



2021 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Mission

The Vermont Golf Association Scholarship Fund assists deserving Vermont resident students in obtaining a college education or technical training of university grade.

The Vermont Golf Association Scholarship Fund, a 501(c) 3 nonprofit organization, awards a minimum of 10 Scholarships to Vermont High School Graduates for up to four years to help further their education.

Requirements

- Be a resident of the State of Vermont and graduating from high school
- Identify your overall financial need
- Enrolled in, or accepted as a full-time student at a college, university or technical school of university grade
- Have a current and active affiliation with the game of golf such as competing on a golf team, working at a golf course, and/or participating in golf programs or events

General Instructions

Please fill out Application form on line and submit with following Required Supporting Documents: If you can't complete on line please mail to address listed below. Contact information is critical, please include your phone# and/or email address on application. Supporting document must be submitted!!! System is set up to have you upload and attach supporting documents when filling out application.

- Official signed transcript of high school grades including actual or approximate class rank, G.P.A. and SAT scores and/or A.C.T. scores
- You must have filed a Free Application for Students Aid (FAFSA) and must include a copy of Expected Family Contribution (EFC) page (We do not need the whole document)
- Cost of institution you are attending and financial package they are providing
- At least three dated letters of recommendation
 - One attesting to academic standing
 - One attesting to affiliation with the game of golf
 - One personal reference
- You may be asked to participate in an interview

Please fill application out on-line at (<https://vgasf.org>) or if needed MAIL information to:

The Vermont Golf Association Scholarship Fund
145 Pine Haven Shores Road
Suite 2172
Shelburne, Vt. 05482
vga@vtga.org questions email pj3murray@gmail.com

You may use additional pages for other pertinent information.
Applications must be submitted no later than Monday May 3, 2021.

Please make sure your contact information is available
Incomplete Applications will not be reviewed.

Section 1 - Personal & Contact Information

Full Name _____ Age _____

Mailing Address _____

Home Phone # _____ Mobile Phone # _____ Email Address _____

Father's Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Legal Guardian: _____ Occupation: _____

Address: _____ Tel No: _____

<u>Brothers/Sisters</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>School/College Attending</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Section 2 - High School Educational Performance Results -Supporting documentation must accompany application

GPA: _____ out of _____ SAT or ACT: Total _____ Verbal _____ Math _____

ACT Score _____ Class Rank: _____ of _____ and/or Percentile of Graduating Class _____

Section 3 - Tell us about yourself - Including career aspiration & goals (100-150 words)

List school activities in which you have participated (including any leadership positions you have held)

List community activities in which you have participated including office and/or position of leadership:

Section 4 - Affiliation with Golf - Letter of showing affiliation needs to be attached.

Play on High School Golf Team ____yes ____ # of year's _____ GHIN# & handicap_____

List any junior events or other tournaments you have participated in: _____

Work at Golf Club or other golf related job (if so, what position): _____

Where do you play most of your golf? _____

Describe what role golf plays in your life (100 - 150 words): _____

Section 5 - Present & Past Employment - Use separate sheet if necessary

List all present and past employment, beginning with most recent:

<u>Employer:</u>	<u>From Month/Year:</u>	<u>To Month/Year</u>	<u>Reason for leaving</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Section 6 - College/University Information

College/University/School you will attend? _____

What factors went into your decision to choose this school? _____

Section 7 - Financial Information - Supporting documentation must accompany application

EFC AMOUNT FROM STUDENT AID REPORT (SAR) _____

Describe the financial package given by the school you have chosen and how you will afford the difference between the awards and the total cost of the school:

Annual School Cost: Tuition: \$ _____ Room & Board: \$ _____ Other Expenses: \$ _____

Financial Package Amount: Scholarships: \$ _____ Grants: \$ _____ Loans: \$ _____

Work Study: \$ _____ Other: \$ _____

Other scholarships and grants have you received? _____

How much money have you saved toward your education? \$ _____

Describe your "need" to receive a VGA Scholarship: _____

You may include additional pages with this application if there is not enough space above for your answers, or to give us other pertinent information.

All of the following information must be submitted with this application:

**Signed high school transcript
Dated letters of recommendation and affiliation with golf
Copy of SAR which shows Expected Family Contribution - Cover page
Financial award letter issued by the school you plan to attend**

APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY Monday, May 3, 2021

ALL INFORMATION IN THIS APPLICATION IS CONFIDENTIAL

Today's Date _____

Student Signature _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____