

2025-2026 LAWA Scholarship: Renewal Application

First Name *

Last Name *

Mobile Phone *

Email *

Street *

City *

State *

Zip *

County *

Date of Birth *

Gender: *

What is your country of birth? *

Higher education institution presently attending: *

What higher education institute did you attend? *

Are you planning to enroll full time for the 2025-2026 academic year? *

What year of study will you be entering in Fall of 2025? *

What is your area of study? (Major(s) and Minor(s)) *

Is English predominantly spoken at home? *

Do you identify as Latino/a? *

What ethnicity do you identify as? *

What is your grandparents' country of birth? (Please write down the countries for all grandparents, 4 to be listed) *

Parent #1 country of birth: *

Highest degree/ level of education obtained by your Parent #1: *

Parent #1 occupation: *

Parent #2 country of birth: *

Highest degree/ level of education obtained by your Parent #2: *

Parent #2 occupation *

Are you a first-generation student seeking post-secondary education? *

Verified household yearly income: *

How many people live in your household? List each person living in your household, include their name, and relationship to you. Please include yourself: *

How many children under the age of 18 are currently living in your household including yourself? *

Are you eligible to apply for the FAFSA? *

Total amount you paid for tuition last year? (Exclude scholarships and room and board) *

What financial aid will you receive for the 2024-2025 academic year(scholarships, grants and/or loans)? *

Are you currently employed? *

If employed, please provide name, address and phone # of employer:

If employed, please provide the number of hours of work per week:

School Involvement- Please list school extracurricular activities in which you have participated in this year (activity/ year/ leadership position, if applicable): *

Volunteer Involvement - Please list community or religious groups and activities in which you have served as a non-paid volunteer this past year. *

Total number of community service/involvement hours in 2024-2025: *

Have you volunteered 3 or more hours for LAWA this past year? *

- Select a Value -

Are you an applicant planning on majoring in a STEM field? *

- Select a Value -

Has a family member received a LAWA scholarship? *

Choose one

If you answered yes in the previous question, please list their name/s. *

If I am selected to receive a LAWA scholarship, I agree to volunteer 3 hours and attend a minimum of 2 College Hacks workshops a year. *

Choose one

If I am selected to receive a LAWA scholarship, I agree to attend the LAWA Scholarship Award Ceremony on the morning of June 7th, 2025? *

Choose one

Personal Essay *

Choose File No file chosen

School Transcript *

Choose File No file chosen

Attach Additional Document (Only one document can be attached here)

Choose File No file chosen

I acknowledge that the information provided in my application is, complete and accurate. I understand that any false statements on this application will disqualify me from receiving a LAWA Scholarship.

All the information provided is subject to verification. LAWA has the right to make all final decisions regarding the granting of all scholarship awards.

I acknowledge that Letters of Recommendation must be sent to scholarships@lawanc.org by my recommender and will notify them where to submit their Letter of Recommendation and deadline due date.

Acknowledgment *

- Select a Value -

How easy was it to fill up this application? (1 being easy - 5 being difficult) *

Please choose one ▼

Submit

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION AND PERSONAL ESSAY REQUIREMENTS:

Letter of Recommendation:

Have a recommender submit on your behalf, one (1) letter of recommendation from either a professor or administrator. Letter should express the reason why applicant should be considered for the scholarship, and emphasize academic performance, leadership skills, character and achievements.

It also must detail:

- a) Relationship to the applicant
- b) How long has the faculty/administrator known the applicant
- c) Professor's or faculty/administrator's name, title, email address, phone number, signature, and date

*Recommender MUST send letters of recommendation electronically to Scholarships@lawanc.org. Include your full name in the subject title if possible.

Personal Essay:

Upload a personal essay (typed, Times New Roman, 12 pt. font, double spaced, not to exceed 2 pages) explaining:

- a) Academic accomplishments during the academic year
- b) Personal, community and academic interests fulfilled during the prior year
- c) What the LAWA Scholarship means to the applicant
- d) Any obstacles that were overcome during the year(s) in college (if applicable)