



UESF EDUCATIONAL FUND SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The United Educators of San Francisco (UESF) is committed to maintaining quality, integrated public education through a program of lifelong learning. UESF believes every person deserves the opportunity to gain self-respect and a sense of the dignity of labor. To promote these goals, UESF has established a scholarship in the amount of **\$1,000** to be awarded to **ten (10) students** in the spring semester of 2027. This grant may be used for expenses incurred at any institution of higher learning, including recognized vocational schools.

Scholarship is **not** the prime factor in the selection process. To be eligible, a student must have a grade-point average between **2.2 - 2.5 or above** for all work completed in grades 9 through 12. The major instrument in the selection process is a written composition of 250-500 words. All entrants are expected to describe:

- Their goals after high school, and how these goals relate to the principles of UESF and labor.
- Their activities, which demonstrate a sense of responsibility within the community and how these activities relate to their goals.
- Their accomplishments or participation in school, youth & community affairs, or work experience.

The Selection Process:

1. All 12th graders attending a traditional public school in the San Francisco Unified School District (SFUSD) are eligible to apply.
2. **Applications must be received by 5:00 pm on Friday, March 19, 2027 to one of the following:**

Email: epaningbatan@uesf.org

Subject Line: UESF Educational Fund Scholarship - [Applicant's Name]

- or -

Mail to: United Educators of San Francisco

Attn: UESF Educational Fund Scholarship

2310 Mason Street, 2nd FL

San Francisco, CA 94133-1800

3. Each composition must be accompanied by this application (or a copy) showing the student's name, home address, phone number, school, and grade-point average. The information on the application must be verified by the signature of a counselor at the school or an email from the counselor. The application should be attached to the essay as a cover sheet, both can be emailed as pdf attachments.
4. **Warning:** To guarantee objectivity in judging, the student's name and school must appear only on the UESF Educational Fund Scholarship application. **Essays must not contain school clubs, team names, or any other identifying information as to the applicant or school's name in the text. Such identification will make the application**

invalid.

5. The UESF Educational Fund Scholarship applications will be reviewed and awarded by UESF's scholarship committee.
6. Winners will be announced by the **3rd week in April of 2027**.
 - a. **If you are chosen as a winner, UESF requires that you submit a photo of yourself and some information at a later date.** These will be shared with the UESF membership to announce the recipients.
 - b. Scholarship awards will be delivered to your school in May of 2027. UESF requires that scholarship recipients take a photo with their award. **If chosen as a scholarship recipient, you and your parents (if under 18) consent to this photo being taken and shared with UESF membership.**

Name:	
Address:	
Apartment No. (if any):	
City/State/Zip:	
High School:	
Area Code & Phone Number:	
Grade Point Average (GPA):	
Counselor Name:	
Counselor Email:	
Counselor Phone Number:	
Counselor's Verification of GPA:	
	(Counselor's Signature or Email PDF Attachment)