

# 2022-2023 Annual Scholarship Reviewer Rubrics

Academic Learning & Reflection (30 points possible)	Score
<p><b><u>GPA- 12 points</u></b></p> <p><i>Note: The software will not allow staff to “pre-score” any portion of a student’s application; this has been added to the reviewer’s tasks.</i></p>	
<p><b>12 points</b>--- 3.51 to 4.0 cumulative GPA</p>	
<p><b>9 points</b>--- 3.21 to 3.5 cumulative GPA</p>	
<p><b>6 points</b>--- 2.91 to 3.2 cumulative GPA</p>	
<p><b>3 points</b>--- 2.51 to 2.9 cumulative GPA</p>	
<p><b>0 points</b>—0.0 to 2.5 cumulative GPA</p>	
<p><b><u>Academic Reflection Essay Question- 18 Points</u></b></p> <p><b>18 points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Demonstrates in-depth reflection of educational journey</li> <li>● Provides specific examples to support reflection</li> </ul> <p><b>12 points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Demonstrates adequate reflection of educational journey</li> <li>● Provides general examples to support reflection</li> </ul> <p><b>6 points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Demonstrates some reflection of educational journey</li> <li>● Provides no examples provided to support reflection</li> </ul> <p><b>0 points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● The response provides very little or no insight into the applicant’s educational journey</li> <li>● The response’s lack of clarity impacts reviewer’s ability to score and/or does not respond to the prompt.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>OR</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Did not provide enough information to determine a score</li> </ul>	

<b>Financial Need Rubric (40 points possible)</b>	<b>Score</b>
<p><b>40 points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Has many expenses or circumstances that create a financial need for this applicant.</li> <li>● Has many family responsibilities and provided an explanation of those responsibilities.</li> <li>● Student can only pay for school via options that incur debt (credit card, student loans, etc.)</li> </ul> <p><b>20 points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Has some expenses or circumstances that create a financial need for this applicant.</li> <li>● Has some family responsibilities and provided an explanation of those responsibilities.</li> <li>● Student can cover a portion of their tuition through funding sources that do not incur debt (scholarships, grants, family support, etc.)</li> </ul> <p><b>0 points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Has no expenses or circumstances that create a financial need for this applicant.</li> <li>● Has no family responsibilities.</li> <li>● Student can cover a 100% of their tuition through funding sources that do not incur debt (scholarships, grants, family support, etc.)</li> </ul> <p><b><u>OR</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Did not provide enough information to determine a score</li> </ul>	

<b>Planning for the Future Rubric (30 points possible)</b>	<b>Score</b>
<p><b>30 points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● The essay is written with a clear and detailed response to the prompt and shows thought, focus, and organization.</li> <li>● The essay highlights current circumstances in the applicant’s life that support the need for this scholarship using personal narrative and examples as evidence.</li> <li>● The essay provides insight into the applicant’s character, strengths, and educational goals.</li> </ul>	
<p><b>15 points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● The essay is clear but it could have been more focused and detailed in response to the prompt.</li> <li>● The essay highlights the current circumstances in the applicant’s life that support the need for this scholarship using a personal narrative but lacks supporting examples.</li> <li>● The essay provides some insight into the applicant’s character, strengths, and educational goals.</li> </ul>	
<p><b>0 points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● The response’s lack of clarity impacts reviewer’s ability to score and/or does not respond to the prompt.</li> <li>● The essay needed more substance and/or supporting examples to effectively highlight their current personal circumstances that support the need for this scholarship.</li> <li>● The essay provides some insight into the applicant’s character, strengths, and educational goals.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>OR</u></b></p> <p>Did not provide enough information to determine a score.</p>	