



California Association of Collectors Educational Scholarship Foundation

[This is a two-sided application]

Candidates will complete the one page application and write an essay on

**“Importance of Establishing and Maintaining
Good Financial Credit During Your College Years”**

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD RULES

Awarded to California High School seniors who are in this state legally for their use as full-time students at any accredited public or private college, university or trade school. Scholarship recipients must start attendance within 12 months of the award and show proof of enrollment in a minimum of 12 credit hours.

Essay subject is: “Importance of Establishing and Maintaining Good Financial Credit During Your College Years”. Entries must be typed, 12 point font, double spaced, and be between 700 and 1,000 words (include word count at the top of your essay). Please DO NOT put your personal information on any page, and please do not staple your essay.

HELPFUL ADVICE: Each entry should include the following three things:

1. MUST be a well written essay
2. Should tell the reader a story
3. Needs to leave the reader engaged

Each entry must include the completed application, signed by the applicant and his/her parent or guardian, and the essay, and must be submitted at the same time. DO NOT submit application and essay more than ONCE.

Entries must be postmarked by January 20, 2016

Mail entries to:

CAC Educational Scholarship Foundation
1455 Response Road, Suite 240
Sacramento, CA 95815

Fax entries to:

(916) 929-7682

Email entries to:

scholarship@calcollectors.net

If submitting essay via email, please send the essay and the application at the same time.

See our website at www.cacesf.org

Entries are the property of the California Association of Collectors Educational Scholarship Foundation and may be printed, distributed, and/or published in full or in part at the discretion of the Foundation. The applicant and the parent or guardian understand and agree that photographs or video images of the applicant may be taken at, or in connection with, the semi-finalists meeting, that those images shall be the property of CACESF and that they may be distributed, posted or published at the discretion of the Foundation. The applicant and the guardian further understand that media outlets may be invited to the semi-finalists meeting and those outlets shall be permitted to print a broadcast from that meeting.

The three semi-finalists will be selected by a panel of scholarship readers and notified of their selection. All three semi-finalists will be required to attend a meeting of the California Association of Collectors at a location and time to be determined (expenses paid for student and 1 parent). Semi-finalists will read their essay and be evaluated by a panel of judges who will determine the final placing. The decision of the judges is final.

By submitting your entry, applicant and parent or guardian agree to all scholarship rules set forth in this document.

If you have questions, please see your College Counselor or call the CAC Office at (916) 929-2125.

First Award - \$2,500

Second Award - \$2,000

Third Award - \$1,500

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CAC Educational Scholarship Foundation 2015-2016 Application Form Application Deadline is January 20, 2016

Personal Information TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Alternate Phone Number: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Nearest Major Airport: _____

High School Information

Name of High School: _____

Name of High School College Counselor/Advisor: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

Counselor/Advisor E-mail Address: _____

School Scholarship Awards Presentation Coordinator

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

College Information

Please list the colleges to which you have applied and indicate your current status:

College: _____ Applied Accepted Will Attend

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Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

I, the parent/guardian of the above applicant, hereby consent to the applicant's participation in the Foundation's scholarship contest and semi-finalists' meeting. I assume all risks and hazards incidental to such participation including, but not limited to, transportation to and from the activities. I hereby release, absolve, indemnify and agree to hold harmless the Foundation and its organizers, board members, officers, sponsors, participants, and other persons associated with the Foundation from any claim arising out of, or relating to, any injury the applicant may incur resulting from participation in the Foundation's activities or transportation relating thereto, whether the result of negligence or any other cause, except to the extent and in the amount covered by accident or liability insurance, if any, maintained by the Foundation or the other persons or organizations named above.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

*Make a copy of this application for your records.

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