

Kids Voting North Alaska 2022 Scholarship Application



This \$500 scholarship provides financial assistance to up to four 2022 high school graduate(s) from a participating school district who will be attending post-secondary education (university, trades, etc.) and who will continue to be active in promoting citizenship and participation in the democratic process.

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Family (defined as son, daughter, or other relative living in the home) of Kids Voting North Alaska Board members or staff are not eligible for the scholarship.

Selection Process:

The Board of Directors of Kids Voting North Alaska will collect review and rank all applications. Financial need is not a criterion. Scholarship recipients are selected without regard to race, color, religion, marital status, national origin, ability, sexuality, gender identity, or gender expression. The decisions of the committee are final. The committee will evaluate applications on content and overall professional appearance.

In order to apply, a student must have a 3.0 grade point average or greater and submit the following:

1. A completed application form
2. A current transcript (PDF from Blackboard or submitted by counselor is acceptable)
3. A letter of recommendation from a non-family member (for example clergy, club leader, counselor, teacher)
4. A **word-processed** essay of 750 words or less that addresses the following:
 - a. The value of civic engagement within the school and community that includes examples of applicant's participation and leadership experience,
 - b. Examples of how applicant's actions reflect the values of Kids Voting North Alaska as stated in the mission statement.

Submit completed applications to: kidsvotingnorthalaska@gmail.com

The application and letters must be submitted **no later than Monday, March 21, 2022**, to allow time for applications to be evaluated prior to the end of the 2021-22 school year. If you have any questions regarding this scholarship, please contact Heidi Imhof, Kids Voting Coordinator, at himhof@gci.net.

Mission statement: Kids Voting North Alaska is a nonpartisan, voter education program in the Fairbanks North Star Borough School District to help students become life-long voters by providing teacher training, educational materials, and voting experiences.

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Name: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

High School Currently Attending: _____

GPA _____

Choices of Postsecondary Institution & Major Area(s) of Study:

List two references, phone# and relationship to applicant:

Name: _____ Phone _____ Rel. _____

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Contact Information for Parent/Guardian:

Student
Signature: _____