

# WHATCOM COUNTY YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION

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Thank you for applying for the Whatcom County Youth Soccer Association Scholarship for 2024.

Rules are as follows:

Applicant must **write a letter** which states the following:

1. Number of years individual has been involved in soccer, what level has the applicant played at (i.e.: recreational, select, ODP teams, high school), positions played, special soccer awards.
2. Has the applicant refereed?
3. Has the applicant helped coach a soccer team, if so, how many seasons and at which age group?
4. What extracurricular activities or community service has the applicant been involved with, outside of soccer?
5. What is the applicant's academic plans following graduation from high school?

Application must **include at least TWO recommendation letters and Transcript:**

1. Minimum one personal recommendation from either A) a member of the soccer community **or** B) a member of the academic community **or** C) a character reference from outside of the academic and soccer community. References from parents or family will not be considered.
2. A letter from the applicant's school counselor must accompany the application indicating that the applicant has satisfied requirements of graduation up to the date of the application.
3. A transcript must be provided at time of application and as proof of graduation.

Notification of scholarship availability will be distributed through all the WCYSA teams that are under 18/19 as well as to all WCYSA Clubs and Whatcom County High Schools near the completion of the spring soccer season. Applications are accepted from **May through June 10th, 2024.**

A scholarship selection committee composed from the WCYSA Board of Directors will determine the winning two applicants. A \$750.00 Scholarship will be awarded each to one boy and one girl. Once the recipients have been determined, a check will be written to the winners' post-secondary school for the recipient's use.

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