Austin County Texas A&M Mothers' Club Scholarship
College 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 current full-time student and maintain a full-time status at Texas A&M University from Austin County (except for last semester graduating Seniors with fewer than full-time status)
- Applicant must have completed a minimum of 12 hours at Texas A&M
  - Or 12 hours at an accredited college and have been accepted as a transfer student to Texas A&M as a full-time student and maintain full-time status at Texas A&M
- Applicant must have a minimum overall GPA of 2.50
- Applicant must complete the application in its entirety using the check list below
  - Incomplete applications will not be considered

Application Procedure and Check List:

_____ 1. Please complete the attached application **IN FULL**

_____ 2. Enclose the completed application plus two copies of application, essay and recommendation letter

_____ 3. Enclose a self-addressed, stamped, #10 business envelope with the application

_____ 4. Attach 1 official current transcript from Texas A&M University. A computer printout from the Howdy Portal of an unofficial current transcript is acceptable.

_____ 5. Submit the **SIGNED** original application, your transcript, **PLUS two copies of application, essay and recommendation letter 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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College 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 _____

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Bryan/College Station Address _____
(if known)

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Date of Birth _____

Social Security Number _____

TAMU Student ID# _____
(This information is needed in order to award the scholarship through the Student Financial Aid Department at Texas A&M University.)

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 _____

Cumulative GPA _____

Date accepted to TAMU _____

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

1. **COLLEGE ORGANIZATIONS AND EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**
   List all organizations and specific dates of membership. – only include current college organizations and extracurricular activities. (1 point per year per organization, maximum 10 points)

Dates of membership	Organization/Activity

2. **COLLEGE 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/Elected Office	Organization/Awarding Entity	Date Received

3. **COLLEGE 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 COLLEGE ACADEMIC SCHOOL TERM**

Are you currently working?   ☐ YES   ☐ 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

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 letter of recommendation from one of the following: 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 in advance 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.