



Scholarship Application Process

DEADLINE, FEBRUARY 1, 2023

APPLICATION PROCESS:

WHO MAY APPLY:

- The scholarship is available to either a secondary senior or any post-secondary student who plans to continue or further his/her education in the healthcare field.
- The applicant must be currently enrolled in a healthcare pathway.
- The applicant must be an active member of HOSA.
- The applicant must be a HOSA member in good standing.

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The application must be submitted through [TALLO](#). by the **deadline, February 1, 2023**, to be considered.

Mailed or faxed applications will NOT be accepted.

Incomplete and late submissions will NOT be considered.

- All applications are reviewed by a designated scholarship selection committee. The selection committee will make the final decision on all scholarship awards.
- The amount and number of the scholarships will vary from year to year.
- The winners of South Carolina HOSA scholarship awards will be announced at the state leadership conference (SLC). You are encouraged, but not required, to attend the SLC to receive a scholarship award.
- The scholarship award will be forwarded directly to the school, college, or university upon receipt of documentation verifying the recipient's enrollment at that school, college or university. Also, if awarded a scholarship, you are required to complete a [Transfer Funds Form](#).

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The following items **MUST** be included as part of the online scholarship application and uploaded where indicated by the deadline, **February 1, 2023**.

If items require a signature, you must print the form, get the appropriate signature(s), scan and upload as indicated in the online application.

All uploaded pages must have applicant's name and specified document title at the top of each page. All documents must be in PDF format.

1. *Further Education*—Indicate the post-secondary healthcare program, course of study or major, and the college/university you plan to attend.
 - a. If an acceptance letter is available, upload a pdf copy as indicated in the TALLO application.
 - b. If not available, please upload a statement indicating not currently available and describe your plans.
2. Transcript of grades
3. *List your HOSA **ONLY** leadership roles and activities.* Evidence of leadership responsibilities and characteristics should be represented by including offices held, awards received and personal involvement. These activities and roles should include the year that you participated. Activities for the current year should be listed separately. See table 1 below for example.
4. *List all **OTHER** school leadership roles, activities, honors, educational societies or offices held, indicating the quality of your academic performance/leadership, **NOT** related to HOSA.* See table 2 below for example.
5. *Community-Involvement:* include your community service activities, volunteer experience, time invested and a description of each activity. See table 3 below for example.
6. *Personal Statement – How HOSA has played a part in your future goals.*
 - a. Describe three exemplary qualities gained through your HOSA experiences
 - b. How you can use them in your future college or community career.

7. **Three** reference letters are required.
- a. References may be provided by the following:
 - i. A teacher, advisor, principal, or school counselor
 - ii. An employer or community leader
 - iii. A source other than a relative
 - b. References should include:
 - i. Individual’s knowledge of the applicant’s scholarship, leadership abilities, interpersonal skills and character.
 - ii. Name, email address and phone number of the reference writer must be included in the reference letter.
 - iii. The names and email addresses of your references should be included in your TALLO uploads.
 - c. Reference letters must be submitted through this [link](#) by the posted deadline on the SC HOSA Calendar.

If you do not receive a confirmation email or have any questions, please contact, schosa@outlook.com

Good Luck!

Table 1: Please follow this format on the document you will upload for # 3 above

Your name & document name		
Current School year activities	HOSA Office held/Committee/Activity/Membership	Responsibility
Prior School year activities	HOSA Office held/Committee/Activity/Membership	Responsibility

Table 2: Please follow this format on the document you will upload for #4 above

Your name & document name		
Year	Other School Related – Non HOSA Leadership Activities	Responsibility

Table 3: Please follow this format on the document you will upload for #5 above

Your name & document name			
Year	Community Activity/Event	How you were involved	Time Invested