

## Fort Bend Republican Women



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### **2024 Scholarship Application**

### Fort Bend Republican Women's Club

The Fort Bend Republican Women's Club PAC offers a \$1,000 Scholarship to young women (ages 17-22) planning to attend, or attending, college, technical school, or other certified educational pursuits. This scholarship is merit based, with the essay being the determining factor. Grades may be a factor only in the case of a "tie."

The deadline for submission of all materials electronically is by 11:59 p.m. on March 31, 2024. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.

#### Requirements:

- Applicant must be a female who can provide proof of residency in Fort Bend County, Texas.
- Proof of status as student enrolled in an accredited high school, technical college, undergraduate or professional college/university. If the student is a high school student who is homeschooled, the applicant must provide proof of enrollment status by submitting a Verification of Enrollment and Attendance Form (VOE) provided by the Texas Education Agency.
- Completed application form with all required attachments is required electronically.
- Copy of high school or post-secondary unofficial transcript with certified GPA of at least 2.5/4.0 or equivalent.
- Applicants age 18 and over must be registered to vote.
- *Must be able to attend the event for presentation if awarded.*
- Please be sure to place your title on your essay and use the proper essay format.

The application and supporting information become the property of the Fort Bend County Republican Women's Club PAC. The scholarship recipient is required to attend the FBRWC meeting when the scholarship will be officially awarded (currently anticipated to occur in May 2024). A letter providing club information and meeting time/location will be sent to the recipient.

Please submit the completed application and required supporting documents, electronically to <a href="Scholarship.fbrwc@gmail.com">Scholarship.fbrwc@gmail.com</a> no later than March 31, 2024. Upon receipt of documents, you will be sent a confirmation email. If no confirmation email is received within 48 hours, please call Laurie Meredith at 281-851-2165 and leave a message for verification.

Questions, please contact: Scholarship.fbrwc@gmail.com

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Please note Field sizes are restricted - if you need additional space, please attach an additional page(s) to this application.

I. Personal Information					
Name (Last Name, First Name):					
Address:					
City and Zip:					
Cell Phone:					
Birthdate (MM/DD/YYYY):					
Email address					
Are you a Young Affiliate Member of	YES	NO			
Fort Bend Republican Women's Club?					
Are you a U.S. citizen? (Circle one)	YES	NO			
If 18 or older, are you registered to	YES	NO			
vote?					
If a minor student: Parent's Name:					
Facebook and/or Instagram					
USERNAME – for vetting purposes					

II. Educational Background: Provide information on High School(s), Technical School and /or University or College(s) attended						
School	LOCATION	DATES ATTENDED				

III. Finances (provide best estimate if you are unsure about specific dollar amounts)					
Student's gross annual income*					
Amount of Savings for Student Education					
Loans / Scholarships Confirmed					
Student anticipated financial responsibility					
Student Tuition expenses					
Student Books / Supplies expenses					
Room & Board					
Other expenses					

<sup>\*</sup>If student is a minor, provide Parent Annual Income.



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#### **PART IV – EXPERIENCE RESUME:**

Please attach a one-page resume listing your work experience, specific community service and non-academic activities. For verification purposes, please include dates, Supervisor / club sponsor name(s), and contact information where relevant.

#### PART V – ESSAYS:

Write a narrative (a minimum of 750 words) on one of the Topics below (Essays should be typed, not handwritten). Please place the topic choice at the top of the essay.

- 1. Topic A: Reflect on your life so far. Who or what has been the greatest influence on your life and why?
- 2. Topic B: How have conservative/Republican values impacted your life or the lives of those around you? Please explain.
- 3. Topic C: Describe your thoughts on the following topics: The power to lead begins with the individual.
- 4. Topic D: Describe your thoughts on the following topics: The importance of the U.S. Constitution.
- 5. Topic E: Describe why you love being an American. Be specific. Use your own words and examples.

#### **PART VI – REFERENCE LETTER:**

Attach one letter of reference from a spiritual leader, school official, recent employer or non-family member. Please be sure their signature is on the document. Letters without signature will not be considered.

#### **AFFIRMATION:**

If there are any changes to my educational plan, I will notify the FBRWC Scholarship Chair Scholarship.fbrwc@gmail.com of those changes as soon as possible. I agree that I will abide by the conditions of acceptance for the granted award and will participate in an interview process, if requested. I agree to permit the FBRWC to use my name and photo for publicity and promotional purposes, including on social media.

The information provided in this application is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and accurate in its entirety. I understand that incomplete or inaccurate applications will not be considered for a scholarship. I also understand this information will be reviewed and may be verified by the FBRWC Scholarship Committee, if necessary.

Complete Student S	ignature:	Date:
Parent Signature: _		Date:

Parent signature required if under 18 years old.