

# The Don and Reba Blaschke Scholarship For the Protection of the San Marcos River General Rules, Guidelines & Application For Texas State University Students

To be eligible for consideration, each Don and Reba Blaschke Scholarship candidate must submit a:

1. Completed application
2. Complete college transcript (can be an unofficial copy)
3. Completed 300-word essay
4. Signed 'General Rules & Guidelines' document

**Complete applications must be submitted online at [www.meadowscenter.txstate.edu/About/scholarship](http://www.meadowscenter.txstate.edu/About/scholarship) on or before July 1, 2020.**

## Selection Criteria

The scholarship is open to all majors and classifications of students attending Texas State University. Recipients will demonstrate a significant service to preserve and protect the San Marcos River and its surrounding environment as unique resources of San Marcos and Texas State University. Recipients will have a minimum overall GPA of 2.25 in their major and 2.0 in their minor. Scholarship applications will be submitted to the Scholarship Selection Committee within The Meadows Center for Water and the Environment for the selection of the recipient(s).

## Selection Process

In order to be considered, scholarship application packets must be submitted electronically at [www.meadowscenter.txstate.edu/About/scholarship](http://www.meadowscenter.txstate.edu/About/scholarship) on or before July 1, 2020.

The Scholarship Committee will announce the name and the award recipient on or before August 15, 2020. The decisions of the Scholarship Committee are final. The winning applicant for the scholarship will receive notification of the Committee's decision by U.S. Mail and by phone. **Please be sure to include correct phone and email contact information in the application. The scholarship committee must be able to reach the winning candidate(s) in order to distribute the scholarship award.**

## Terms of Award and Distribution of Funds

By signing the Don and Reba Blaschke Scholarship application, the scholarship winner agrees to the terms of the award. **This agreement includes being enrolled at Texas State University by the application date.**

The Scholarship will be distributed according to the winning candidate(s) college or Texas State University Financial Aid department. Scholarship checks will not be given to the recipients.

### Essay Instructions

Each applicant for the Don and Reba Blaschke Scholarship is required to submit a 300 word essay that will show the Scholarship Committee how the applicant is demonstrating a significant service to preserve and protect the San Marcos River and its surrounding environment as unique resources of San Marcos and Texas State University.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ Texas State Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
Street/Box City State Zip

TELEPHONE NO. \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_

State law requires that each student identify any relation to a current Board of Regents member. A student who is related to a current member of the governing board of that institution is prohibited from receiving scholarships unless the scholarship is awarded exclusively based on academic merit or is an athletic scholarship. It is a Class B misdemeanor to file a false statement.

Please review a list of current members of The Texas State University System Board of Regents at [www.tsus.edu/regents/index.html](http://www.tsus.edu/regents/index.html) and select the most appropriate answer below indicating your relation to any of the Board's members.

- Not related to a Regent
- Regent's mother, father, daughter or son
- Regent's brother, sister, grandparent or grandchild
- Regent's great-grandchild, uncle (brother of parent), aunt (sister of parent), nephew (son of brother or sister), or niece (daughter of brother or sister)
- Regent's spouse; spouse's child; spouse's mother or father; child's spouse; or parent's spouse
- Regent's spouse's brother or sister; spouse's grandparent; spouse's grandchild; brother or sister's spouse; grandparent's spouse; or grandchild's spouse

All information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand I must remain in good disciplinary standing at Texas State in order to remain eligible for Texas State scholarships.

**This application and attachments will be submitted to Susan Hankins at Texas State University, 601 University Drive, SLH-108, San Marcos, TX 78666 or to [susanhankins@txstate.edu](mailto:susanhankins@txstate.edu). No other application will be considered. Deadline to submit applications for the upcoming spring semester is November 30th.**

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DATE

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SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT