



**THE CITY OF ROANOKE, TEXAS
PARKS AND RECREATION
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
2025**

General Information:

A scholarship of up to \$1500 is available for application to all current high school seniors who are candidates for high school graduation and reside inside the city limits of Roanoke.

The recipient must be enrolling full-time (at least 12 hours) in post secondary education. Post secondary education shall be construed to mean full time status at any accredited university, college, junior/community college, vocational-trade/technical school or business school.

Awards will be paid directly to the post secondary education school of his/her choice in the student's name. Proof of admission will be required in writing for the semester following graduation from high school (same year) on or before August 1st.

The finalist may be scheduled for an interview.

The scholarship award announcement will be made in late April or early May and the winner will be contacted by telephone.

In the event that the winner receives a full scholarship, the money from the scholarship will be awarded to an alternate.

Essay:

Write a typed essay with a maximum length of one page on how and why this scholarship will benefit you and how you will benefit from this scholarship. Include any information you feel necessary. Examples: hobbies and leisure activities, any honors, awards or special recognition you have received during your high school years, high school extracurricular activities in which you have participated, community or service projects in which you have participated during your high school years, any employment experience, any college credits you have already earned, why you want a college education, your career plans, future goals, any circumstances that may have a bearing on your financial need, etc.

This completed scholarship application with your essay attached must be submitted to Mr. Ray McDonald, City of Roanoke Parks and Recreation Director, at the Roanoke Recreation Center, 501 Roanoke Road, Roanoke, Texas 76262 or e-mailed to rmdonald@roanoketexas.com prior to 5:00 pm on March 28, 2025.

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Personal Information

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____ Telephone #: _____

Name of secondary education school you wish to attend:

School: _____ Major: _____

Education Information

School you are currently attending: _____

Grade Point Average: _____ Approximate Class Rank: # _____ of _____

SAT Verbal: _____ SAT Math: _____ SAT Composite: _____ ACT

English: _____ ACT Math: _____ ACT Science: _____

ACT Reading: _____ ACT Composite: _____

Signature of High School official information:

_____ Date: _____

Title: _____ Telephone #: _____

References

List three references (school, organization, employer, personal, etc.) that would be able to recommend you for this scholarship.

1. _____ Telephone #: _____

2. _____ Telephone #: _____

3. _____ Telephone #: _____

Community Service

What are some community service projects that you have participated in? _____

Approximate # of hours of community service: _____ hours