



Through the Game of Golf, Inc. Scholarship 2020

WHO ARE WE?

Through the Game of Golf, Inc. is a not-for-profit 501(c) 3 organization created to help underprivileged youth achieve academic, social, and economic success by providing scholarships and remaining engaged in their education and teaching them the practical skills necessary to excel. The organization operates all the facets of the TTGOG events in order to meet its mission.

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of *Through the Game of Golf, Inc.* is to empower, encourage, and financially support underprivileged youth in our local communities within the state of Florida. Our intention is to provide financial assistance to those youth who are furthering their education beyond high school. We will use the love and integrity of the game of golf to empower and teach them sportsmanship, discipline, and dedication that will follow them through life while leaving them with an enjoyable and growing experience.

“Golf is the closest game to the game we call life. You get bad breaks from good shots; You get good breaks from bad shots. But you have to play the ball where it lies.”

- Bobby Jones



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CRITERIA:

- Eligible for High School Graduation
- A minimum 2.5 unweighted GPA
- A minimum of 50 community service hours documented on official High School transcript
- Enrolled in an accredited public, charter, parochial or private school in South Florida
- Demonstrates accomplishments in: Specialized talents, leadership, extracurricular, athletics, and/or community service

REQUIREMENTS:

- Completed application
- Current High School Transcript with official seal in a sealed envelope
- 3 letters of recommendation from non-family members (one must be from an educator)
- Written essay
- Evidence of your acceptance from a post-secondary institution
- Photograph of applicant

ESSAY:

On a separate sheet of paper, please choose ONE of the two essay topics to discuss. Use 12-point font, TIMES NEW ROMAN, double-spaced, 600-word maximum.

1. Describe a time in which you have made a meaningful contribution to others where the “greater good” was your focus. Discuss any challenges or rewards that were brought forth because of your contribution.
2. What does it mean to you to be a *leader* in society today as a high school senior? How do you plan on developing and using your leadership skills in the future?



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Application Checklist

The scholarship committee requires that all applicants must complete each item in order to be considered eligible for this scholarship.

Please submit the following collectively:

- **Application form**
- **Essay** – On a separate sheet of paper, choose ONE of the discussion topics, 12-point font TIMES NEW ROMAN, with a 600-word maximum.
 1. **Describe a time in which you have made a meaningful contribution to others where the “greater good” was your focus. Discuss any challenges or rewards that were brought forth because of your contribution.**
- OR**
- 2. **What does it mean to you to be a leader in today’s society as a high school senior? How do you plan on developing and using your leadership skills in the future?**
- **Official High School transcript** with official seal and signature from your current school. Anything other than an official transcript in a sealed envelope will disqualify you from selection
- **3 Letters of recommendation** – one letter MUST be from an educator, the others are the applicant’s choice, but must be from *non-family members*. Letters from relatives **will not** be accepted.
- **Proof of acceptance from a post-secondary institution**
- **Signed Photograph disclosure/photograph of applicant**

*All applications **must be complete** and comply with all the requirements in order to be considered as a qualified scholarship recipient for the 2020 **Through the Game of Golf, Inc. Scholarship**. Please mail completed application to: **P.O. Box 541327 Greenacres, FL 33454** no later than **April 30, 2020** in order to be considered for this scholarship.



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Application Form (1 of 3)

Applicant Information

Name: _____
Last First Middle

Address: _____
Street (name/number) City State Zip

Date of birth: _____ Male ___ Female ___
Month Day Year

Home Phone # _____ Email address: _____

Cell Phone # _____

High School: _____

Unweighted GPA: _____

Community Service Hours documented on official transcript: _____

Mother's name: _____

Father's name: _____

or

Legal Guardian's name: _____



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Application Form (3 of 3)

Certification

I hereby affirm that the information provided in this scholarship application is accurate and was completed to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's signature

Print name

Parent/Guardian signature

Print Name



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Please submit a photograph to be included with your application. If selected, *Through the Game of Golf, Inc.* reserves the right to utilize the photograph in any current or future publications. By signing below, you are acknowledging and agreeing to these terms and hereby release and discharge *Through the Game of Golf, Inc.* of all liabilities.

Applicant Signature _____ **Date:** _____

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

