



## Junior League of Tacoma Scholarship Guidelines

**Criteria:** Awarded to a female student either continuing or re-starting her education at an educational institution in Pierce County, Washington, and is committed to using her education to advance her community.

**Award:** Two (2) scholarships in the amount of \$2,500 each will be awarded. This scholarship is non-renewable.

**Application Deadline:** Application and required paperwork must be received by **5 p.m. February 1st, 2026**. Applicants will receive an email confirming receipt of submission. Scholarship recipients will be notified by email in early April.

<https://tacoma.jl.org/scholarship/>

Junior League of Tacoma  
ATTN: Scholarship  
PO Box 7821  
Tacoma, WA 98417

### **Eligibility:**

1. Female identifying student
2. In good academic standing
3. Currently attending or re-enrolling in an accredited undergraduate program (academic and/or vocational) at a 2- or 4-year nonprofit educational-institution in Pierce County, Washington
4. Preference will be given to candidates who are close to completing their education
5. Candidates must demonstrate financial need

### **Application Requirements:**

Submit a complete application on or before **5 p.m. February 1st, 2026**. Please include with your application:

1. Completed pages 2 (Application) and 3 (Activity Data Sheet) of this packet
2. Copy of your transcripts from your current institution (if currently enrolled) and/or any 2- or 4-year colleges previously attended (unofficial transcripts are acceptable)
3. Proof of enrollment (choose one of the following):
  - a. If not yet enrolled, provide a copy of your admission offer showing the term of your admission
  - b. If currently enrolled, provide a printout of your current class schedule
4. Typed answers to the essay questions below
5. Up to two (2) letter(s) of recommendation from people who can speak to how this scholarship will benefit you
  - a. Letter(s) of recommendation may be from teachers/professors, mentors, managers/supervisors, faith leaders, colleagues, or friends. Letter(s) of recommendation may NOT be from family members

### **Essay Questions:**

In 100 words **or more**, please respond to each of the following three questions. Remember that the more information you provide, the more the committee can learn about you and your goals!

1. Please briefly describe your financial need for this scholarship and how the scholarship will help complete your education.
2. Describe your career goals, and how your educational program is preparing you for that line of work.
3. Community is a feeling of fellowship with others as a result of sharing common attitudes, interests, and/or goals. The Junior League of Tacoma is committed to advancing the Tacoma community through service. Tell us how you define your community, and how completing your degree or certificate will help you give back.



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**Junior League of Tacoma Scholarship Application**

<b>Contact Information</b>	
NAME (Last, First, Middle):	DATE OF BIRTH (MM/DD/YYYY):
ADDRESS (Street, City, State, ZIP):	EMAIL ADDRESS:
	PHONE:
ALTERNATE CONTACT NAME: (In case we can't get in touch with you):	
ALTERNATE CONTACT EMAIL ADDRESS:	ALTERNATE CONTACT PHONE:
<b>Educational Information</b>	
SCHOOL NAME (Must Be Currently Enrolled or Admitted for Upcoming Term):	
SCHOOL ADDRESS (Street, City, State, ZIP)	ANTICIPATED GRADUATION DATE:
	COURSES REMAINING UNTIL GRADUATION:
MAJOR/CERTIFICATE PROGRAM/AREA OF STUDY:	ANTICIPATED STARTING TERM:
LINK TO DEGREE PROGRAM DESCRIPTION (COURSE CATALOG/BULLETIN):	
<b>Financial Information</b>	
FAFSA SAI or WASFA SAI (You can view your SAI on your FAFSA or WASFA Submission Summary on the Eligibility Tab) Failure to provide this information will disqualify your application:	
How did you hear about our scholarship?	

***Certification and Agreement***

By signing below, I certify that all information submitted in the application process—including this application and any other supporting materials—is my own work, factually true, and honestly presented, and that these documents will become the property of the **Junior League of Tacoma** and will not be returned to me.

I agree to notify the **Junior League of Tacoma** immediately via email (at [scholarship@jltacoma.org](mailto:scholarship@jltacoma.org)) should there be any change to the information requested in this application.

For questions about your application status, please email [scholarship@jltacoma.org](mailto:scholarship@jltacoma.org).



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Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Activity and College Credits Earned Data Sheet

<b>Extracurricular Obligations</b>			
In this section, please list any employment (part time or full time), as well as any school or volunteer organizations you belong to, as well as the time commitment each requires.			
Activity (Briefly Describe)	Type	Hours	
<i>Example: Chipotle Team Member/Customer Service</i> <i>Greeting customers and completing transactions on cash register</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Employment <input type="checkbox"/> School Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer Organization	10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly <input type="checkbox"/> Yearly
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<b>College Credits Earned</b>			
In this section, please list the names of the colleges attended (full or part time), the years you attended, the number of credits you earned at that college/university, and the number of credits that have transferred into your current degree or certificate program.			
College Name	Months or Years Attended	Credits earned	Credits Transferred