



Dear Scholarship Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce Ambassador Scholarship. This scholarship, in the amount of \$1,000, is designed to support deserving students in our community as they pursue their educational goals. The funds may be applied toward tuition, books, and/or supplies to help alleviate some of the financial burdens of higher education.

Eligibility and Important Details:

- **This scholarship is a community-based opportunity, open to all students regardless of affiliation with the Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce. No priority will be given to Chamber members or their family members.**
- **Applications must be submitted by April 16 to be considered.**
- **The scholarship recipient will be announced no later than the third week of May.**
- **The winner must consent to having their picture featured on the Chamber's social media platforms and website as part of our recognition efforts.**

This scholarship is made possible by the Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors and is funded through various Ambassador fundraising events, as well as the generous support of community members and businesses who attend/support these events. We are proud to offer this scholarship as part of our commitment to supporting local students in achieving their educational aspirations.

We encourage applicants to showcase their academic achievements, community involvement, and future goals in their application.

For further questions or to submit your application, please contact the Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce & Visitors Bureau. We look forward to reviewing your application and wish you the best in your educational journey.

Sincerely,

**Michelle Nicolaus
Scholarship Coordinator
Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce**

Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Application

Eligibility Requirements:

1. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior from a Copperas Cove School.
2. Applicant must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher (attach official transcript).
3. Scholarship may be used for degree or technical school programs.
4. Applicant must submit a completed application form, including a short essay.

Instructions: Complete all sections of this application. Attach any required documents and submit the application by the deadline. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.

Applicant Information:

- **Full Name:** _____
- **Home Address:** _____
- **City, State, ZIP:** _____
- **Phone Number:** _____
- **Email Address:** _____
- **High School Name:** _____
- **GPA:** _____ (attach transcript)

Post-Graduation Plans:

- **Planned College/Technical School:** _____
 - **Intended Major/Program of Study:** _____
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Essay Prompt:

Write a short essay (300-500 words) addressing the following:

1. What is the purpose of a Chamber of Commerce?
2. How is a Chamber of Commerce beneficial to a community?
3. What is your opinion of what your local Chamber of Commerce does for your community?

Attach your essay as a separate document.

Additional Information (Optional): Please list any community involvement, extracurricular activities, leadership roles, or awards that you feel are relevant to this application.

- Activity/Organization: _____
- Role/Position: _____
- Dates of Involvement: _____

(You may attach a resume if additional space is needed.)

Certification: I certify that all information provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that falsification of any information may result in disqualification.

- Applicant Signature: _____
 - Date: _____
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Submission Information: Submit your completed application, transcript, and essay to the Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce by **April 16, 2025**. Applications may be submitted via email to **Chamber@copperascove.com** or delivered in person or mailed to:

Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce
204 E. Robertson Ave.
Copperas Cove TX 76522

For questions, contact us at **254-547-7571** or **chamber@copperascove.com**

Thank you for applying for the Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce Scholarship! Best of Luck!