

**First Tee - Greater Dallas Scholarship Application (HS
Senior) Academic Year – 2026-2027**

Deadline: Friday, April 17th at 5pm CST

(late or incomplete applications will not be accepted)

Thank you for your interest in applying for First Tee - Greater Dallas College Scholarship. We look forward to reading through your application.

By signing this document, you agree that you will submit all pieces of this application in full, and that if you are found not having provided all pieces requested by the committee, **your application will not be considered for funds.**

If there are issues completing the application as provided, please contact Katie Harris at kharris@firstteedallas.org

Summary of Required Application Attachments

- 1 Copy of your Financial Aid Summary with your Student Aid Index (SAI) that you will receive when you complete your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). This should be one screen with your Estimated Federal Student Aid and your Estimated Student Aid Index number.
Note: The FAFSA is available online at www.fafsa.ed.gov. You should fill out the FAFSA and submit your information after January 1, but before mid-February.
- 2 Essays answering the three provided questions. Each separate essay should be 250 words, no less than 200, and no more than 300. Less than 200 words may deem this application incomplete.
- 3 Copy of your most recent high school/college transcript, which must indicate the following: cumulative grade point average and class rank (if class rank is available)
- 4 Copy of your SAT and ACT scores (if available)
- 5 (Optional) Any documentation providing information about extenuating circumstances affecting your ability to pursue your educational goals. This could be a letter to the committee, or whatever you deem appropriate to share your specific needs.

Printed Name of Applicant

Date

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian (if applicant is less than 18 years of age)

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Name: _____
(Please type) Last First Middle Initial

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Gender: _____

Street Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Telephone: (____) _____ - Personal Email: _____ *(do not provide a HS email)*

High school attended: _____ Year of graduation: _____
Name City/ State

Class Rank (if available): _____ Class Size: _____ Cumulative Grade Point Average (out of 4.0): _____

College Entrance Test Scores: SAT _____ ACT _____

Class year you will enter in college: Freshman ☐ Sophomore ☐ Junior ☐

College, university or vocational school you plan to attend:

First Choice: _____
Name Address City/State/Zip

Cost of tuition for one year: _____ Cost of room and board for one year: _____

Second Choice: _____
Name Address City/State/Zip

Cost of tuition for one year: _____ Cost of room and board for one year: _____

Intended major/minor: _____

Intended career post education: _____

Degree you will pursue: AA ☐ AS ☐ BA ☐ BS ☐

Month/Year you intend to graduate from college: ____/____ Will you be registered full-time? _____

Will you attend the full academic term? Yes ☐ No ☐ If no, which terms will you attend? _____

Where do you plan to live? On campus ☐ With parent ☐ Other ☐

Do you intend to work while attending college? During School Months ☐ Summer ☐

Anticipated Income: _____ Do you intend to work full or part time: _____

SCHOOL & COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES CHART

Please complete the chart below. If you have a resume you would rather attach, please do so.

A. Extracurricular & School Activities	Dates (From – To)	Hours Per Week	Total Hours	Responsibilities & Accomplishments
<i>Example: Golf Club</i>	<i>Jan 2016 - Present</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>Club President: Organized play dates</i>
B. Community & Volunteer Service	Dates (From – To)	Hours Per Week	Total Hours	Responsibilities & Accomplishments
<i>Example: Habitat for Humanity</i>	<i>July 2017 – Aug 2017</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>Helped build a home</i>
C. Awards & Recognition	Dates (From – To)	Hours Per Week	Total Hours	Responsibilities & Accomplishments
<i>Example: Most Improved Award</i>	<i>Dec 2016</i>			<i>Most improved player on my golf team</i>
D. Work for Pay	Dates (From – To)	Hours Per Week	Total Hours	Responsibilities & Accomplishments
<i>Example: Subway</i>	<i>July 2016 – Aug 2017</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>100+</i>	<i>Customer service, food prep</i>

ESSAY QUESTION

A major goal of the First Tee mission is to make a positive impact on your life. Your answer to the following questions will help the Scholarship Committee understand and evaluate the effect the mission has had on you. Your essays should provide insight into who you are as a person. Your answers should be typed and contain 250 words and no more than 300. Anything less than 200 will be marked as incomplete and will affect your possible receipt of funds. Written works are expected to be original and from the applicant.

Describe how you live your life positively through volunteering, community involvement, and giving back. Give a detailed example of how First Tee Life Skills Curriculum has encouraged these actions on your part. (Life skills ARE NOT Core Values. Do not include core values. If you have questions, please contact Katie. Incorrect info will affect your score.)

Complete the phrase: Because of First Tee, I _____. Explain your answer.

Provide an example of an adult you admire as a leader and explain why they are significant to you.

Please list below the source and amount of any grants or scholarships pending or awarded for the coming school year:

Name of Grant/Scholarship	Amount	Granted or Pending
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

If there are any unusual family or personal circumstances that affect your ability to pursue your educational goals, please provide a separate document explaining any outside information that would not be present on any other document you provide in this application.

Applicant Certification:

I (we) affirm the information reported is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge. I (we) agree that to verify the information reported on this form, I (we) will, on request, provide documentation necessary to verify information reported. Falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

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