



THE MARIANO-SOQUEÑA FOUNDATION'S PAUL SOQUEÑA JUNIOR GOLF SCHOLARSHIP

The Mariano-Soquena Foundation, Inc. will be awarding two (2) \$2,500 scholarships (1 girl & 1 boy) to high school graduates from the State of Hawaii. The candidates must be entering or currently attending an accredited college or technical school in the State of Hawaii or the U.S. Mainland. The scholarships are intended to help Hawaii's youth that love and play the game of golf to continue studying at an accredited 2-year or 4-year college or technical school.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, July 22, 2022

Scholarships will be awarded on August 18, 2022.

Eligibility Criteria:

- I. The candidate must be graduating or graduated from a Hawaii public or private high school and/or is undergraduate attending an accredited college or technical school in Hawaii or the U.S. Mainland.
- II. Each applicant **must** submit a Student Aid Report from "FAFSA" (Free Application for Federal Student Aid). Scholarship applications without a Student Aid Report will be disqualified. Download application at <https://studentaid.gov/>.

Selection Criteria:

Academics, financial need, community involvement, special awards and honors including athletic achievement and other evidence of personal motivation and eagerness to learn are among the criteria for selection.

Instructions to Applicant:

1. Complete the application. Attach a certified copy of your high school transcript and/or your last college term transcript.
2. A non-family member is required to complete the CONFIDENTIAL LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION. The reference can be a staff member, counselor, professor, instructor, coach or mentor. The LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION should be mailed to **The Mariano-Soquena Foundation, Inc.** Attn: The Mariano-Soquena Foundation Scholarship Committee and post marked by **July 22, 2022**.
3. Mail the application packet and LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION to:

The Mariano-Soquena Foundation, Inc.
Attn: The Mariano-Soquena Foundation Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 2963
Honolulu, HI 96802

THE MARIANO-SOQUENA FOUNDATION, INC.

Paul Soquena Junior Golf Scholarship

CANDIDATE APPLICATION FORM

(Please type or print legibly)

FULL NAME of APPLICANT _____

Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____ Gender (F)____(M)____

Home Address _____

City _____ Zip Code _____ E-Mail _____

Mailing Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Home Telephone (_____) _____ Cell Phone (_____) _____

Mother's Full Name _____

Father's Full Name _____

Parent's Present Marital Status: Married Divorced Separated Widowed

Guardian (if other than parent) _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

APPLICANT'S SCHOOL INFORMATION

Name of High School/Current Institution _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Date of Graduation _____

CANDIDATE APPLICATION FORM CONTINUED

POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANS (For High School Seniors)

Name in order of preference the institutions you would like to attend/attending:

Institute/Location	Accepted for Application	Admission Pending
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1. _____

2. _____

COLLEGE/TECHNICAL SCHOOL

Name of Institution _____ Field of Study _____

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT(S), HONORS, AWARDS & SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Please summarize the academic achievements, honors, awards and any special recognition you have received while in high school/college. Please attach your high school/college or technical school's official transcripts. Use an extra sheet if necessary: _____

STUDENT ACTIVITIES, LEADERSHIP POSITIONS, ATHLETICS & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

List student activities in which you have participated, leadership positions you have held, athletic programs you have participated, community service involvement, any accomplishments and the approximate year(s). Use an extra sheet if necessary: _____

CANDIDATE APPLICATION FORM CONTINUED

SHORT ESSAY QUESTIONS

Select and respond to only **one** of the two (2) questions below. **Begin your essay by briefly explaining how you intend to utilize the scholarship funds towards furthering your education should you be the candidate awarded the scholarship.** Continue your essay by answering one of the following questions. Answer it as completely as possible.

Question 1:

Describe the person who has had the greatest influence in your life.

Question 2:

Why did you choose your field of study?

LETTER(S) OF RECOMMENDATION

Please have the person(s) who has known you long enough to form a judgement of your personal qualities, achievements and academic abilities submit a **CONFIDENTIAL LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION** with the attached form on your behalf by **Friday, July 22, 2022.**

Letter of recommendation should be mailed directly to The Mariano-Soquena Foundation, Inc. Attn: The Mariano-Soquena Foundation Scholarship Committee **by the individual submitting the letter of recommendation and NOT submitted with this application.** You may submit more than one letter of recommendation.

I hereby declare that I have read this application and that the information provided is correct and complete.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's/Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

THE MARIANO-SOQUENA FOUNDATION, INC.

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CONFIDENTIAL LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Applicant's Name: _____

Applicant's School: _____

Name of Reference: _____

Title & Relationship to Applicant: _____

Address: _____

Phone(_____) _____ Email _____

This applicant is applying for a **\$2,500** scholarship to support continued education at an accredited 2 year or 4 year college or technical school.

Selection criteria include academic achievements, financial need, community involvement, special awards and honors including athletic pursuits and other evidence of personal motivation and eagerness to learn.

Please describe your relationship to the applicant and your assessment of the applicant's attributes, academic strengths, personal qualities, and readiness for college.

This statement is confidential and will NOT be released to the applicant or any other parties other than the Mariano-Soquena Foundation Scholarship Committee.

Please attach your response to this form and submit to our Selection Committee at the address below and postmarked no later than **Friday, July 22, 2022**.

The Mariano-Soquena Foundation

Attn: The Mariano-Soquena Foundation Scholarship Committee

P.O. Box 2963

Honolulu, HI 96802

Signature _____

Print Name _____ Date _____