

Today's Cookie CEO Scholarship Program

Through the Today's Cookie CEO program, four Girl Scout alum who are leaders in their respective fields are spotlighted each year. They explain how their Girl Scout experience has shaped their lives, influenced who they have become, and impacted their attitude toward life and their work success. We invite you to share how your Girl Scout experience has shaped you and prepared you for your future endeavors through our online application.

In 2024, the fourth year of the Today's Cookie CEO Scholarship, Girl Scouts – Diamonds will award one \$1,000 scholarship. This year's scholarship is available to Girl Scouts who graduate high school in 2024.

Requirements

- Girl Scout Ambassador who graduated in the current academic year (spring 2024) with a minimum Grade Point Average of 2.0.
- Was a registered member of Girl Scouts Diamonds for a minimum of one calendar year at the time of graduation.
- Accepted to attend an accredited institution of higher education (college, university, technical or trade school) during the calendar year following high school graduation (proof of acceptance will be required before funds are dispersed).

Guidelines

- Strength of community involvement
- Strength of commitment to Girl Scouting (years of membership, level of participation, Silver and/or Gold Award Girl Scout, etc.)
- GPA
- Extra-curricular activities (leadership roles, civic organizations, student government, athletics, etc.)
- Completed application
- Personal essay describing how your Girl Scout experience has shaped you and prepared you for your future endeavors (full essay topic in application.)

Application Process – 2024 Deadline – April 15, 2024

Complete online scholarship application at girlscoutsdiamonds.org, Other Awards and Scholarships page.

Selection Process

Applications will be anonymously reviewed and evaluated by a review committee of Today's Girl Scout Cookie CEO representatives. Committee members will base their decisions upon the requirements listed. Decisions of the committee will be considered final. All applicants will be notified of their status no later than May 15, 2024.

Scholarship Checks

Scholarship checks will be distributed directly to the accredited academic institution to be applied toward tuition and/or textbooks and must be used within one calendar year of the recipient's high school graduation. Funds will not be given directly to recipients. Funds not used within one year of high school graduation will revert back to the Girl Scouts - Diamonds Scholarship Fund.

Direct Inquiries To

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