

**DUNSMUIR SCHOLARSHIP FUND APPLICATION PACKET
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT
2014
INSTRUCTION SHEET**

Dear Dunsmuir Scholarship Fund Applicant:

The Board of Directors of the Dunsmuir Scholarship Fund (DSF) plans to award a sizeable amount in scholarships this year. Several awards have unique requirements; such as the Rose A. Ellis Scholarship to be awarded to a DHS graduating Senior intending to pursue a course of study at the College of the Siskiyous.

(See the attached detailed descriptions of Special Scholarships and their requirements)

If your application is to be considered by the Committee, you must attach the following in order:

- 1) A properly completed and appropriately signed application (Include page 2, and 3 of this packet); AND, the following items. **(Please note: Extra information and enclosures additional to that listed below will NOT be reviewed.);**
- 2) A typewritten one page essay describing your plans for future education; i.e. school of your choice, major, occupational goals, and any other pertinent information;
- 3) One completed "**Activities Sheet**" (page 4 of this packet);
- 4) Reference **letters** from:
 - a) ONE high school administration or faculty member;
 - b) ONE other adult (a community member not affiliated with the high school);
- 5) A sealed official high school **transcript** reflecting a GPA of not less than 2.50 for the first 7 semesters of high school. This GPA will be verified by the DHS Guidance Director.

DEADLINE: Current graduate applications are **ONLY ACCEPTED BY MAIL**, and must be postmarked no later than April 15th. For your protection, you should purchase a "Certificate Of Mailing" when you mail your application. If the Committee asks you to verify the date that you mailed the application, you must have the "Certificate Of Mailing" to present to them. Return your completed application to:

Dunsmuir Scholarship Fund
Attn: President
P.O. Box 232
Dunsmuir, California 96025

If some special circumstances should preclude applicant's meeting any of the above criteria, a short letter of explanation, with the application, should reach the DSF Secretary at the DSF P.O. Box 232 by the deadline. Any deviation from the above criteria will be considered by the Committee on an individual basis, **BUT ONLY UPON RECEIPT OF THE WRITTEN EXPLANATION AS INDICATED ABOVE.**

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10. Have you applied for a CAL grant? Yes / No

11. Have you applied for a PELL grant? Yes / No

12. Have you received any other scholarship or grant for the 2014-2015 school year? (Yes or No)

If "yes", name the awards and amounts: _____

13. Have you been notified that you will be receiving any other scholarships or grants?

If "yes", name the awards and amounts: _____

14. Have you been elected to a high-school honor and/or scholarship society? (Yes or No)

If "yes", name the society(ies): _____

14. HIGH SCHOOL GRADE POINT AVERAGE (_____ for 7 semesters - CUMULATIVE AVERAGE)

I certify that the information provided on this form is complete and accurate.

Signature of Applicant

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian (Required if applicant under 18 years of age)

PLEASE NOTE:

If awarded a scholarship, you must be enrolled with a minimum of 12 (twelve) units, and present proof of enrollment in an accredited institution.

Any award over \$750.00 will be paid in two installments.

Unless prior arrangements are made in writing for delay of scholarship payment, monies unclaimed by the end of the school year intended by the DSF for use are forfeited.

