



# The Marina Foundation

## Scholarship Common Application for Marina High School

### Application for Scholarship

(Please print or type)

Each year, these scholarships award two scholarships to qualified graduating Marina High School students. Each scholarship is granted based on verification of school enrollment and gives preference to those students with exceptional community service.

**Choose (by checking the box) which scholarships you want to apply for and submit a response to the question for each of the scholarships, using pages 4 through 7 of this application. Answer those questions that correspond to the scholarships for which you are applying.**

1) **The Marina Founders Scholarship** (formally The Don Livermore Scholarship)

A one-page response to the question (see page 4 to respond): "How has what you've done so far prepared you to achieve your goals?"

2) **The Capt. Gordon R. Nakagawa Scholarship**

A type-written response (500-word minimum-600-word maximum) about either one of the following topics (see page 5 to respond): "How I Demonstrate Patriotism to the United States of America" or "How I Serve My Community".

3) **The Timothy C. Wheelis Memorial Scholarship**

A one-page response to the question (see page 6 to respond): "How has your education contributed to who you are today and what you want to do in the future?"

4) **The Wight Family Scholarship**

A one-page response to the question (see page 7 to respond): "Tell us about your perseverance. What obstacle have you faced and how have you or are you overcoming it?"

### **Scholarship Requirements:**

1. Student must be a graduating senior at Marina High School.
2. Student must have a 3.0 Grade Point Average (GPA) minimum. (Students with a GPA as low as 2.8 may also apply with a recommendation from a Marina High faculty/staff member)

### **Application Requirements:**

1. A complete application.
2. A current transcript and cumulative GPA
3. A letter of recommendation from a Marina High School faculty or staff member.
4. A one-page response to the questions for each scholarship. Responses should be typewritten and should include a heading that contains the applicant's name, address, and telephone number (beginning on page 4 of this application).

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Address of Parent or Legal Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

If in the AVID program: Which grade levels were you in AVID? (Check all that apply)

8<sup>th</sup>                  9<sup>th</sup>                  10<sup>th</sup>                  11<sup>th</sup>                  12<sup>th</sup>                  None

Will you be the first in your family to graduate from high school?    Yes    No

Will you be the first in your family to attend college?                  Yes    No

Number of people in your family: \_\_\_\_\_

College/Trade School you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Major/Educational Goals: \_\_\_\_\_

Career Goals: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any Community Service you have performed: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list any extra-curricular school activities you have participated in (include leadership positions as applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list any special skills or abilities you have (second language, musical talents, athletic ability):

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Please list any other interests or hobbies: \_\_\_\_\_

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Are you employed? If so, in what capacity, where, and for how long?

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Please give a short statement as to why you should be considered for a scholarship. Include any special circumstances that we should be aware of. \*

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**Important: Your signature is required below.**

**I certify that I am a resident of Marina and have answered each question truthfully and carefully. I understand that I must include my essay and my official transcripts with this application for scholarship consideration.**

Signature of applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\* You may attach other relevant materials/information you would like the committee to consider to the end of this document.

Please return the required information **by April 23, 2021** to: The Marina Foundation Scholarship Application, c/o Counseling Office at Marina High School, 298 Patton Parkway, Marina, CA 93933.







