



# Women of Wai'anae

“He ‘a‘ali‘i ku makani mai au; ‘a‘ohe makani nana e kula‘i.”-  
*I am a wind-resisting ‘a‘ali‘i, no gale can push me over. ~ ‘Olelo No‘eau #57*

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## 2021 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INFORMATION

The Women of Wai`anae (WOW) is dedicated to assisting nontraditional students, both women and men, seeking post high school educational opportunities. Requirements for scholarships are:

- High school graduate - (GED or CBASE acceptable)
- Long-term resident Wai`anae Coast resident ( 10 or more years )
- Age 25 years or older
- Nontraditional student – ( did not go to college right after high school )
- Financial need
- Seeking undergraduate degree or vocational certificate (not a graduate degree)
- Accepted into or registered in a college or trade school as a continuing student for Summer or Fall 2021.
- Has provided or willing to provide 8 hours of community service for WOW within the year (documented).
- GPA 3.0 or better

### **Submit the following with your application form:**

1. 500-Word Statement (included as part of application form)- about your financial need, educational goals and future plans.
2. Acceptance letter to an accredited college or vocational program leading to a degree or certification, or proof as a continuing student at a college or trade school for either Summer or Fall 2021.
3. Most recent transcripts /and documents of completed programs.
4. Two current SIGNED (scan acceptable) letters of recommendations by non-relatives
5. Photo or scan of front page of Student Aid Report (SARS) showing your Expected Family Contribution (EFC). If you do not plan to complete a FAFSA, use an online EFC calculator at College Board EFC calculator.

***Form can be filled online. Warning: Depending on your computer, browser, or program version, your text may disappear or enlarge beyond available field size after downloading, saving or printing to pdf. Test in advance before completing form in its entirety! Consider saving Personal Statement to Word or Pages as backup. Application form and supporting documents must be **received by MARCH 20, 2021**. Email documents to [scholarship@womenofwaianae.org](mailto:scholarship@womenofwaianae.org) or mail hard copies to Women of Waianae, 86-024 Glenmonger St, Waianae, HI 96792. Scholarships will be awarded on April 18, 2021.***



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## **2021 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM**

*Please complete all questions. If an item is not applicable, enter N/A.*

*Last Name: First Name: Middle Initial:*

*Birth Date: Phone Number:*

*Mail Address: City:*

*State: Zip: No. of years on Wai'anae Coast:*

*E-mail address:*

*High school: Diploma, GED, CBASE : Year:*

*Other colleges/trade schools attended and degree programs completed:*

*Current college or trade school you are attending or plan to attend in 2020-2021:*

*Student ID number: Current Grade Point Average :*

*Major Area of Study:*

*Intended Degree or Certificate: Expected Date of completion:*

*Have you ever received a WOW scholarship before?: When?*

*Amount? Other current scholarships Name/Date/Amount :*

*Place of employment (if applicable):*

*If awarded a scholarship, by checking the following boxes , I give permission to the Women of Wai'anae to publish my name , photo and/or video , and essay . I also agree to provide the Women of Wai'anae with 4 hours of community service . If selected but unforeseen circumstances prevent me from attending school, I agree to return the scholarship award to Women of Wai'anae. The information provided on this form is true and correct. False statements will result in loss of my scholarship.*

**Name:**

**Date:**

**Signature: (retype name)**

*Complete the Personal Statement on next page.*

# PERSONAL STATEMENT

In the area below write a 500-word essay describing your personal situation, educational and career goals, work experience, financial challenges, and important failures and successes that have shaped you. To estimate a word count of 500, click down 25 lines in the area below and type an x to mark your place. Each line of text hold around 20 words. 20 words x 25 lines = 500 words. Or save to Word/Pages and check word count.

Application form and supporting documents must be **received by MARCH 20, 2021**. Create folder with your name and add application form and supporting documents to folder. Email folder to [scholarship@womenofwaianae.org](mailto:scholarship@womenofwaianae.org). You may also send a printed hard copy of application form and documents to Women of Wai'anae, 86-024 Glenmonger St, Waianae, HI 96792. Scholarships will be awarded by April 18, 2021.