

2024 YAKIMA ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS®
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Application opens: Tuesday, February 13, 2024
Deadline to apply: 5:00 pm PST on Tuesday, April 16, 2024

SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE FOR: Academic Endeavor, Event or Education
(excludes sports-related and similar extra-curricular activities)

ELIGIBILITY: Dependents under the age of 25, of YAR members and affiliates, in pursuit of academic degrees. Preference will be given to candidates in under-graduate programs.
(Not available for continuing education license requirements)

CRITERIA: Financial Need
Educational Plans
Grades
Applicant traits that coincide with REALTOR® standards.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICATION:

- **APPLICANT MUST** Complete all forms.
- **APPLICANT MUST** Submit **two (2)** professional and/or academic references from persons most familiar with your background and abilities. Your references need to reflect your specific qualifications as they relate to the scholarship for which you are applying. These qualifications will be carefully examined to determine eligibility based on the above referenced criteria.
- **APPLICANT MUST** Include a copy of your grade records depicting classes taken and overall GPA.
- **APPLICANT MUST** Include a written essay of a minimum of 250 words, pertaining to your educational and/or career goals and how this scholarship award will help you achieve said goals. *Essay must be received with the applicant's scholarship application.

**** Applications must be submitted in person or be sent by USPS, postal mail. All application materials must be received together, by the deadline of April 16, 2024. Late scholarship applications, and / or those missing required application materials will NOT be accepted. ****

Mail or deliver to:
Yakima Association of REALTORS®
Attn: Scholarship Committee
2707 River Road
Yakima, WA 98902

Yakima Association of REALTORS® Scholarship Application

Applicant Information

Full Name: _____ Date: _____
Last First M.I.

Address: _____
Street Address Apartment / Unit #

City State ZIP Code

Phone: ()

Education

High School: Address:
Yes No
From: To: Did you graduate? GPA:

College: Address:
Yes No
From: To: Did you graduate? Degree:

Other: Address:
Yes No
From: To: Did you graduate? Degree:

Personal and/or Academic References

Please list two references and provide these references with Personal Reference forms:

Full Name: Relationship:
Company: Phone: ()
Address:

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Current and Previous Employment

Company: _____ Phone: () _____
Address: _____ Supervisor: _____
Job Description: _____
From: _____ To: _____

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Relationship to Yakima Association of REALTORS®

Name of Member: _____ Member's Employer: _____
Relationship to Member: _____

Disclaimer and Signature

I certify that my answers and my relationship to an active member of the Yakima Association of REALTORS® are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

If this application leads to award of a scholarship, I understand that false or misleading information in my application or interview may result in revocation of my award.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Personal Reference Form

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Thank you for your input and time involved in providing a reference for the Yakima Association of REALTORS® Scholarship.

Please use your personal knowledge to respond to questions. If using additional paper, please number responses accordingly.

Applicant / Candidate Full Name: _____

- 1. In what capacity and how long have you known or been acquainted with the applicant?**

- 2. In your opinion is the applicant qualified to receive the scholarship and why or why not?**

- 3. Please describe the applicant's overall ethics and character.**

4. Do you have knowledge of the applicant's goals... educational, personal and their progress toward those goals? Have there been any specific challenges he / she has overcome while pursuing their goals?

5. What would you consider to be the applicant's strengths (personal, educational or personal life)? Please be as specific as you can and provide examples.

On a scale of 1-5, with 5 being the highest, please rate the applicant.

Dependable	_____
Motivated	_____
Strong sense of responsibility	_____
Strength of character	_____
Clear Goals	_____
Inspiration to others	_____

6. Do you have any additional comments or information to be considered?

Thank you again for your time on behalf of the applicant.

Signature **Date**

Title / Organization

Phone Number **Address**

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**YAR Scholarship Fund
APPLICANT PERSONAL STATEMENT**

Name of Applicant

Please write a 250-word essay relating to your educational and/or career goals, in which you discuss significant experiences, community involvement and the qualities of character and leadership important to achieving your goals. Highlight those personal accomplishments, achievements and experiences that have helped form your character. Be sure to comment on your aspirations in terms of your educational and career goals.

Finally, explain the difference receiving a scholarship would make in your life. Personal statements will be used by the scholarship committee to select award recipients.

