

Swisher Electric Cooperative Scholarship Fund

Five scholarships are available in the amount of \$2,000.00 each with \$1,000.00 being applied per fall and spring semester. Scholarships are subject to applicants' eligibility.

Eligibility:

1. Scholarships are available to *active* Swisher Electric Cooperative *members* and immediate family members residing in their household; SEC *employees* and immediate family members residing in their household.
2. Scholarships to be granted to attend a recognized institution of higher education (college, technical school or other post-secondary educational institution).
3. Applicant must be of good character as evidenced by at least one (1) letter from teachers, principals, counselors, etc., from the school they are attending OR from a minister, club sponsor, employer, etc. For applicants returning to school after an extended absence, letters will be accepted from previous employers, supervisors, ministers, etc.
4. Applicant must demonstrate a coherent degree plan and willingness to pursue a course of higher learning.
5. Applications must be *received* no later than Monday, March 1, 2021. Recipients will be announced at the SEC Annual Meeting on Thursday, March 25, 2021.

**Send Applications to: Swisher Electric Cooperative
Attn: Missy Forbes
Scholarship Fund
P. O. Box 67
Tulia, Texas 79088**

Or scan and email to: mforbes@swisherec.org

**Or bring by Swisher Electric Cooperative office: 401 SW 2nd Street
Tulia, Texas**

Swisher Electric Cooperative, Inc. Scholarship Fund

Scholarship Application Checklist

Completed application must include:

- _____ Original application completed and returned – 4 pages
- _____ *Original Official* Transcript from last school attended (*include SAT/ACT scores if available*)
- _____ *Dual Credit students include your College Official Transcript*
- _____ Student's class ranking (if applicable)
- _____ One (1) letter of recommendation
- _____ Photograph, (color head shot only in JPG format) of the applicant and signed photo release)

Return completed application, official transcript, class ranking, and recommendation letter to:

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Scholarship Application Form

Swisher Electric Cooperative, Inc.
P. O. Box 67
Tulia, Texas 79088

Name _____ Soc. Sec. # _____ Telephone _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Are you or your parents *active* members or *current* employees of Swisher Electric Co-op? Y N

If yes, give name(s), address and account number under which the SEC account is billed

Father/Husband Name _____ Mother/Wife Name _____

Occupation _____ Occupation _____

Number & Ages of dependent children in family (Including Applicant) _____

How many other dependent family members are currently in college? _____

Which college, university or vocational school do you plan to attend or are attending?

First choice _____ Second choice _____

Have you applied for admission? _____ Estimate college expenses for one (1) year \$ _____

Have you been accepted? First choice Y N Second choice Y N

What other scholarships have you applied for? _____

Have you received any other scholarships? _____ If so, for how much? \$ _____

Major Field of Study in College _____

Long Range Career Goal _____

Long Range Personal Goals _____

Test Scores: SAT Math _____ SAT Reading _____ SAT Writing _____
ACT Composite _____

Class Rank _____ Number in Class _____ GPA _____

List academic honors received in High School or College: _____

High School or College related clubs, activities, and achievements: _____

Community clubs, activities, and achievements: _____

Hobbies or recreational activities: _____

Are you currently employed? Yes_____ No_____

Name of Employer: _____ Address: _____

_____ Telephone: _____

Hours worked per week: _____

Type of work: _____ Length of Service: _____

Essay in approximately 100 words: "My future life plans and how this scholarship will aid me."

In applying for this scholarship, I am aware that I must be considered a full time student, and demonstrate acceptable standards of citizenship and character.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

- To be complete, this Application must be accompanied by:
- (1) An *original* copy of the *official* transcript from the school the Applicant has most recently attended
 - (2) Your class ranking
 - (3) A copy of SAT/ACT scores (if available)
 - (4) one (1) letter of recommendation
 - (5) For dual credit high school students, include an *original* copy of the *official* college transcript for your dual credits
 - (6) A photograph (color, head shot only in JPG format) and signed photo release below

I agree to permit the review of this Application and my school records by anyone representing Swisher Electric Cooperative Scholarship Fund.

Signature of Applicant

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Cell Phone #: _____

Cell Phone #: _____

Swisher Electric Cooperative Scholarship Photo Release

In exchange for consideration received, I hereby give permission to Swisher Electric Cooperative, Inc. to use my name and photographic likeness in all forms and media for lawful purposes of announcing, advertising and promoting the SEC scholarship program.

Print Name _____

Signature _____ Date _____

If scholarship recipient is under the age of 18, I _____,

am the parent/legal guardian of _____,

the individual named above, and I have read this release and approve of its terms.

Print Name _____

Signature _____ Date _____

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Note: Application, photo, and all documents become the property of Swisher Electric Cooperative, Inc., Tulia, TX and The Opportunity Plan, Inc., Canyon, TX, and are not available for public review.