

# **Ellis A&M Club**

## **2024 Scholarship Application**

The Ellis A&M Club seeks to award \$1,000 scholarships to seniors from area high schools that will be attending Texas A&M University in College Station. The club will also consider qualified students planning to transfer to Texas A&M from another college or university, or currently attending Texas A&M University and have not been previously awarded a scholarship from Ellis A&M Club. Additionally anyone who previously attended Texas A&M but had to miss one or more semesters, provided they are otherwise qualified, can apply. To be eligible for consideration, high school graduates and transfers, must have graduated from one of the following high schools:

**Avalon High School**

**Homeschool Students (note 1)**

**Italy High School**

**Life School, Red Oak**

**Maypearl High School**

**Midlothian High School**

**Milford High School**

**Ovilla Christian School**

**Red Oak High School**

**Waxahachie Global High School**

**Waxahachie High School**

**Waxahachie Preparatory Academy**

**Midlothian Heritage High School**

**Waxahachie Family Faith Academy**

**Note 1: Homeschool students must reside within Ellis A&M Club Area of western Ellis County.**

### Scholarship Information

Please submit your application by mail to:

**Ellis A&M Club Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 246, Red Oak, TX 75154**

Scholarship applicants **MUST** reside or have attended high school within the Ellis A&M Club area of western Ellis County. **ALL** applications must be received or postmarked on or before March 29, 2024. Applications postmarked after March 29, 2024 will not be considered. The entire application **MUST** be complete; please be specific and provide additional details where applicable. Attach additional pages as necessary.

If you are planning to participate as a walk-on in any NCAA sport at Texas A&M University, please do not mention that sport in your answers to any of the questions on the scholarship application; feel free to mention any other sports/activities in which you may have participated.

Scholarship applicants will be notified prior to the 2024 Ellis A&M Club annual Aggie Muster. This is one of the many Aggie Traditions held on April 21st each year and includes dinner and a program. This year the event will be held at Park Meadows Baptist Church at 3550 N Hwy 77, Waxahachie, TX 75165 at 5:30 PM. All award winners and parents will be invited as guests of the Ellis A&M Club. Any additional guests are welcome to attend for the \$15 fee that our members pay. Please reach out to Matt McKay via email at [lawofficemckay@tx-law.com](mailto:lawofficemckay@tx-law.com) to RSVP with your number of attendees. Awardees will be recognized at the event.

Scholarship funds will be disbursed directly to Texas A&M University Financial Aid Services for distribution to each scholarship recipient. The Scholarship will be split equally between the fall and spring semesters. The spring stipend will be contingent upon the student having made satisfactory academic progress. (Minimum of 12 credit hours and a GPR of 2.5 or better).

Please attach the following:

- 1.) Your official high school transcript
- 2.) Your SAT or ACT report
- 3.) Two letters of recommendation (not family related)
- 4.) Essay- Why Texas A&M University (one page hand written)

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Soc. Sec.# \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: (PO Box or Street) \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
Graduation Class of \_\_\_\_\_ High school currently attending: \_\_\_\_\_  
Have you applied for admission to Texas A&M University? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_  
What is the status of your application? \_\_\_\_\_  
Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

**HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULUM AND PERFORMANCE**

Class rank \_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_ students  
High school grade average to date \_\_\_\_ Estimated average current semester \_\_\_\_  
Grading Scale: A = \_\_\_\_ points  
SAT Score: Math Verbal \_\_\_\_ Writing \_\_\_\_ Composite \_\_\_\_  
ACT Score: Math Verbal Composite \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY INFORMATION**

Father/Stepfather/Guardian's Name and Occupation  
\_\_\_\_\_

Mother/Stepmother/Guardian's Name and Occupation  
\_\_\_\_\_

Number of siblings living at home \_\_\_\_ Number of siblings in college \_\_\_\_ Annual adjusted income of both parents from last year's income tax return:

Below 30K --30-40K--40-50K--50-60K---60-80K 80-100K ---Over 100K –

Are you willing to provide documentation of the above amounts if requested? Yes \_ No \_

Is either natural parent deceased? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

Are parents separated or divorced? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

If so, is parent living with you remarried Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

**HIGH SCHOOL HONORS & EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

List honors or awards you have received (school related/non-school related):  
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List high school activities and organizations in which you have participated:  
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**List activities and organizations outside of school:**

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**College major and describe your vocational objectives:**

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**STUDENT EMPLOYMENT**

**List of jobs that you have held or work done while in high school:**

**Employer, Type of Work, Starting/Ending Date:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you plan to work while attending college? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_**

**SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION**

**Have you applied for and received other scholarships or financial assistance? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_**

<b>Scholarship or Financial Aid Source/Sponsor</b>	<b>Amount Applied For</b>	<b>Status or Results</b>
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