

Kelsey Starling Memorial Foundation Scholarship Application

In Memory of Kelsey Nicole Starling

1. DEADLINE for scholarship applications is Wednesday, May 1, 2024. Applications must be turned in to the counselor's office by the deadline. Late applications will not be considered.
2. Refer to criteria below for eligibility requirements. Refer to the application process below for a list of the supporting documents needed (i.e., reference forms, evidence of GPA, etc.) Incomplete applications will not be considered.
3. Type or print legibly. Illegible applications will be returned to you. By request, a copy of the application can be emailed to you.
4. If you have any questions about the application process or would like to have the application sent to you by email, please contact, amyshixon@gmail.com.

Award Criteria:

1. Applicant must be a **female high school senior** at Pike Liberal Arts School preparing to attend a college or university.
2. Applicant must be a citizen of the United States.
3. Applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale.
4. Applicant must have volunteered in community service activities.
5. Applicant must have participated in extracurricular activities which exhibit leadership skills/abilities.
6. Applicant must have church affiliated activities.

Application Process:

Applicant must submit the following items:

- Completed application form (if handwritten, please print legibly).
- Two (2) character references--(form provided with application) in sealed envelope—may include attached letter of recommendation
- A copy of the most recent transcript with cumulative grade point average.
- Proof of acceptance to the college/university you plan to attend in the Fall 2024.

ALL SECTIONS (A, B, C, AND D) OF THIS COMPLETED APPLICATION and ATTACHMENTS APPLICATIONS MUST BE TURNED IN BY May 1, 2024.

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ALL INFORMATION MUST BE TYPED OR NEATLY PRINTED ON THE APPLICATION.

INCOMPLETE INFORMATION WILL DISQUALIFY THIS APPLICATION.

SECTION A- *To be filled out by the **applicant.***

Student Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Email address _____

Phone _____

Address _____ City/State _____ Zip _____

Parents'/Guardians' Name _____

I certify that I am a United States Citizen or a permanent resident of the United States of America. **Yes** or **No**

I will be attending the following school in the **Fall 2024** _____

Proof of acceptance from the above school is required prior to the receipt of funds.

Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale) Class Rank: _____ **Must be initialed by counselor.**

Are you currently employed? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, how many hours per week? _____

If yes, please describe (tutoring, baby-sitting, retail, etc.) _____

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SECTION B- *To be filled out by the **applicant.***

List your academic honors, awards, and membership activities:

List your community service activities, church affiliated activities, hobbies/interests and extracurricular/sports activities:

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SECTION C- *To be filled out by the Senior High School Counselor or Teacher of the student within the last two years.*

Applicant's Name _____

1) How long have you known the applicant? _____

2) In what capacity have you known the applicant?

3) How would you assess the applicant's character? Please circle one of the following:

Poor

Fair

Average

Above Average

Outstanding

4) What is the applicant's cumulative average or GPA/Scale?

(This question is important since academic performance is a criterion.)

5) Why do you recommend this applicant for this scholarship?

Name of Counselor or Teacher _____ Work Phone _____

Signature _____ Title _____

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SECTION D- *To be filled out by the **applicant**.*

One of Kelsey Starling’s greatest joys in life was the friendships she made. Their love for each other is still so evident today. In **500 words or less**, describe both the impact your friendships have had on your life and what characteristics you believe make a true friend. Your response can be neatly written or typed in the space below.