



South Hampton Golf Association Scholarship Application

1. DEADLINE for scholarship applications is **March 31 (of each calendar year)**.
2. Refer to the application process below for a list of the supporting documents needed (i.e., reference forms, evidence of GPA, etc.) Incomplete applications will not be considered.
3. If any question does not apply to you in this application, please put N/A in the space.
4. Type or print legibly. Illegible applications will not be considered.
5. You will be notified by phone or mail in May regarding the status of your application.

PURPOSE

The South Hampton Golf Association Scholarship was established in 2017. The mission of the scholarship is to provide financial assistance in the form of an annual scholarship to students pursuing higher level education who also possess a love for the game of golf and exude the qualities the game represents including integrity, respect, confidence, and responsibility. Preference will be given to students who attended high school in St. Johns County. The SHGA Scholarship principally targets first year students with a shown commitment to the game of golf and its principles.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE is based on academic performance, leadership potential, and participation in golf activities. Scholarships are awarded annually provided funds are available.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

The South Hampton Golf Association awards scholarships based on a comprehensive process. Areas that are reviewed by the committee include but are not limited to the following: Academic Accomplishments, Community Service, References, Personal Essay and Financial Need. The Club pays scholarship funds directly to the recipient. Scholarships are awarded annually. The South Hampton Golf Association Scholarships are awarded without regard to race, color, ethnicity, gender or sexual orientation. Scholarships awarded are based upon the availability of funds and additional qualifying criteria.

CRITERIA

- Applicants must be completing or have completed high school successfully with a minimum unweighted GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
- Applicants must be accepted as a full-time student at a college or university for the upcoming academic semester. If scholarship money is awarded, this is the only program that will receive the funds on behalf of the applicant.

CRITERIA Continued

- Applicants must be a citizen or legal permanent resident of the United States.
- Consideration will be given to students who are members, or students of parents/relatives that are members or have an affiliation with The Golf Club at South Hampton.
- Applicants must complete and submit a Scholarship Application **by March 31 (of each calendar year)**.

TIMELINE

- Applications are due March 31 of the current calendar year.
- Candidates may be asked for an interview by the Scholarship Committee conducted in early April.
- Applicants are notified if awarded a scholarship by May 31 (of each calendar year).

Application Process

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS MUST PROVIDE:

- Completed application form.
- Official proof of academic standing.
- A current, signed/dated letter of academic reference from a guidance counselor or teacher.
- A current, signed/dated letter of reference from an employer or other community member.
- Proof of acceptance at an academic school for post-secondary studies.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

- Awards will be given by July 15 (of each calendar year).
- Award amounts will be distributed after all requirements are met.

Please drop off or mail the completed application and all required documentation to:

SHGA Scholarship Program
South Hampton Golf Association
The Golf Club at South Hampton
315 South Hampton Club Way
St. Augustine, FL 32092

Applications must be filled out by applicant.

Please check one of the following:

New Scholarship applicant _____

Repeat Scholarship Applicant _____

Please type on a separate sheet or print your answers below. Illegible applications will not be considered.

1	Last Name: _____	First Name: _____
2	Mailing Address: Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____	
3	Daytime Telephone Number: () Email address: _____	
4	High School Attended: _____	Number of years attended HS: _____
5	I will be attending the following school in the Fall : _____ Address/ Phone _____	
6	What year will you enter school? Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate Level	
7	Will you be a full-time student? _____	
8	Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale) Attach proof of GPA; your most recent official school transcript required.	
9	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 parents or legal guardians: _____	
10	What specialty/major do you plan to major in as you continue your education?	

11	List the name of any college you have attended:					
			Year Began	Year Ended	Year Graduated	Type of Degree Received
	A.					
	B.					

Please list the following information on a separate sheet if needed.

12	SCHOOL EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: Please list school extracurricular activities in which you have participated. Note leadership roles and dates.
13	AREA OF STUDY: What do you want to study and why?
14	ORGANIZATIONS: Please list community organizations such as service, volunteer and religious organizations in which you are now active or have previously been active. Note leadership roles and dates.
15	RECOGNITIONS: Please list important awards and recognitions received. Note organizations presenting honor and date.
16	GOALS: What are the short- and long-term goals for your life?
17	GOLF HISTORY: Please explain your affiliation with The Golf Club at South Hampton as well as all other golf-related activities.
18	CAREER PLANS: What are your career plans and what would you like to be doing in 10 years?

19	A. The following items must accompany this application for the application to qualify to be reviewed by the scholarship committee. B. Your application will not be considered if these items are not received to support your application. (No exceptions.) C. Circle "YES" or "NO" to be sure you have attached each item as required or if they are being sent separately.		
	YES	NO	Two current and signed reference forms. Mail your references with the application to the Scholarship Committee: The Golf Club at South Hampton South Hampton Golf Association Attn: SHGA Scholarship Committee 315 South Hampton Club Way St. Augustine, FL 32092
	YES	NO	Proof of college acceptance or current student enrollment. A letter of college acceptance or program acceptance is required for receipt of funds.
	YES	NO	Most recent high school or college transcript.
	YES	NO	Answers to questions 1-18.

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above-mentioned information provided by me to the South Hampton Golf Association Scholarship Committee is true, complete and without forgery. I also agree that my picture may be taken and used for any purpose deemed necessary to promote the South Hampton Golf Association Scholarship Program.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to scholarship policy, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ Date: _____

The deadline for this application to be received by South Hampton Golf Association Scholarship Committee is

March 31(of each calendar year)