

THE ROTARY CLUB OF SADDLEROOKE

2024 Academic Scholarship Application

Eligibility Criteria

A high school senior who:

1. Is currently attending San Manuel High School, Canyon del Oro High School, or Ironwood Ridge High School,
2. Is currently a resident of and living in Pinal County or the community of Catalina, and
3. Will enroll at and attend, as a full-time student, an accredited US based University, College or Community College during the 2024 – 2025 academic year.

Scholarship Selection Criteria

The selection criteria for the awarding of a scholarship are academic achievement, financial need, leadership, extracurricular activities, honors and awards, volunteer work and/or community service and/or employment.

Instructions

The application packet must include the following items:

1. Sections 1 - 6 of the application – completed by applicant.
2. Section 7 of the application (Parent's (Guardian's) Financial Statement) - completed by the applicant's parent or guardian.
3. The attachments listed in Section 8
4. Section 9 (Certification) – signed and dated by both the applicant and the applicant's parent/guardian

For item 3, please see the instructions under the heading "Required Attachments and Instructions on page 8."

All materials must be submitted in a packet and in the order indicated above.

The application packet is to be submitted to the applicant's high school counselor who will in turn send/give it to the Rotary Club of Saddlebrooke Academic Scholarship Committee.

Applications must be submitted no later than **March 29, 2024**.

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CHECKLIST

The below checklist can be used to assure that all application sections are completed, and all required documents are included in the application packet.

<u>√</u>	<u>Date</u> <u>Completed</u>	<u>Section/Document</u>
_____	_____	Section 1 – Applicant Information
_____	_____	Section 2 – Leadership Roles
_____	_____	Section 3 – Extracurricular Activities
_____	_____	Section 4 – Honors and Awards
_____	_____	Section 5 – Volunteer Work and Community Service
_____	_____	Section 6 – Employment
_____	_____	Section 7 – Parent’s (Guardian’s) Financial Statement
_____	_____	Essay
_____	_____	Letters of Recommendation (Minimum 2)
_____	_____	Official Transcripts
_____	_____	ACT Score
_____	_____	Other Information to Support Your Application (Optional)
_____	_____	Section 9 - Certification
_____	_____	Application Packet Submitted

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SECTION 1 APPLICANT INFORMATION

Student's Name: _____
Last First Middle

Address (Residence): _____
Street

City County State Zip Code

Mailing Address (If Different from Residence)

Street or PO Box

City County State Zip Code

Telephone Number: _____
Primary Alternate

Email: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____
MM DD YYYY

Parent (Guardian) Name: _____
Last First Middle

High School: _____

Expected Graduation Date: ____/____/____
MM DD YYYY

Which Universities/Colleges/Community Colleges have you/will you apply to:

Planned Major(s): _____

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SECTION 2 LEADERSHIP Roles

List leadership roles during the last four years. (Use a separate sheet if additional space is needed.)

Organization	Leadership Position(s)	Year (s) (9 – 12)	Responsibilities

SECTION 3 EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

List extracurricular activities during the last four years. (Use a separate sheet if additional space is needed.)

Extracurricular Activity	Year (9 – 12)

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SECTION 4 HONORS AND AWARDS

List scholastic, extracurricular and civic honors and awards received during the last four years. (Use a separate sheet if additional space is needed.)

Honor/Award	Awarded By	When Awarded	Purpose and Why Received/How Earned

SECTION 5 VOLUNTEER WORK AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

List volunteer work or community service you performed without pay over the last four years. (Use a separate sheet if additional space is needed.)

Agency or Organization	Dates of Participation	Total Hours of Service	Type of Work

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SECTION 6 EMPLOYMENT

List jobs held over the last four years. (Use a separate sheet if additional space is needed.)

Employer	Dates of Employment	Hours per Week	Type of Work

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SECTION 7 PARENT’S (GUARDIAN’S) FINANCIAL STATEMENT

This section to be completed by the parent or guardian.

NOTE: If desired, this section, once completed, may be submitted in a sealed envelope.

- Please indicate the number of people currently in your household and your current family annual income below.

<u>Household Size</u>		<u>Family Annual Income</u>	
3 or less	___	Less than \$20,000	___
4	___	\$20,000 to 40,000	___
5	___	\$40,000 to 60,000	___
6	___	\$60,000 to 80,000	___
7	___	\$80,000 to 100,000	___
8 or more	___	Greater than \$100,000	___

- Will the family have a member(s) in addition to the applicant paying full-time college expenses in the 2024 - 2025 academic school year? Y ___ / N ___ How many? ___
- Has the applicant made a FAFSA application? Y ___ /N ___
- Has the applicant applied for and/or been awarded any other scholarships or grants? Y ___ /N ___ If yes, indicate the amount of the scholarship and/or grant, what it pays for (tuition, books, etc.) and the period covered (semester, academic year or more).

Amount of Scholarship or Grant	Pays For (Tuition, Books, Etc.)	Period Covered (Semester, Academic Year, or More)

- In the space below or on a separate sheet, please prepare a statement indicating the applicant’s need for financial assistance in attending college.

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SECTION 8 REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS AND INSTRUCTIONS

The following documents are required to be submitted with the application.

1. Essay
 Prepare an essay of 500 words or less stating why you wish to attend university/college/community college and your goals and objectives. At the bottom of the essay, you must state in writing that the essay is your original work, and then sign and date.
2. Letters of Recommendation
 Two letters of recommendation – at least one of which is from one of your high school teachers.
3. Official Transcripts
 Official Transcript from your school. These are to be submitted in a separately sealed envelope.
4. ACT score

Optional - Other Information to Support Your Application

SECTION 9 CERTIFICATION

We, the undersigned, certify that the information provided in this application, the attachments and any additional supporting material are true and accurate to the best of our knowledge:

Student Name:

Last

First

Middle

Student Signature: : _____ **Date:** _____

Parent/Guardian Name:

Last

First

Middle

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____