

Fairbanks Retired Teachers' Association
P.O. Box 81071
Fairbanks, Alaska 99708

Dear Scholarship Applicant,

The Fairbanks Retired Teachers' Association represents hundreds of years of teaching service within the Fairbanks North Star Borough and the State of Alaska. Although we are no longer actively involved in instruction, we remain very interested in the quality of education and the success of students in the local school system.

This year we have raised enough money to offer **four (4) two thousand five hundred dollar** (\$2,500) FRTA scholarships to graduating seniors to attend at the college of their choice. <https://akfrta.webstarts.com/packets>

Any student graduating from a Fairbanks North Star Borough School District public high school in **2024** may apply for these scholarships.

Your packet should contain the following:

1. Completed application form for scholarships.
2. One **official transcript, must include 1st semester of your senior year, with your application.**
3. A brief biography of your past accomplishments, your future plans and community service. **This should be a separate letter. Please do not consider your notes on your application to be your biography letter.**
4. **Two (2) letters of recommendation** from any of the following, non-family adults, who have known you for more than two years: teachers, employers, ministers, scout leaders. You have selected to print the Application for FRTA scholarship.

The deadline for **submitting this packet is March 15**. All applications **must be postmarked by midnight, March 15**. Late mailings will not be considered for this award.

Please mail the complete packet to:

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CHECKLIST FOR FRTA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT

1. The FRTA Scholarships require these components:

- ☐ a. Completed application form **INCLUDING** all indicated signatures.
- ☐ b. An official transcript to include 1st semester of your senior year with your application.
- ☐ c. A brief biography covering past accomplishments, future plans, community service.
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Scholarship Application Form

1. Name: _____
2. Mailing Address: _____ City/Zip Code _____
3. eMail: _____ Phone: _____
4. High School Attending: _____
5. Years attending Fairbanks' Schools: _____ years
6. Father's Occupation: _____
Employer: _____
7. Mother's Occupation: _____
Employer: _____
8. Is either parent Active or Retired military? YES ____ NO ____
Which parent if Yes marked _____
9. Number of brothers and sisters in college now: _____
10. Number of younger brothers and sisters: _____
11. College Choices: (list in order of preference)
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
 - c. _____
12. Proposed major/area of college study: _____
13. Career goals:

14. Overall G.P.A.: _____ Class standing: _____

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15. Special Talents/Skills*:

16. Volunteer/Work Experiences*:

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Fairbanks Retired Teachers' Association Scholarship component:

A brief biography covering: Past accomplishment, Future plans, Community service, etc.: