

# Hobbs Hispano Chamber of Commerce Foundation 2020 Scholarship Application

(Please Type or Print only)



(Application must be received by HHCCF by **May 15, 2020**)

**NOTE TO STUDENT:** The legibility, accuracy and completeness of application will be considered.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ Proposed field of study: \_\_\_\_\_

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## OBJECTIVE

The Hobbs Hispano Chamber of Commerce Foundation Scholarship Program recognizes graduation high school seniors for their educational, leadership and community service qualities. We award scholarships to those graduating seniors that want to continue their education at an institution of higher learning. Our Scholarship Committee will consider educational achievement, leadership qualities, letters of recommendation, written essay, community involvement and financial need.

## ELIGIBILITY

The candidate must be a senior graduating in the current school year and planning to enroll in an institution of higher education the fall semester of 2019-2020 academic year. The student must have a minimum of 3.0 cumulative GPA.

## ESSAY

Develop a 350 to 400 word, typed essay on the following theme: "***The Importance of Obtaining a College Education (According to Me)***"

## REFERENCE/RECOMMENDATIONS

Provide two letters of recommendation using the attached forms. Recommendations from relatives are not acceptable. You are required to have at least one educator recommendation (teacher, counselor or principal). Have each writer seal the letter in an envelope prior to returning it to you. Return them with your application.

## OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT

Applicants must have the school registrar complete the enclosed Registrar Form. In addition, include the most recent official transcript through the last completed semester.

**PERSONAL DATA**

List school activities, including leadership positions held.

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List civic and/or community involvement activities.

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List honors and/or school or community awards.

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Please attach additional sheets if needed.

**DEADLINE IS: May 15, 2020**

**SUBMIT YOUR COMPLETE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKAGE TO:**

**Hobbs Hispano Chamber of Commerce Foundation**

**ATTN: Scholarship Committee**

**P. O. Box 3003**

**Hobbs, New Mexico 88241-3003**

**Or drop off the complete package to:**

**Hobbs Hispano Chamber of Commerce**

**113 North Shipp Street**

**Hobbs, New Mexico 88240**

**Monday through Thursday – 8:30 am to 5:30 pm (Lunch hour 12:00 to 1:00 pm)**

**Friday – 8:30 am to 12:30 pm**

**EDUCATOR**

**Letter of Recommendation**  
(Please Type or Print)

Name of Student \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known this student? \_\_\_\_\_

1. Discuss why you believe this individual should be awarded a Hobbs Hispano Chamber of Commerce Foundation Scholarship.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Please discuss your impression of the following for this student: Academic achievement, Leadership and Civic/Community Involvement.

**(Please attach additional sheets if needed)**

Reference information (Please print)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Upon completion, please insert in a sealed envelope and return to applicant.**

**Letter of Recommendation  
For Second Reference  
(Please Type or Print)**

Name of Student \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known this student? \_\_\_\_\_

1. Discuss why you believe this individual should be awarded a Hobbs Hispano Chamber of Commerce Foundation Scholarship.

2. Please discuss your impression of the following for this student: Academic achievement, Leadership and Civic/Community Involvement.

**(Please attach additional sheets if needed)**

Reference information (Please print)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Upon completion, please insert in a sealed envelope and return to applicant.**

**REGISTRAR FORM**

**THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED BY YOUR SCHOOL REGISTRAR**

**NOTE: An official sealed copy of the student's transcript should be included with this application.**

Name of High School \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

School Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Expected Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_

Signature and Seal of Registrar \_\_\_\_\_

Official Title \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

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# Hobbs Hispano Chamber of Commerce Foundation Application Checklist

Before submitting your application, review and check the following points to ensure complete understanding of the scholarship application, deadline and eligibility requirements.

**It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that it complete and all requested materials submitted. Incomplete applications WILL NOT be considered.**

Applicants should submit the application packet in the following order. Check off as completed.

- \_\_\_ 1. Completed application form
- \_\_\_ 2. Essay
- \_\_\_ 3. Official copy of high school transcript
- \_\_\_ 4. Letters of recommendation (one from an educator)
- \_\_\_ 5. Executed and dated Certification of Application

The Hobbs Hispano Chamber of Commerce must receive all applications no later than **May 15, 2020**. Applications received after the deadline **WILL NOT** be considered.

All scholarship applicants will be notified regarding the scholarship awards directly.

A notification will be communicated to the selected educational institution's financial aid department in early August. Proof of enrollment in a post-secondary institution is necessary to obtain your award. It is the awardee's responsibility to ensure the Hobbs Hispano Chamber of Commerce Foundation receives the official enrollment form from the institution. Scholarship awards are mailed and made payable to the educational institution for the benefit of the student. The HHCCF Scholarship is a non-renewable scholarship.

**CERTIFICATION:** All of the enclosed information presented in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I hereby give permission to the Hobbs Hispano Chamber of Commerce Foundation to share this information for the purpose of public relations and/or possible future scholarship applicant recruitment projects. I further certify that I am a graduating high school senior and will be attending a post-secondary institution upon my graduation.

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Applicant's Signature

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Date

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Parent or Guardian Signature

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