
ESTES PARK WESTERN HERITAGE YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP FUND CRITERIA AND APPLICATION

A scholarship fund has been established in order to acknowledge the contributions and promote the education of graduating high school seniors whose contributions to the community reflect and support the mission of Estes Park Western Heritage, Inc. Scholarships will be awarded annually and will be paid directly to an institution in which the recipient(s) are enrolled. A scholarship committee consisting of members of Estes Park Western Heritage, Inc. will review applications and determine awards based on the qualifications of applicants. Awards may vary based on available funds and the needs of the recipient(s). The following criteria will be used:

- 📌 Exceptional service that reflects the mission of Estes Park Western Heritage, Inc.
- 📌 Acceptance to an accredited institution of higher education or an accredited trade school.

Complete applications must be submitted no later than March 15th of the applicant's senior academic year. The application process may include an interview with one or more members of the selection committee. Applications will be processed and applicants notified of their status within two months. Funding will be dispersed directly to the institution at which the recipient has been accepted and enrolled.

Estes Park Western Heritage Youth Scholarship Fund Application

Eligibility Requirements

All applicants must meet the following eligibility criteria:

Each applicant or recipient:

1. Must have fulfilled or be currently fulfilling high school graduation requirements.
2. Must attend either a technical, 2-year or 4-year accredited educational institution.
3. Must complete the scholarship program application in its entirety and submit it on or before the stated deadline.

Application Instructions

1. Scholarship deadline: March 15 of the applicant's high school senior year.
2. Refer to page four (4) of this application for a list of the supporting documents needed (reference, transcript, etc.). Incomplete applications will be returned.
3. If any question does not apply to you, please put N/A in the space.
4. The letter of reference must be written by an individual who is not related to you.
5. You will be notified by mail regarding the status of your application.
6. If you have any questions about the application, please contact the EPWH Youth Scholarship chairman at scholarship@rooftoprodeo.com.

Application

Please type your answers. If application is illegible it will be returned to you.

Last Name:

First Name:

Middle Name:

Mailing Address:

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Daytime Telephone Number: ()

Date of Birth: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

Name of High School: _____

School Address: _____

Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale)

Attach proof of GPA. Your most recent official school transcript required.

High school counselor signature: _____ Date: _____

Academic honors, awards, high school, community service and/or organizational activities:

Please list the positions held during your service to Estes Park Western Heritage (if applicable):

Year	Position
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): Use reverse side of application if you need more space.

Name(s): _____

Street: _____ **City:** _____ **State:** ____ **ZIP:** _____

Home phone of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): _____

List the names of two additional references (excluding the individual who wrote your reference letter).

Phone

Address

A.

B.

What specialty/major do you plan to major in as you continue your education?

Essay Question: Please type your response to the following question and attach to your applications (500 words).

The mission of Estes Park Western Heritage, Inc. is “To support the Rooftop Rodeo and preserve and promote the western heritage a of the Estes Valley.” What have you done that supports the mission of EPWH?

- A. The following items must be attached to this application in order for the application to qualify to be reviewed by the scholarship committee.

	One letter of reference - Attach this reference letter from your teacher(s), counselor, or community leader who can attest to your academic, social, or personal attributes in a sealed envelope.
	Official high school transcript
	Typed 500 word essay
	Copy of birth certificate
	One 3” x 5” or 4” x 6” color photograph of the applicant

- B. Your application will be returned to you if these items are not attached to this application.

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent that my picture may be taken and used for any purpose deemed necessary to promote the Estes Park Western Heritage Youth Scholarship Fund.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____

Date: _____

Mail application and attachments to:

Estes Park Western Heritage Youth Scholarship Fund
Estes Park Western Heritage, Inc.
P.O. Box 1852
Estes Park, Colorado 80517