



*Education Foundation*  
**GALENA PARK INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
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December 21, 2023

Dear Scholarship Applicant:

Thank you for taking the time to apply for the ***Karina N. Williams Memorial Scholarship*** offered through the Galena Park ISD Education Foundation. Two \$1,500 scholarships will be awarded.

This scholarship was established to honor Karina N. Williams “KK.” Karina Williams graduated from North Shore Senior High School in 2012. She loved sports and played basketball for North Shore. Karina was a loving and caring daughter, sister, and friend. She always wanted to be a basketball coach and loved working with kids. Karina’s family would like to honor her memory by funding the ***Karina N. Williams Memorial Scholarship*** to a senior at North Shore Senior High School.

The following are the requirements for the scholarship:

- Must be a senior at North Shore Senior High School
- Must be scheduled to graduate in Spring 2024
- Minimum of 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale
- Must be an athlete at North Shore Senior High School
- Must be accepted as a full-time student at a college, university or technical school for the upcoming academic semester

Please submit your completed application by **Friday, March 1, 2024**, at 11:59 p.m.

If you have any questions, please call me at 832-386-1226.

Sincerely,

*Janie Flores*

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# Galena Park ISD Education Foundation Scholarship

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To apply for this scholarship, please complete the GPISD Education Foundation Scholarship Submission Google form and upload all required attachments by the deadline. Please click the link to access the form:

[GPISD Education Foundation Scholarship Submission Form](#)

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**ESSAY REQUIREMENT: (no more than 2 pages, double spaced, 12-point Times New Roman font)**

Please provide a brief summary explaining why you should receive the Karina N. Williams Memorial scholarship.

**RESUME REQUIREMENT: (no more than 2 pages, 12-point Times New Roman font)**

Please provide a resume which includes your community/volunteer service, extra-curricular activities and work experience, if any.

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## **APPLICATION CHECKLIST:**

The application for this scholarship becomes complete and valid only when you have submitted the following materials using the Galena Park ISD Education Foundation Scholarship Google form:

- ☐ Essay Requirement – No more than 2 pages, double spaced, 12-point Times New Roman font
- ☐ Resume Requirement – No more than 2 pages, 12-point Times New Roman font
- ☐ FAFSA EFC email or TASFA application
- ☐ High School Transcript (unofficial copy)
- ☐ Reference letter from a guidance counselor or teacher
- ☐ Reference letter from an employer or other community member

For more information, please contact:

Ms. Heidie Hardin (Academic Advisor) – North Shore Senior High School

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## **SELECTION OF RECIPIENTS:**

The GPISD Education Foundation Scholarship Committee has the sole responsibility of selecting the recipients. All applications will be reviewed and selected candidates will be contacted by the committee.