

# Vermont Golf Association Scholarship Application



## 2018 APPLICATION

### The Mission

The Vermont Golf Association Scholarship Fund assists deserving Vermont resident students in obtaining a college education or technical training of university grade.

The Vermont Golf Association Scholarship Fund, a 501(c) 3 nonprofit organization, awards a minimum of 10 Scholarships to Vermont High School Graduates for up to four years to help further their education.

### Requirements

- Be a resident of the State of Vermont and graduating from high school
- Identify your overall financial need
- Enrolled in, or accepted as a full-time student at a college, university or technical school of university grade
- Have a current and active affiliation with the game of golf such as competing on a golf team, working at a golf course, and/or participating in golf programs or events

### General Instructions

Please complete the application form on line, print it and include all the following Required Supporting Documents: Contact information is critical, please include your phone# and/or email address on application.

- Official signed transcript of high school grades including actual or approximate class rank, G.P.A. and SAT scores and/or A.C.T. scores
- You must have filed a Free Application for Students Aid (FAFSA) and must include a copy of Expected Family Contribution (EFC) page (We do not need the whole document)
- Cost of institution you are attending and financial package they are providing
- At least three dated letters of recommendation
  - One attesting to academic standing
  - One attesting to affiliation with the game of golf
  - One personal reference
- You may be asked to participate in an interview

### MAIL APPLICATION TO:

The Vermont Golf Association Scholarship Fund  
PO Box 1612, Station A  
Rutland, VT 05701  
(800) 924-0418

[vtga.org](http://vtga.org) questions email [pj3murray@gmail.com](mailto:pj3murray@gmail.com)

You may use additional pages for other pertinent information.  
Applications must be submitted no later than **May 1, 2018.**

**Incomplete Applications will not be reviewed.**

**Section 1 - Personal & Contact Information**

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Tel No \_\_\_\_\_

Brothers/Sisters	Age	School/College Attending
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**Section 2 - High School Educational Performance Results -Supporting documentation must accompany application**

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_ SAT or ACT: Total \_\_\_\_\_ Verbal \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_

ACT Score \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ and/or Percentile of Graduating Class \_\_\_\_\_

**Section 3 - Tell us about yourself - Including career aspiration & goals (100-150 words - begin typing on line below):**

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List school activities in which you have participated (including any leadership positions you have held):

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List community activities in which you have participated including office and/or position of leadership:

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<b>Section 4 - Affiliation with Golf</b>
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Play on High School Golf Team \_\_\_yes \_\_\_ no # of year's \_\_\_ GHIN# & handicap\_\_\_\_\_

List junior events or other tournaments you have participated in:

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Work at Golf Club or other golf related job (if so, what position) \_\_\_\_\_

Where do you play most of your golf? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe what role golf plays in your life (100 - 150 words):

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**Section 5 - Present & Past Employment - Use separate sheet if necessary**

List all present and past employment, beginning with most recent:

Employer:	From Month/Year:	To Month/Year	Reason for leaving
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

**Section 6 - College/University Information**

College/University/School you will attend and your major. \_\_\_\_\_

What factors went into your decision to choose this school?

\_\_\_\_\_

**Section 7 - Financial Information - Supporting documentation must accompany application**

EFC AMOUNT FROM STUDENT AID REPORT (SAR) \_\_\_\_\_

Describe the financial package given by the school you have chosen and how you will afford the difference between the awards and the total cost of the school:

Annual School Cost: Tuition: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Room & Board: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Other Expenses: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Financial Package Amount: Scholarships: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Grants: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Loans: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Work Study: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

What other scholarships and grants have you received?

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How much money have you saved toward your education? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your "need" to receive a VGA Scholarship:

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*You may include additional pages with this application if there is not enough space above for your answers, or to give us other pertinent information.*

***All of the following information must be submitted with this application:***

Signed high school transcript  
Dated letters of recommendation and connection to golf  
Copy of SAR which shows Expected Family Contribution - Only page needed  
Financial award letter issued by the school you plan to attend

APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY **May 1, 2018**

***ALL INFORMATION IN THIS APPLICATION IS CONFIDENTIAL***

***Today's Date*** \_\_\_\_\_

***Student Signature*** \_\_\_\_\_

***Parent/Guardian Signature*** \_\_\_\_\_