed applications must be postmarked by March 9, 2026.

Full Name _____ Preferred Name _____

Contact Phone Number _____

Home/Mailing Address _____

Name of college or technical school entering in Fall 2026 _____

College or technical school plan of study _____

The information below should be supplied and verified by a principal or counselor.

High School _____ Principal _____

Cumulative GPA _____ ACT Score _____

Verification of School Data (signed by principal or counselor)

Name _____ Title _____

I attest that the school data listed above is accurate.

Signature _____

Please attach your resumé, personal essay, and two letters of recommendation to the above entry form and submit by March 9, 2026 at 5 p.m.

Submit your application using one of the methods below:

Hand-deliver all application materials to the Chamber of Flowood office at
**2200 Refuge Boulevard
Flowood, MS 39232**

OR

Mail all application materials to
**Chamber of Flowood
P.O. Box 320927
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