



## Alex Hudson Memorial Scholarship Application

### Description

The Alex Hudson Memorial Scholarship is for North Clackamas Schools students choosing to pursue a life and career in public service. Values that Alex's family wishes to honor in his memory include giving back to the community and service to others, especially people who are different or most vulnerable.

The scholarship may be used for a 4-year, 2-year, or certification program of study.

### Purpose

This scholarship was created by the friends and family of Alex Hudson. Alex was bright, gentle, and curious. Alex was a person with autism, and his path in life was not easy. He did not have the same educational opportunities as his peers or his sisters. Alex's impact on the lives around him brought laughter, care, and most importantly, grace. One of his sisters is a special education teacher in the North Clackamas School District, a career inspired by Alex. This scholarship is intended to inspire the recipient in a similar way.

### Application Process (for high school seniors)

Applicants must submit, as 3 separate documents:

- 1) A completed counselor recommendation form.
- 2) A completed Bridges to Success Scholarship application
- 3) A document answering the following questions;
  - a. What institutions are you likely to attend? – for each, list the school and its location.
  - b. What is your intended area of study?
  - c. Please write a short essay describing what inspired you to go into the area of service you have chosen to pursue (approximately 500 words).
  - d. Please write a short essay including describing a financial, family, or personal obstacle that you have had to overcome (approximately 500 words).

Letters of reference are encouraged but not required.

All required forms are located at [nc-foundation.org/applications](http://nc-foundation.org/applications)

Applications are due by midnight Friday April 30<sup>th</sup> and should be submitted to [ncefscholarships@gmail.com](mailto:ncefscholarships@gmail.com)

Contact [ncfoundation@nclack.k12.or.us](mailto:ncfoundation@nclack.k12.or.us) with any questions.