# Lopez Island Community Scholarship Foundation 2025 Application

Name (First, Middle, Last):

Birthdate:

Home Address:

Email Address:

Home Phone:

Cell Phone:

Parent/Guardian Name(s):

Current School (the applicant must be a senior in H.S.):

### Procedures for filling out your application:

-Completely fill out and sign this application. Incomplete applications will not be processed. **Submit by April 28th, 2025.** 

-Note: If your high school Senior Portfolio answers any or all of questions 1 – 5 of the application, you may choose to submit your portfolio and skip submitting separate answers.

-Application is available online: www.licfs.org

-Application is available online in Spanish but please submit it in English.

-Submit updated information as it becomes available.

<u>Check list of requirements</u> In order to process your application, <u>complete all steps and submit on time</u>:

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Post High School Goals
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. High School Activities
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Short Essay
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Letter of Recommendation
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Official Transcripts
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Finances
- \_\_\_\_\_7. Responsibilities
- \_\_\_\_\_8. Signed agreement

**<u>1. Post High School Goals:</u>** (Ability to meet your goals will be evaluated)

What are your immediate plans after graduation?

- School/Training Plans (check all that apply)
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Apprenticeship/Internship
  - \_\_\_\_ Community College
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Career/Technical School
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 4 Year College/University

\_\_\_\_\_ Take Gap Year before starting post H.S. education (\*you must be accepted into a post H.S. program)

\_\_\_\_\_ Other (please explain) \_\_\_\_\_\_

- What are your educational/training/career goals?
- Name and location of the school or program you plan to attend.
- Have you been accepted at this school/program? If not, please explain.
- How long do you expect to be in school/training to complete your program?
- If you are taking a gap year, explain your reasons and plans.

#### 2. High School/Community/Family Activities: (Demonstration in this area will be evaluated)

- Please provide a summary of the activities in which you have participated during high school, including: Extracurricular activities; out-of-school activities, community or family service; work experience; and recognitions or awards.
- Attach sheets as needed

**3.** <u>Attach a short essay</u> (250 – 500 words) on <u>one</u> of the following topics: (Ability to handle challenges will be evaluated)

- Describe a meaningful life experience living on Lopez Island. How has living on Lopez (Decatur or Center Island) affected your life and values?
- Describe a time when an obstacle forced you to adjust your plans and expectations, include the personal values that guided you during this time.
- Describe a meaningful contribution you have made to your family, the school or community and how it will influence your future.
- Select a topic of your choice.

### 4. Letter of Recommendation

• Submit a letter from a non-family member of the Lopez, Decatur, or Center communities. Be sure it provides insights into your personal qualities and/or community contributions.

#### 5. Transcripts

• Submit your current high school transcripts.

## 6. Finances (Financial need will be evaluated)

• Estimated expenses for your first year:

Tuition/Fees	\$
Housing/Meals	\$
Other	\$
Total Expenses	\$

- Do you plan on taking out any loans in your program? \_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No
- Will you be applying for or have you received any Grants? Please list. Attach sheets as needed.
- What are your financial plans to meet these college expenses? Explain how this scholarship would help. Attach sheets as needed.

#### 7. <u>Responsibilities of Scholarship Recipients</u>

As a scholarship recipient, I agree to:

- Work with the LICSF to identify a Lopez resident to serve as my advocate.
- Submit transcript if appropriate or progress reports annually.
- During my scholarship-funded education, communicate regularly with an LICSF Advocate and the LICSF Board.
- Respond in a timely manner to any contacts from the LICSF Board members.
- Be willing, if available, to assist the LICSF in promoting the LICSF program.

The purpose of these communications is to assist your post high school success and to educate the local Lopez community about the Lopez Community Scholarship program.

#### 8. Signed Agreement

I acknowledge that the information submitted is true to the best of my knowledge and agree to the "Responsibilities of Scholarship Recipients". If selected to receive a scholarship.

Student's signature

Date

Thank you for applying,

The LICSF Board of Directors.