

Scholarship Application Class of 2017

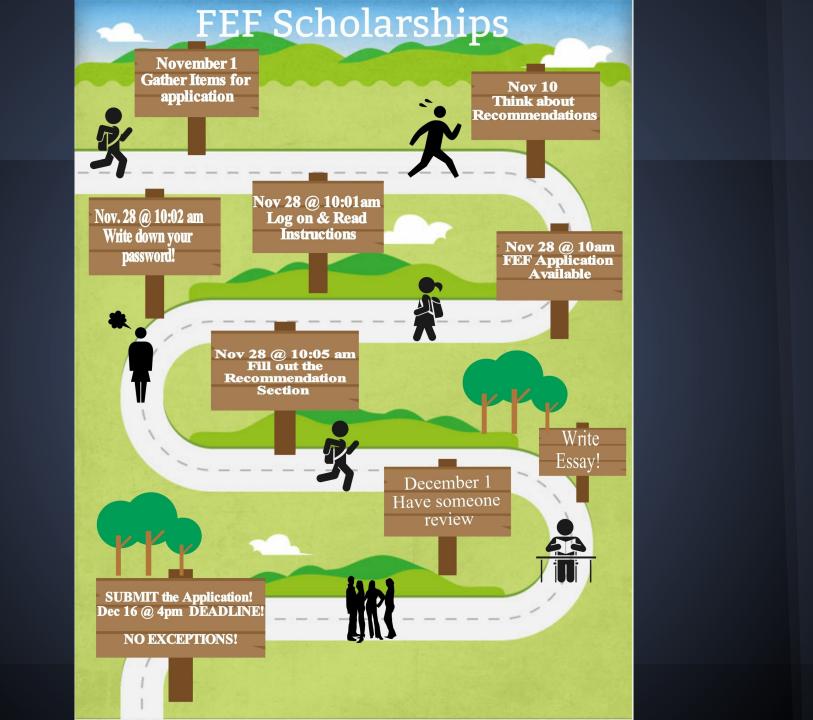
Apply...Apply....Apply!

 On November 28, 2016 at 10:00am go to the Frisco Education Foundation website to access the online application (this is the only format the application is available)

www.friscoeducationfoundation.org

Click on the "Student Scholarships" Tab

- Before you begin your application, read over the instructions on "how to" complete the FEF Scholarship Application
- Log onto the website link included in the instructions to access the application
- Use your FISD student google email address as your login. For your password, choose something you will remember. WRITE IT DOWN!



Prepare, Prepare, Prepare!!!!

Items to get together prior to starting the application....

- Financial Information
 - Parent's income verification for tax year 2015 such as W2's, tax returns, pay stubs
- Extra-curricular activities
 - List of activities involved in and years spent participating
- Community service & Work History
 - List of your community service/volunteer hours
 - What organizations have you volunteered for?
 - List of employers and length of employment during high school
- Recommendations (Will need email addresses)
 - Secure two (2) CURRENT teachers
 - Secure one (1) outside person

Tips for a Great Scholarship Application!



Capitalization!! Including your First and Last Name!



Check punctuation, grammar and provide answers in complete sentences!



Be sure your essay refers back to the essay prompt!



No text speak! You are not texting your friends or posting on twitter!



Use your words! You need to complete the application not your Mom!



Save your work as you go! To save -- click on the icon that looks like a diskette!



Be sure and ask for recommendations before you enter their information in the scholarship application!



Confirm with the people you requested recommendations to be sure they have submitted them!



Have someone review your application before you submit it!



Do NOT be a 3:59er!!!

IMPORTANT NOTE!!!!!

You will not be able to submit your application unless ALL OF YOUR RECOMMENDATIONS ARE SUBMITTED FIRST!!!!!!

It is your responsibility to follow up!

FAQ's

Q:Who is eligible to apply?

A: All 2017 FISD Graduating Seniors

Q: How many scholarships are available?

A: FEF manages over 700 scholarships, including those awarded by school clubs and organizations, as well as, athletic booster clubs. To be eligible for ANY scholarships funded through FEF, you must complete and submit the FEF application by the 4pm, December 16th deadline.

FAQ's Continued

Q: How much are the scholarships worth?
A: Scholarships are worth anywhere from \$500 to \$15,000

Q: When will we be notified if we are receiving a scholarship?

A: Winners will be notified with an invitation to attend Scholarship Night during the month of April. Scholarship Night is scheduled for Thursday, May 4th at Dr Pepper Arena. It is mandatory that scholarship recipients attend Scholarship Night

More FAQ's

Q: What are the scholarship requirements based on?

A: Scholarships funded through FEF are based on a variety of criteria such as:

- Financial Need
- Merit
- Community Service
- College Major
- College Attending

There is something for EVERYONE, but you must APPLY and SUBMIT your application!!!!!!

More FAQ's

Q: What if I plan to attend college out of state? Can I still apply for the FEF scholarships?

A: Yes, FEF sends scholarship funds all over the United States.

Q: Can I receive more than one scholarship through FEF?

A: Yes, you can receive multiple scholarships through FEF.

Q: What is the deadline for the FEF Scholarship Application?

A: Friday, December 16th at 4pm! No exceptions!

2016 FEF Scholarship Facts



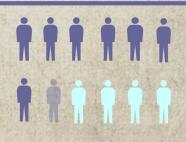
2016 FISD Seniors that started an Application

2016 FISD Seniors that SUBMITTED an Application

FEF Scholarships Awarded

Number of FEF Scholarships Awarded

Where the Scholarship Dollars Went



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1478

1082

\$609,938

793 Scholarships

154 Universities and Colleges across the US

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REMEMBER THIS IMPORTANT NOTE!!

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(This means two CURRENT teacher recommendations and one outside community recommendation)

The deadline to submit an FEF scholarship application is 4pm on December 16th, 2016!

No Exceptions!

For future questions and information Contact....

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