Richard M. Schulze Family Foundation College Scholarship Program

The Schulze Family Foundation is committed to providing assistance to students from middle-income families who do not receive federal grant assistance. We welcome applications from students who have distinguished themselves through school, community and/or church activities while showing strong academic achievement in high school. Forty-six (46) scholarships of $5,000 per year will be awarded for four consecutive years of full-time enrollment with satisfactory academic performance.

To be considered for the Schulze Family Foundation College Scholarship, applicants must:

- Be a U.S. citizen who will be a 2020 graduate of one of the following high schools:
  - **California**
    - St. Helena High School
    - Battle Mountain High School
    - Vail Christian High School
  - **Colorado**
    - Golden Gate High School
    - Gulf Coast High School
    - Imnomakalee High School
    - Lely High School
    - Lorenzo Walker Technical High School
  - **Florida**
    - Barron Collier High School
    - Community School of Naples
    - Donahue Academy
    - Everglades City School
    - First Baptist Academy
    - Golden Gate High School
    - Gulf Coast High School
    - Immokalee High School
    - Lely High School
    - Lorenzo Walker Technical High School
  - **Minnesota Catholic Schools**
    - Academy of Holy Angels
    - Benilde St. Margaret's
    - Bethlehem Academy
    - Chesterton Academy
    - Crelin Derham Hall High School
    - Cristo Rey Jesuit High School
    - DeLaSalle High School
    - Hill-Murray School
    - Holy Family Catholic High School
    - Providence Academy
    - St. Agnes School
    - Saint Thomas Academy
    - Totino-Grace High School
    - Visitation School
    - *Minnesota Catholic high school students must have completed their elementary education at a Catholic school to be eligible.
  - **Minnesota Public Schools**
    - Eden Prairie High School
    - Edina High School
    - Henry Sibley High School
    - St. Paul Central High School

- Have a minimum of a 3.3 cumulative GPA (on a 4.0 scale)
- Have a minimum of a 22 ACT or 1110 SAT (math and verbal)
- Show unmet financial need through the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Not be receiving need-based federal grant assistance (Pell)

The Schulze Family Foundation College Scholarship application is online at schulzefamilyfoundation.org and the portal will be open from January 6, 2020 to March 1, 2020. All documents listed below will need to be uploaded by midnight on March 1, 2020 except the financial aid notification of award which will need to be uploaded by midnight on April 1, 2020.

- **Three letters of recommendation**
  - Two must be from high school teachers/staff
- A copy of your **Electronic Student Aid Report (SAR)**
  - Emailed to you after your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is processed
- A copy of your **Financial Aid Notification of Award** must be uploaded by **April 1, 2020**
  - From your college of choice or colleges you are considering
- An official **high school transcript** directly from the high school (include fall grades)
- Verification of **ACT/SAT score** on transcript
  - A copy of your score report (make sure it has your name on it) if your scores are not on your transcript
- **Resume** of school, community and/or church participation, achievement and leadership
- An essay in 500 words or less
  - Describe an attribute, quality or skill that distinguishes you from everyone else and how you developed this attribute, quality or skill.

Contact us at:
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