

## East Texas CPA Educational Fund, Inc.

### Scholarship Criteria

#### **An applicant for the scholarship must:**

1. Be a full-time college student at the junior, senior or graduate level. (A sophomore may apply if the award is to be made at the start of the junior year.)
2. Have an overall GPA and accounting GPA of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale on all college work undertaken.
3. Have completed 9 hours of accounting. (Principles of accounting can count toward the 9 hours).
4. Be either (a) a permanent resident of the area served by TXCPA East Texas or (b) attend, or plan to attend during the scholarship period, a college in the TXCPA East Texas area. The TXCPA East Texas area is composed of the following 20 counties: Anderson, Angelina, Cherokee, Freestone, Gregg, Harrison, Henderson, Houston, Marion, Nacogdoches, Panola, Rains, Rusk, Sabine, San Augustine, Shelby, Smith, Upshur, Van Zandt, and Wood.
5. Be a declared accounting major.

The award shall be for a period of one academic year, payable one half in the fall semester and one half in the spring semester. The recipient will only need to provide evidence of continued qualification for the spring semester award. Scholarship payments are mailed directly to the educational institution the recipient is attending.

The recipient of the award may apply for succeeding awards if the criteria are met.

Winners will be selected based on grade history and the ability to make a contribution to the accounting profession. The judgment of the selection committee will be final.

A full-time undergraduate student is one who is enrolled for a minimum of 24 semester credit hours from June 2021 through May 2022. A full-time graduate student is one who is enrolled for a minimum of 6 credit hours in each semester of enrollment. A junior is a student having 60 or more semester credit hours.

Completed applications should be either mailed to the address below or emailed to [rshaw@tscpa.net](mailto:rshaw@tscpa.net) and should be received by TXCPA East Texas no later than March 5, 2021. Letters of recommendation may be sent separately by the recommender but must be received by the deadline. Incomplete and/or late applications may not be considered.

**TXCPA East Texas**  
**14651 Dallas Pkwy, Ste 700**  
**Dallas, TX 75254**

Additional information may be obtained by calling the chapter office at 972-687-8670.



Texas Society of  
Certified Public Accountants

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Scholarship Application

Academic Year 2021-2022

**Personal Information**

**Name:**

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<b>Last</b>	<b>First</b>	<b>MI</b>
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**Current Address:**

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**Permanent Address:**

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**Birth Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Identification No.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Telephone No.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Spouse's Name & Address: (if applicable)**

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**Name & Address of Home Newspaper:**

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**Mother's Name & Address:**

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**Father's Name & Address:**

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**Name of High School**

**Date Graduated**

**Class Rank**

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**Colleges Attended**

(REQUIRED: Attach transcripts for all college work through fall semester, 2020)

<b>Name of College</b>	<b>Dates Attended</b>	<b>Number of Semester Hours</b>	<b>GPA</b>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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**Number of accounting semester hours of credit to date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Accounting GPA:** \_\_\_\_\_

**What college will you be attending during the period of the scholarship grant?**

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**Degree sought:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Anticipated graduation date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Specifically, how have you paid for the past year of your education?**

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**Attachments**

1. On a separate page, explain why you believe that you should be awarded this scholarship.
2. Please include two letters of recommendation from persons who are acquainted with your scholastic abilities. If the letters of recommendations will be sent separately by the recommender, please indicate so and state the name of the recommender.
3. Please attach a current resume.
4. Official transcripts