



## Kings County Board of REALTORS® Scholarship

**Deadline for Applications**  
**Friday, April 26, 2024, by 4:00pm**

**Return Completed Application Packet to:**  
**Kings County Board of REALTORS®**  
**880 N. Irwin Street - Hanford, CA 93230**  
**Telephone: (559) 582-2591**

### **Qualifications**

Recipients must be planning to attend an accredited Community College, Trade/Vocational Institution, University full time (12 units or more), or other accredited school and have a cumulative GPA equal to or greater than 3.0 for High School students and 2.50 for College students. The recipient must be planning to attend an accredited Community College, Trade/Vocational Institution, University full time (12 units or more) or other accredited school. Previous scholarship recipients may re-apply.

### **Clarification**

1. A high school student must have a cumulative GPA equal to or greater than 3.0.
2. A college student (Sophomore, Junior, or Senior) must have a cumulative GPA equal to or greater than 2.5.
3. Previous recipients may re-apply.

### **Eligibility**

Eligibility is limited to Kings County Board of REALTORS® Members in good standing and their immediate family. An immediate family member is defined as a parent; sibling; child by blood, adoption, or marriage; spouse; grandparent or grandchild and immediate family spouses.

### **Application Requirements**

1. Application form: Must be filled out completely and returned prior to the application deadline.
2. GPA Verification: Provide your official high school transcript or transcript from the school you are attending.
3. Personal Essay: Refer to Kings County Board of Realtors® ***Suggestions for Writing your Scholarship Essay.***
4. Letter of Recommendation: Submit three letters of recommendation. A recommendation is most helpful when it provides specific information concerning your intellectual and personal characteristics and performance.



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**2024 Scholarship Application Form**

Use this form to apply for the Kings County Board of REALTORS® Scholarship. Applications must be received by 4:00 pm on April 26, 2024. Application packages should be submitted to the Kings County Board of REALTORS®: 880 N. Irwin Street, Hanford, CA. See the accompanying pages for eligibility and requirements.

**Applicant Personal Information**

<b>Name</b>	
<b>High School or College</b>	
<b>Address</b>	
<b>Phone</b>	
<b>Email</b>	

**REALTOR® Member Information**

<b>Member Name</b>	
<b>Relationship to Applicant</b>	

I affirm all statements and information included in this scholarship packet are true, complete, and correct.

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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### *Suggestions for Writing your Scholarship Essay*

The purpose of the essay is to persuade the Scholarship Committee Judges to consider you as a qualified candidate to receive scholarship funds. When beginning an autobiographical or narrative essay, remember that the reader is unfamiliar with you as an individual. Through your writing, the committee must be able to develop and understanding of your past and present accomplishments. Equally important will be the statement of your education and career goals.

It is best to have your essay 500 words or less. Be concise and to the point with the goal of stressing positive aspects about yourself.

You will be evaluated on the following topics:

#### **1. Professional Goals/College Choice**

Describe the professional goals you would like to achieve in two to four years. If you are enrolling in a particular program, tell us why you have chosen this course of study. If you are enrolling in a general program, please tell us how this will help you meet your goals.

#### **2. Accomplishments (Personal, Professional and Academic)**

Please describe your personal and/or professional accomplishments of which you are most proud. This can be, but isn't limited to, organizations/activities outside of school in which you have participated, leadership position you have held in organizations, academic and other awards received, etc.

#### **3. Community Involvement**

Please describe your involvement in community related activities or groups. This would include community volunteering or service that is either formal or informal and is done in consultation with local nonprofit, governmental, and community-based organizations.

#### **4. Financial Need**

Please describe your circumstances regarding financial need and the impact the scholarship will have upon your situation.