



2022 Scholarship Application Cycle Recommender Questions

For use by high schools, advisers, and community organizations being asked to be a Recommender for the KC Scholars Application

Instructions: Recommenders must complete an online form once the student submits the request via the KC Scholars scholarship portal. They will be asked to enter your name and email address. Printed letters are **not** accepted. Students can begin making requests on January 1. If you feel you are not the best person to complete a Recommendation for a student, you have the option to decline the request and they are able to submit an alternate request.

You will be asked to respond to the prompts below, please limit each response to 100 words.

9th Grade College Saving Match (1 Recommender)

To be completed by a teacher or counselor that the student knew in 7th, 8th, or 9th grade. Recommender cannot be a family member, friend, classmate, or teammate.

1. Describe and provide an example of the applicant's character and good citizenship.
2. Describe and provide an example of the applicant's study habits and commitment to learning.
3. Describe and provide an example of the applicant's desire to attend college.
4. Describe and provide an example of the applicant's motivation as it relates to academic, personal, and career goals.
5. Describe and provide an example of why saving for college is important to the applicant's ability to attend college and to achieve their future goals.
6. Describe and provide an example of the applicant's volunteer participation, involvement in extracurricular activities, leadership experiences, and/or community volunteerism and involvement.

11th Grade Traditional (2 Recommenders)

Recommender #1 must be completed by a teacher or counselor from high school. Recommender #2 can be someone of the student's choice (teacher, counselor, coach, pastor, scout leader, work supervisor, youth director, etc.). Recommender cannot be a family member, friend, classmate, or teammate.

1. Describe and provide an example of the applicant's character and good citizenship.
2. Describe and provide an example of the applicant's study habits and/or commitment to learning.
3. Describe and provide an example of the applicant's desire to attend college.
4. Describe and provide an example of the applicant's preparation for college. Include any participation in college enrichment activities—AP courses, college test prep, dual credit courses, early college, AVID, IB, college access participation.
5. Describe and provide an example of the applicant's participation in employment, in-school or extracurricular activities, leadership experiences, and/or community volunteerism and involvement while in high school.
6. Describe and provide an example of why the KC Scholars scholarship is important to the applicant's ability to attend college and achieve their future goals.

****Recommendations must be completed before a student can submit their application. The deadline for students to complete their application is February 25, 2022.****

After Being Sent a Request



Dear

CSM 2022 has invited you to provide a recommendation on their behalf for a scholarship application for KC Scholars. If this is the first time that you have registered with KC Scholars, please click on the "Give Recommendation" button to create your account.

If you have completed a recommendation for KC Scholars in the past, please login [here](#). You can reset your password on the login page.

Thank you,

KC Scholars

Please click the button below to accept this request and begin working on your recommendation.

[Give recommendation](#)

[I decline to give this recommendation](#)

If the button is not clickable, please copy and paste this URL into your browser's address bar:

<https://apply.kcscholars.org/cmdr/25163715/161700613/startpage>

If you are asked to be a Recommender for a potential KC Scholar, you will receive an initial email asking for your recommendation. If you have been a recommender before, you can log in at the link listed in the email. If you are a new recommender, click "Give Recommendation"

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Log in with

or

Email

Password

[Forgot your password?](#)

You will be brought to a Log In page. Previous recommenders can use the account information they created in the past. If you are new, please click "Register" at the top.

Please contact KC Scholars at info@kcscholars.org or 816.518.5700 with any questions.