



Freedom High School

Local Scholarship

Scholarship Criteria

- All 12th grade students at Freedom High School, Oakley, CA
- Interested in pursuing a career in the water industry (Engineering, Construction, Water Conservation, Finance, Customer Service, Public Affairs, etc.)
- A strong GPA of 3.0 or above
- Participation in extra-curricular activities as it pertains to community outreach and/or environmental awareness *desired*

About Diablo Water District

Diablo Water District is an independent, self-governing local public agency governed by an elected five-member Board of Directors. The District, with a staff of 22 employees, obtains, treats, and supplies water for about 42,000 people and the parks, schools, and businesses throughout a 21-square-mile area consisting of Oakley, Cypress Corridor, and Hotchkis Tract, as well as Summer Lakes, and portions of Bethel Island and Knightsen.

Our mission is to be environmentally responsible stewards of the water resources in our care for the benefit of our community by continually striving to be leaders in: high-quality water, customer service, public engagement, technical innovation, and responsible fiscal management.

We strive to be a valued community resource.

Items to Include with Application

- (1) Essay: In no more than 500 words, please tell us why a future in a water-related career is important to you, how you plan to make an impact, and how this scholarship will help you.
- (1) Letter of Recommendation: *An administrator at FHS preferred (cannot be a relative)*

This opportunity aligns with the District's mission of *public engagement*, the vision of being a *valued community resource*, the value of *we care*, plus the goal of encouraging careers in all aspects of water operations, finance, management, and more.



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Thank you for your interest in our scholarship opportunity. To be considered for one of two \$500 scholarships, please submit your completed application and supplemental documents to our Human Resources Team at hr@diablowater.org by March 30, 2023. All information and required documents must be submitted to be considered for the award. For further information, please refer to our scholarship description. For any questions, please call (925) 625-6586.

Personal Information

First & Last Name: _____ Date: _____

Current Address:

(Number and Street Name)

(City, State, Zip)

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Are you enrolled at Freedom High School: Yes No

Are you in 12th grade? Yes No

Cumulative G.P.A.: _____

Anticipated College Major: _____

School Activities

| Activity | Specific Years | Average Hours Per Month |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| <i>Ex. Leadership</i> | <i>Ex. 2020-current</i> | <i>Ex. 4 hours/month</i> |
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Community Activities

| Activity | Specific Years | Average Hours Per Month |
|--|----------------------|-------------------------|
| <i>Ex. Volunteering at Boys & Girls Club</i> | <i>Ex. 2020-2021</i> | <i>Ex. 1 hour/month</i> |
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Employment History

| Employer (List most recent job first) | Specific Years | Average Hours Per Month |
|--|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| <i>Ex. Al's Groceries</i> | <i>Ex. 2020-current</i> | <i>Ex. 40 hours/month</i> |
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High School Faculty Verification

(Note: School faculty member required to verify applicant's cumulative GPA indicated above.)

Faculty Member's Name: _____

Title: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Verification Signature: _____

Applicant Verification

I certify that the above information is true and correct.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

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