

2025 CHSRA Senior Scholarship Application



To all High School Seniors,

Congratulations on your approaching completion of High School and the sport of High School Rodeo. Our CHSRA Scholarships are based on academics, goals of the applicant, commitment and dedication to rodeo and your involvement in your District and State Association. You must be planning to attend one of the following: Four-year College or University, Community College, an accredited vocational or trade school, or serve in any branch of the US Military.

NEW! State scholarships are now open to all CHSRA Seniors in good-standing!

If you do NOT qualify for state finals, you will not have to attend an interview in Bishop.

NOTE: All Scholarship Applications must be mailed and postmarked by Friday, May 9, 2025

CHSRA-Scholarship – PO Box 2711, Porterville, CA 92358.

Please do not require a signature for delivery as this may create delay. Delivery-receipt only by USPS if you would like to track the application.

See attached application for instructions.

In addition, if you qualified and are attending state finals, in-person interviews will be conducted by the committee in Bishop, CA at CHSRA state finals. Applications from seniors who are not attending state finals will be weighted heavily on letters of recommendations. Please ensure letters capture your unique abilities and specific service to CHSRA. Final awards will be announced at the Final Go at State Finals but you do not need to be there to redeem; packets with redemption forms¹ will be available in the rodeo office after the rodeo is completed, and/or downloaded from CHSRA.com. Scholarship redemptions will be mailed in November 2026.

Best Regards,

**Karol Aure-Flynn
CHSRA Scholarship Chair
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¹Funds will be mailed to you with proof of enrollment and attendance beyond the withdrawal without financial penalty date; Scholarships will be immediately forfeited if member is not in good-standing. See FAQs for additional questions.

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NAME: _____

CHSRA District # _____ CHSRA Membership # _____ State Finals Qualified? _____

Name of Parents
Or Guardian: _____ Applicant's Tel #: _____

Permanent Address: _____
Street

City _____ State: _____ Zip code _____

High School _____ Date of Graduation _____

SCHOLASTIC HONORS

Weighted G.P.A. Avg. _____

List any scholastic honors and/or awards. Briefly describe the honor or award:

List any membership in *scholastic* organizations and include any office or position of leadership held:

Type of post-secondary institution/school you are planning to attend next year? :

___ University/College (4 year) ___ Vocational School ___ Community College (2 yr)

Have you been accepted to any school? _____ Which ones, List names:

What is your planned course of study? _____

Number of years to complete/graduate? _____

Briefly describe your educational and occupational goals:

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INVOLVEMENT IN CHSRA

How many years have you been a member of CHSRA (JH and HS)? _____

CHSRA Offices Held District (include event directors), State, National			
Year	District or State?	Office Held	Duties

List the years you qualified AND attended:

State Finals: (Include JH and HS) _____

Challenge of Champions: _____

National Finals: (Include JH and HS) _____

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LEADERSHIP, WORK, and EXTRACURRICULAR

Work Experience			
Date of Employment	Job Title	Company / Person	Description of Work

Extracurricular Activities			
Year	Name of Activity	Office Held	Awards or Honors

Volunteer/Community Service Activities		
Year	Name of Activity	Description

Any additional information regarding non-CHSRA activities:

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REMINDER

1. ATTACH YOUR OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT WITH SCHOOL SEAL.
2. ATTACH COPY OF LETTER OF ACCEPTENCE in Academic or Vocational program.
3. ATTACH YOUR HANDWRITTEN OR TYPED ESSAY TELLING YOUR PERSONAL STORY TO THE COMMITTEE, HOW MEMBERSHIP IN CHSRA HAS IMPACTED YOU, HOW YOU PLAN TO USE THE SCHOLARSHIP, AND WHAT YOU PLAN TO DO IN THE FUTURE. MAY BE ONE or TWO PAGES, BUT NOT EXCEED TWO PAGES.
4. ATTACH YOUR LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM YOUR ADULT CHSRA STATE OFFICER, DISTRICT OFFICER/DIRECTOR, OR STATE REPRESENTATIVE.
5. ATTACH YOUR LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM PERSON NOT RELATED OR INVOLVED IN RODEO (TEACHER, MINISTER, EMPLOYER, ETC.)
6. USE ONLY THE APPLICATION FORM PROVIDED.
7. SCHOLARSHIP INTERVIEWS FOR STATE QUALIFIERS WILL TAKE PLACE DURING STATE FINALS.
8. APPLICATIONS FROM SENIORS WHO ARE NOT ATTENDING STATE FINALS WILL BE WEIGHTED HEAVILY TO LETTERS OF RECCOMENDATION.

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Any Questions?
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