



Hackensack Lions Club Scholarship Instructions

The Hackensack Lions Club has established a scholarship award for college or vocational education. The purpose of this scholarship is to assist students in pursuit of their academic or vocational advancement. The scholarship funds are to be used for tuition and related fees.

ELIGIBILITY / QUALIFICATIONS

The applicant must be a resident of the **Hackensack area** (as determined by the committee) and must also be either;

1. A graduating high school senior.
2. A graduating student from a certified home school program.
3. A HS graduate (or equivalent) enrolled in their 1st year of a qualified college or vocational program.

AWARD IS BASED ON

1. Completed application received by April 30 of the current year.
2. 3 Letters of recommendations (no more than 2 from High School or education sources).
3. High School (or equivalent) transcript.
4. Academic achievement.
5. Statement of educational and personal goals.
6. Consideration of need for financial assistance.

AMOUNT OF AWARD AND RECIPIENT

Three \$1500 scholarships for traditional college applicants.

Three \$1500 scholarships for vocational/technical schools.

The amounts and availability of awards is always at the discretion of the Hackensack Lions Club and the Lions Scholarship committee and may be changed at any time before awarding.

AWARD ALLOCATION

Scholarship funds will be distributed upon proof of the student's successful completion of their first term. Successful completion (2.0 or better GPA or C average for completed classes) to be verified by submission of an official school transcript to a member of the Lions Scholarship Committee after their first term.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Applicants must complete the application form, provide the information and letters of recommendation requested, and submit a school transcript of credits with the application form.

The completed application form, transcript, and recommendations should be submitted to Guidance Counselor at your High School to forward to, or sent to the following address:

Hackensack Lions Scholarship Committee
Attn: Bill Kennedy
516 Hwy 371 S
Hackensack MN 56452

Application forms are available at the High School Guidance Counselor Office or they may be obtained from the Hackensack Lions Club.