# Austin County Texas A&M Mothers' Club Scholarship High School Student Application

The Austin County Texas A&M Mothers' Club was founded in 1983 for the purpose of supporting our students at Texas A&M University. Funds raised by our club go directly to Texas A&M in the form of student scholarships or donations to University organizations.

The Austin County Texas A&M Mothers' Club will award a minimum of \$500 in individual scholarship awards to Texas A&M students from Austin County. Scholarship applicants will be notified by mail of our club's selections. The recipients will be announced in May and will introduce themselves to our group at our Family Night meeting in January. The club encourages mothers of scholarship winners to become actively involved!

#### **Scholarship Application Guidelines**

Eligibility:

- Applicant MUST meet the timeline specified in this application
- Applicant must be a resident of Austin County
- Applicant must be accepted and maintain full-time student status at Texas A&M University
- Applicant must have a minimum overall GPA of 2.50
- Applicant must complete the application in its entirety
  - Incomplete applications will not be considered

#### **Application Procedure and Check List:**

- 1. Please complete the attached application IN FULL
- 2. Enclose the ORIGINAL and 1 copy of the completed application
- 3. Enclose a self-addressed, stamped, #10 Business Envelope with the application
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Attach 1 official current transcript
- 5. Submit the **SIGNED** original application **with your picture and transcript** plus ONE copy of the application to:

Austin County Texas A&M Mothers' Club Scholarship Committee P. O. Box 944 Sealy, TX 77474-0944

6. APPLICATIONS MUST BE MAILED AND POSTMARKED BY MARCH 31...NO EXCEPTIONS!

Note: A numerical value will be placed on each answer in the application. Some of these maximum values have been given to aid in your understanding of the evaluation process.

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#### High School Student Biographical Information Cover Sheet

This cover sheet will be removed to ensure anonymity during the selection process. The Austin County Texas A&M Mothers' Club Scholarship Committee shall hold all information provided herein confidential.

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL AND SUBMITTED ON TIME TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THIS SCHOLARHSHIP.

Name (Last, First MI)	
Name of Parent or Guardian	
Your Phone Number	
Permanent Address	
Date of Birth	
Social Security Number	

I attest to the accuracy of the information provided. In addition, my signature acknowledges that I have read the scholarship guidelines on the attached sheet. I understand that the Austin County Texas A&M Mothers' Club may substantiate any of the data provided herein. False statements will be a cause for immediate disqualification or cancellation of the scholarship.

Applicant Signature

Date

 Social Security Number
 SAT or ACT Test Scores

 Cumulative GPA
 Please identify the tests and give specific results. N/A is acceptable.

### If additional space is needed for any question, a separate sheet may be attached.

#### 1. ORGANIZATIONS AND EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

List all organizations and specific dates of membership (1 point per year per organization, maximum 10 points)

Dates of membership	Organization/Activity

#### 2. HONORS, AWARDS & ELECTED OFFICES

Describe any honors or awards received, as well as elected offices held. Include the date and the awarding entity. (2 points each per year, maximum 10 points)

Honor/Award/ElectedOffice	Organization/Awarding Entity	Date Received

#### 3. COMMUNITY SERVICE

Describe any community service performed. Include dates of participation. (1 point per activity per year, maximum 10 points)

Dates of service	Description of community service

#### 4. EMPLOYMENT DURING ACADEMIC SCHOOL TERM

Are you currently working?  $\Box$  YES  $\Box$  NO

If yes, list employer and phone number. In addition, provide the number of hours worked per week (Maximum 10 points)

Employer	Phone Number	Number of hours worked per week

#### 5. SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS, AND ENDOWMENTS

List any scholarships, grant, or endowment money awarded.

Name	Amount	Date

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#### 6. PERSONAL/FAMILY/FINANCIAL HARDSHIP

If you have a personal, family, or financial hardship or special circumstance that we should be aware of, please describe. (Maximum 5 points)

#### 7. NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL SIBLINGS IN COLLEGE

Name	College currently attending

#### 8. LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION (Maximum 5 points)

Attach a current letter of recommendation from one of the following: high school teacher, faculty or staff, Aggie alumni, clergy, or employer who can attest to your character, integrity, leadership, work ethic, and/or Aggie Spirit. No letters from family members will accepted. **Note:** It is advisable to request this be returned to you well inadvance of the application's due date. Also requesting letters from two different sources ensures that you will have one ready on time.

#### 9. ESSAY (Maximum 20 points)

Type and attach an essay of no more than 250 words. Recipients of our scholarship awards are asked to speak at our Recognition Award Night in January. They are to tell about themselves, their career goals, and how being an Aggie will make an impact on their education and career. In 250 words or less tell what you would say to those present at this meeting if you were selected for this scholarship.