

# Kanokla Scholarship FAQ's

Kanokla's scholarship program began in 1993 to support high school seniors. Over the years, it has expanded to include college students, adults in vocational programs, and those pursuing technology-related careers. In 2024, Kanokla further broadened its scholarship offerings by introducing 4 additional opportunities for customers outside the cooperative footprint - 2 for high school and 2 for college/trade schools

Applicants must be located within **Kanokla's member service area** or be a **current Kanokla internet customer in our CLEC area**.

Eligible member service area towns include:

- **Kansas:** Bluff City, Caldwell, Corbin, Danville, Freeport, Geuda Springs, Mayfield, South Haven, Waldron.
- **Oklahoma:** Braman, Capron, Foraker, Goltry, Grainola, Hardtner, Jet, Manchester, Renfrow, Shidler, Webb City, Wynona.

Eligible CLEC areas: Wireless customers, fiber build out areas including, but not limited to: Wellington, Cherokee, Medford, Rural Anthony.

Question: What type of scholarships are available?

**Answer: Kanokla offers the following scholarships: High School Scholarships (Academic, Vocational, and Random Draw), continuing education scholarships (college and adult Vocational Education) and Technology Driven Scholarship (For students pursuing careers in technology)**

Question: What scholarships are available for high school seniors?

**Answer: Kanokla awards 10 scholarships of \$1,000 each in three categories: Academic Scholarships, vocational Scholarships and two scholarships chosen by random drawing**

Question: Who is eligible to apply?

**Answer: Applicants must be a Kanokla broadband or landline customer (or their dependent), live within the Kanokla service area and have a minimum GPA of 2.3.**

Question: Who can apply for the Continuing Education Scholarship?

**Answer: College Students pursuing a 2-year, 4-year, or graduate program, adults enrolling in vocational or technical schools and must maintain a 2.5 GPA.**

Question: How much are the Continuing Education Scholarship?

**Answer: Each recipient will receive a \$1,000 scholarship. Kanokla awards three scholarships for college students and three scholarships for adult vocational students**

Question: What is the Kanokla Technology Driven Scholarship?

**Answer: This is a \$1,000 scholarship for students pursuing technology-related careers at a vocational school, college, or university. This is available to all Kanokla customers.**

Question: What fields of study qualify for the Technology Driven Scholarship?

**Answer: The applicant's major and career path must be technology-related, such as: Computer Science, Cybersecurity, Software Development, Networking and IT, Engineering and Other technology-driven fields**

Question: Who can apply for the Technology Driven Scholarship?

**Answer: High school seniors or adults pursuing a tech-related career, must be a Kanokla broadband or landline customer (or their dependent) and must be enrolled full-time (12 credit hours) and maintain a 2.5 GPA.**

Question: What documents are required?

**Answer: High/ College school transcript, two letters of recommendation, Resume (honors, awards, extracurricular activities, work experience, etc.), a Letter of Application explaining why the scholarship is important and future career goals, and a current photo**

Question: When is the deadline?

**Answer: Applications for the 2026 Scholarships must be submitted by March 30, 2026.**

Questions: How do I apply?

**Answer: Applications can be completed online at [www.kanokla.com/scholarships](http://www.kanokla.com/scholarships) or email applications to [scholarships@kanokla.com](mailto:scholarships@kanokla.com)**

Question: When will recipients be notified?

**Answer: Winners will be notified in April 2026.**

Questions: Who selects the scholarship recipients?

**Answer: The Kanokla Scholarship Committee reviews applications and makes the final selection.**

Question: Can I reapply if I don't receive a scholarship?

**Answer: Yes! If you are still eligible next year, you may apply again.**

Question: What happens if my application is incomplete?

**Answer: Incomplete applications will be disqualified. Be sure to submit all required documents by the deadline.**

Question: Where can I ask additional questions?

**Answer: You can contact Erma Ratliff at Kanokla by emailing [scholarships@kanokla.com](mailto:scholarships@kanokla.com) or by calling Kanokla at 1(800) 526-6552**