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Mana'o O Ke Kai Native Hawaiian SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE NOTE: THIS APPLICATION CONTAINS (3) PAGES.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name		Middle Initial	Last Name	
Home Phone No.		Cell No.	E-Mail	
Address		City	Zip	State
Social Security Number		Birth Date	Are you a Hawai'i resident? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	How many years? _____
Best method of contact		Best time to contact		
Mother's Full Name			Phone No.	
Father's Full Name			Phone No.	

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

High School: _____
Name and Address of School

Major	Diploma	Degree
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College: _____
Name and Address of School

Major	Diploma	Degree
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Other: _____
Name and Address of School

Major	Diploma	Degree
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EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

Currently employed? Yes No

Name of Employer	Position	Business Phone No.
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Salary/Wage: \$ _____ Check One: Hourly Monthly Annually



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CHECKLIST

REQUIRED CRITERIA

Please check the box next to each criteria to verify that you meet the requirements.

- I am of Native Hawaiian ancestry or descent. No minimum percentage or quantum of Hawaiian blood is required.
- I intend to pursue an ocean-related vocation or career. Describe in the essay portion of the application.
- I am or will be in a degree-seeking program at an accredited post-high school educational institution or certificate seeking program at a marine career training school.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

Please check the box next to each requirement to verify that you have included the item with your application.

- Completed Application Form**
- Proof of Identity & Hawaiian Ancestry or Descent**
Along with a copy of photo identification [e.g., driver's license, state ID, or passport], submit either (a) a birth certificate or (b) a copy of your Office of Hawaiian Affairs (OHA) registry card to verify your Hawaiian heritage.
- Transcripts or Letter of Acceptance**
Official current academic transcript[s] from post-secondary school/programs attended (if continuing school or training). You must request that your school/program forward the transcript directly to you first. Official transcripts must include the school/program stamp. If not yet in school or training, a letter of acceptance from the school/program that you intend to attend; or, if not yet accepted, an explanation of when and how you expect such acceptance.
- Letter of Recommendation**
The letter should explain why you are deserving of financial assistance for your education/training, and should not be from a relative.
- Essay (typed or legibly handwritten)**
The essay should include: (a) A statement of the ocean-related career or vocation that you intend to pursue. (b) How the school/program will help you achieve your goal and (c) Why you need financial assistance.



Mail your completed application form and required documents in one envelope to:
Mana'o Nui, P.O. Box 17251, Honolulu, HI 96817 or fax your documents to: **(808) 521-3338**.