

Arkansas State Golf Association
And The First Tee of Central Arkansas

Application for the Arnold Palmer Scholarship
And other scholarships awarded annually by the ASGA

(Please Print or Type- preferred)

Name _____
 Last First Middle

Today's Date ___/___/___ Phone _____ Email _____

School Currently Attending _____
 Name City State

High School Attending/Attended _____
 Name City State

TO ALL APPLICANTS:

For scholarship consideration, you must submit:

- this completed application form
- your official current grade transcript showing a cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 scale,
- Three reference reports, including one from the principal, teacher or a counselor at your high school
- **IMPORTANT: Each applicant must also provide a copy of a completed Federal Student Aid Form (FAFSA) OR a copy of parent/guardian's most recent 1040, pages 1 and 2. (All information in this scholarship application will be kept confidential.)**
- ACT or SAT scores submitted directly or photocopied onto your original transcript, as well as being entered on this application form.
- proof of college acceptance/ enrollment

All said materials should be received by the ASGA (on behalf of the ASGA and The First Tee) no later than April 15, 2020. Materials may be emailed in a PDF form to: info@asga.org and mblake@thefirstteear.org

Via USPS:
Arkansas State Golf Association
P.O. Box 30250
Little Rock, AR 72260

or

Via express mail:
Arkansas State Golf Association
#3 Eagle Hill Court, Suite B
Little Rock, AR 72210

Name _____ Gender: M__ F__

Address _____ City _____ State __ Zip _____

Tel: (____) _____ Birthdate __/__/__ Social Security _____

Father's Name _____ Employer/Job Title _____

Father's
Address _____ City _____ State __ Zip _____

Mother's Name _____ Employer/Job Title _____

Mother's
Address _____ City _____ State __ Zip _____

Total No. of brother/sisters _____ No. of brothers/sisters at home _____ In college _____

Do any other dependents live with your parents? Please Specify _____

Your marital status _____ No. of children (If applicable) _____

Spouse Name _____ Employer/Job Title _____

Do you file an independent tax return with the Internal Revenue Service? _____

If so, do you claim any dependents besides yourself? _____ How Many _____

Have you held a part-time job (s) while attending school or during summers? _____

Job Title _____ Hours per week _____ Length of Employment _____

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Are you presently employed? _____ Do you plan to work this fall? _____

Do you contribute to household expenses? _____ If so, what percentage? _____

Year of High School Graduation _____

Please attach extra sheets if needed to thoroughly answer the following questions:

Do you have any information concerning your financial or home situation which might be pertinent to this application for scholarship aid?

Reasons for seeking a college education: _____

Career Plans/ Goals:

While attending college, will be living: At Home _____ On Campus _____ Other _____

Address while at college (If known) _____
Street City State Zip

Confidential Report – References requested from:

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Name _____ | 2. Name _____ |
| Address _____ | Address _____ |
| City _____ State _____ | City _____ State _____ |
| Phone _____ Email _____ | Phone _____ Email _____ |

Counselor or person to contact at my current school: Name _____
Title _____ Phone _____ Email _____

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| ACT College-Bound Composite Percentile _____ SAT Verbal Score _____ SAT Math Score _____ |
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Achievements/Honors/Recognition (High School) _____

Extra-Curricular Activities (including golf related; separate golf resumes encouraged with ASGA event participation noted)

Have you participated at The First Tee: Yes _____ No _____ If yes, what year(s) and please describe your experience in First Tee programming: _____

University/College you plan to attend next fall (attach proof of acceptance/ enrollment)

Enrollment Date _____ Field of Study _____

Program Enrolled In: 2-year _____ 4-year _____ Other (specify) _____

Degree Sought _____ Anticipated College Graduation Date _____

Please indicate an estimate of your parents' (father's and mother's, if both work) and your total income for the last calendar year. Please include spouse's income, if married.

PARENTS ESTIMATED INCOME

- Under \$20,000
- \$20,000 - \$40,000
- \$40,000 - \$60,000
- \$60,000 - \$80,000
- \$80,000 - \$100,000
- Over \$100,000

SELF/SPOUSE INCOME

- Under \$20,000
- \$20,000 - \$40,000
- \$40,000 - \$60,000
- \$60,000 - \$80,000
- \$80,000 - \$100,000
- Over \$100,000

Please indicate by percentages the actual funds you have available for college expenses from the following sources:

Self/Spouse _____% Parents _____% Other Scholarships _____% Other (specify) _____%

Please list other scholarships or grants you expect to receive, including amounts and status:

By signing below, we agree that all statements in this application are accurate to the best of our knowledge:

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardians Signature(s): _____

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P. O. Box 30250
Little Rock, AR 72260

CONFIDENTIAL REPORT – REFERENCES

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Applicant to complete this information:

NAME OF APPLICANT:

Permanent Address:

High School Attending: _____

The following information is to be completed by a reference and returned directly to the ASGA at the above address or emailing to info@asga.org and mblake@thefirsttear.org

What is your Association with the applicant? _____
(Teacher, Employer, Neighbor, etc.)

How long have you known the applicant? _____

In your opinion is the above-named student fully qualified as to character, personality, leadership qualities, and scholastic achievements to merit consideration of an award of this kind? Please explain.

What is your estimate of the applicant's ability and motivation in accomplishing college work?

- Superior Above Average Average May have difficulty

Signature _____ Date ____/____/____

Name _____ Ph. _____ Email _____

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| Applicant to complete this information: | | | |
| NAME OF APPLICANT: | | | |
| Last | First | Middle | |
| Permanent Address: | | | |
| Street | City | State | Zip |
| Phone () _____ - _____ | | Year of High School Graduation: _____ | |
| High School Attending: _____ | | _____ | |
| Name | | City | |

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Name _____ Ph. _____ Email _____

Arnold Palmer Scholarship

Along with other ASGA Scholarships

Purpose of the program

The scholarship programs below have been established to assist deserving young people, who reside in Arkansas, in their pursuit of higher education at an accredited college or university. These include various scholarships from the ASGA which will be awarded by the Board of Directors of the ASGA. The newly established Arnold Palmer Scholarship (APS) are funded by by The Arnold and Winnie Palmer Foundation and four members of The Alotian Club.

Recipients for the APS will be chosen by the ASGA and The First Tee of Central Arkansas.

Eligibility Requirements

A scholarship recipient must be:

- Accepted/ Enrolled in an accredited college or university for ASGA scholarships. APS scholars must attend college in the State of Arkansas.
- For Arnold Palmer and ASGA Scholars-A senior student attending high school in Arkansas or who is a full-time Arkansas resident with a 3.0 GPA or higher, or
- For ASGA Scholars- High school seniors or students currently attending an accredited institution of higher education who has not graduated from a college or university and is not 25 years of age or older.

Responsibility and Criteria for Selection

The committees of the ASGA and The First Tee will select The Arnold Palmer Scholarship award recipients on the basis of character, personality, leadership qualities, scholastic achievement, ability, financial need, and other criteria they deem necessary, including an in-person interview.

Additional ASGA scholarships will be granted in amounts determined by the ASGA and decided on a similar basis, but will not require an in-person interview.

Amount and Payment of Scholarship Awards

Two males and two females will be awarded a one-year Arnold Palmer scholarship of \$5,000 each with a \$2,500 payment made each semester of the academic year for which the scholarship is awarded.

ASGA scholarships are a minimum of \$500 and are paid to the student's educational institution. Awards may be drafted by the student for payment of tuition and fees, on-campus housing and meals, or books and materials purchased through an on-campus bookstore.

Rules for Scholarship Recipients

Scholarship recipients will conduct all negotiations regarding admission to their chosen institution of higher learning. They must be accepted and enrolled during the semester for which the award is granted.

Any delay or acceleration in a student's normal academic program must be approved by the committee on the basis of a written request from the student.

All requests for transfer must be submitted in writing for approval by the committee.

Scholars are required to furnish, and authorize their institutions to furnish any information the committee deems necessary in the management of this program.

The Arnold Palmer Scholarship is for one year and not renewable, but some of the ASGA scholarships are renewable based on the student maintaining a cumulative 2.75 GPA. Students are required to furnish, and authorize their institution to furnish any information the committee deems necessary in the management of these scholarships.

Application Procedures

Applications should be submitted no later than April 15, 2020 via email, USPS or express mail. Finalist for the Arnold Palmer Scholarship will have an in-person, videotaped interview prior to the announcement of winners on Friday, May 15, 2020.

Applications will preferably be typed (though hand written is allowed).

Prospective applicants are strongly encouraged to begin working on completing the application requirements as soon as possible.

Students are required to submit all the information required as set forth on the cover page of this application.