

THE NATIONAL LGBTQ SCHOLARSHIP FUND

HOW TO APPLY NOW:

Point Foundation (Point) is the nation's largest scholarship-granting organization for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ) students of merit. Point promotes change through scholarship funding, mentorship, leadership development, and community service training.

YOUR FIRST STEP:

Check out the Point Foundation Scholarships. If you meet our requirements, read more below.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY FOR A POINT SCHOLARSHIP?

Point Foundation considers many factors when assessing scholarship applicants, including:

- A proven track record of leadership and community involvement
- Strong academic achievement
- Working for the betterment of the LGBTQ community
- Financial need

Eligible applicants also:

- Must be enrolled or intending to enroll at an accredited college or university based in the United States, including Hawaii and Alaska, in the fall of 2018. Students enrolled or intending to enroll in a college or university in a United States territory are NOT eligible.
- Must be "out" as a person who identifies as a member of the LGBTQ community.
- Must be enrolled full-time for the full academic year.
- Must be enrolled in a degree-granting undergraduate or graduate/ doctoral program. Post-doctoral research programs are not eligible.
- Students studying at community colleges, online programs, or trade schools, are NOT eligible. [But, if you are a community college student, check out our **Community College Scholarship**]
- Community college students must be transferring to a four-year college or university.
- Must be at least a senior in high school.
- If selected as a finalist, the finalist must be in North or Central America on April 26-28 and be available to fly to Los Angeles in order to remain eligible for the scholarship. All travel expenses will be covered by Point.

Locate the following link online to apply: https://pointfoundation.org/point-apply/apply-now/

IMPORTANT DATES	
NOVEMBER 1	Point's Scholarship Application opens online
JANUARY 29	Application closes at 11:59pm PST.
FEBRUARY 26	Semifinalists ONLY – supplemental materials due.
APRIL 26-28	Finalists ONLY – in person interviews in Los Angeles.