

ROOSEVELT COUNTY ELECTRIC EDUCATION FOUNDATION

Fall 2026 - Spring 2027 Scholarship Application

High School Seniors

OBJECTIVE

The objective of the Roosevelt County Electric Education Foundation Scholarship Fund is to assist those individuals who desire to further their education and who desire to acquire the knowledge and skills to be better prepared to participate in the future employment marketplace. One-year scholarships, in an amount to be determined on an annual basis by the Education Foundation, will be considered provided the following eligibility requirements have been met:

ELIGIBILITY

All criteria listed below must be met:

1. Available to dependents of members receiving service from Roosevelt County Electric Cooperative, Inc. or a legal dependent of a full-time employee of a member receiving service from the cooperative, and said employee and dependent must be living in a residence connected to the member's name.
2. Applicants must be a graduating senior in the current year from an accredited public or private high school, home-schooled or have obtained a New Mexico GED or equivalent.
3. Applicants should desire to enter an accredited college or university.
4. Applications will be judged and awarded based on the following criteria:
 - a. **ACT/SAT Scores**
 - b. **Secondary school GPA of 2.5 or higher**
 - c. **Community and other civic activities**
 - d. **Leadership and character qualities based on letters of reference**
 - e. **Essay**

SELECTION PROCESS

Selections will be determined by the Roosevelt County Electric Education Foundation selection committee.

SCHOLARSHIP DISTRIBUTION

Scholarships in the amount of \$1,500 or less will be paid in full upon RCEC's receipt of written proof of registration from the institution the recipient is attending. For scholarships above \$1,500, the first half shall be paid upon receipt of written proof of registration. Upon completion of the first semester, a letter will be required from the institution certifying that the recipient is considered by the institution to be a regular, full-time student, in good standing, with a grade point average of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale. Once RCEC receives this letter and proof of registration for the second semester, the remainder of the scholarship shall be paid.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Submit the scholarship application to Tillman Stevens, Member Service Advisor, 121 North Main, Portales, New Mexico. The following documents must be received in the office by 5 P.M., Friday, January 30, 2026.

1. Completed and signed scholarship application.
2. High school scholastic record with accumulative GPA and ACT/SAT scores.
3. At least two letters of recommendation from the principal or teachers of the secondary school from which the applicant is graduating or an official, civic, or religious leader of the community in which the applicant resides.
4. One page or less typed or handwritten essay on how this scholarship will aid applicants in their educational goals.

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By submitting this application, the applicant authorizes Roosevelt County Electric and its assigns to use his/her name and photographic or another likeness in promotional and other public materials, including but not limited to newsletters, press releases, awards presentations, on a plaque or other memento at Cooperative headquarters and on web pages. **A custodial parent or legal guardian must sign this release prior to submitting an application if the applicant is a minor.**

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature:

Student Name:		DOB:
Cell Phone #:	Email:	
Physical Address:		
Mailing Address (if different):		
Father's Name:		Occupation:
Mother's Name:		Occupation:
Member Account #:	Name on Account:	
Member's Relationship to Student:		
Specify if account is in a name other than parent/legal guardian:		
High School:		Phone #:
Class rank out of how many students:		Graduation Date:
Cumulative GPA (on 4.0 scale):		ACT/SAT score:
College(s) applying to:		
Interested major/degree:		
Academic Honors:		
School related clubs, activities, achievements:		
Community involvement:		
Hobbies and interests:		

I have attached the following forms:

- _____ Transcripts and ACT/SAT scores
- _____ 2 letters of recommendation
- _____ Typed or handwritten essay

ALL DOCUMENTS MUST BE ATTACHED. APPLICANT AND CUSTODIAL PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN MUST SIGN THE APPLICATION IF THE APPLICANT IS A MINOR, OR THE APPLICATION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Scholarships will be awarded based on funds available and the applicant's eligibility.

**Send applications to: Roosevelt County Electric Education Foundation
Box 389
Portales, NM 88130
ATTENTION: Member Services**

If you have any questions, please call 575-356-4491.

Apply and submit required documentation to Tillman Stevens, Member Service Advisor, at 121 N. Main Ave, Portales, NM *by 5 p.m. Friday, January 30, 2026.*

Application Certification

In signing, I certify that:

- The information provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.
- I am aware that I must maintain at least a 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale and demonstrate acceptable standards of citizenship and character to continue qualifying for scholarship eligibility.
- I agree to permit the review of this application and transcripts by anyone representing Roosevelt County Electric Cooperative Education Foundation.

Applicant Signature

Date _____

Parent Signature

Date _____