



Vietnamese American Community of Greater Dallas

Cộng Đồng Người Việt Quốc Gia tại Dallas và các vùng Phụ Cận

A Non-Profit Organization 501©-(3) ❖ 3221 Beltline Rd., Garland, TX 75044 ❖ 972.666.1168
www.congdongdallas.org ❖ facebook: Cong Dong Dallas ❖ vacofdallas@gmail.com

Scholarship Application

Application due date: June 30th, 2024

PURPOSE: The Vietnamese American Community of Greater Dallas (VACGD) Scholarship was re-established in 2024. The mission of the scholarship is to provide financial assistance to high school seniors of Vietnamese descendant who plan to enroll full-time at an accredited US College and University. Scholarships will be awarded based on academic performance, low-income & high-performing student, and participation in community services. This scholarship is a one-time award of \$1,000.00. Applications are due in June 30th, 2024.

To be eligible, applicants must:

- *Be Vietnamese Descendant*
- *Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident and a legal resident of North Texas.*
- *Hold a minimum 3.0 GPA*
- *Be a graduating high school senior planning to attend a two or four-year accredited academic institution*
- *Applicants must complete and submit a Scholarship Application postmarked by June 30th, 2024*

Applicants must provide:

- *Completed application form.*
- *Official high school transcript in a sealed envelope from the institution.*
- *Two letters of recommendation.*
- *Proof of acceptance at an academic, vocational or technical school for post-secondary studies.*
- *Proof of family's income (Optional)*

Timeline:

- *Applications are due June 30th, 2024*
- *Applicants will be notified of their finalist status in July and acceptance in August.*

Submit application to:

VACGD - Scholarship Program
3221 Belt Line Road
Garland, TX 75044

Contact VACGD anytime with questions:

Email: vacofdallas@gmail.com
Phone: (972) 666-1168

Application 2024 - Must be filled out by applicant (Incomplete applications will not be considered)

1	First Name: _____ Last Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Gender: _____	
2	Parent(s) or legal guardian(s) Name: _____ Phone: _____	Name: _____ Phone: _____
3	Mailing Address: Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zipcode: _____ Cell phone: _____ Other: _____ Email address: _____	
4	Current High School: _____ Graduation date: _____ Cell phone: _____ Email: _____ Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale) (Official school transcript required) ACT Score: _____ (Official score sheet required) SAT Score: _____ (Official score sheet required)	
5	What college/university will you be attending in the Fall of 2024: _____ Will you be a full time student? _____ Major: _____	

6	<p>Are you receiving other financial aid or support for the upcoming academic year? _____</p> <p>If yes, please list _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
7	<p>Family's Annual Income: _____</p>

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

8	<p>VACGD: Do you have any VACGD affiliations (Relative working for VACGD)? Yes / No If yes, How are you affiliated?</p>
9	<p>SCHOOL EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: Please list school extra-curricular activities in which you have participated. Note leadership roles and dates.</p>
10	<p>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.</p>

11	RECOGNITIONS: Please list important awards and recognitions received. Note organizations presenting honor and date.
12	GOALS: What are the short and long term goals for your life?
13	NEED: Please explain your need for the VACGD Scholarship

14

WRITE A SHORT ESSAY ON ONE OF THE FOLLOWING TOPICS:

- ❖ With your current social position, what and how can you change your community?
- ❖ What have you done to make a difference in the community?
- ❖ What will you do 5 years from now to make a positive impact to the community?

Extra credit topic:

- ❖ What is the significance of April 30th 1975? How did your family escape Vietnam?

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me to the VIETNAMESE AMERICAN COMMUNITY OF GREATER DALLAS & VICINITIES Scholarship Committee is true, correct and without forgery. I also consent that my picture may be taken and used for any purpose deemed necessary to promote the VACGD Scholarship Program.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, 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 must be
Postmarked by June 30th, 2024 No exceptions!**