

# South Dakota Grand Commandery Knights Templar



## 2020 Scholarship Application

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The 2020 Scholarships will be awarded to recipients after the deadline for submission of April 15, 2020. Any applications received within five (5) after that date but postmarked before April 15, 2020 will be considered to have been submitted in a timely manner.

The Grand Commandery of Knights Templar in South Dakota would appreciate being able to receive, honor and introduce the recipients of these awards at its South Dakota state session on September 16-17, 2020 in Sioux Falls, SD. Recipients of 2020 scholarships will be contacted regarding this matter. The recipients are not required to be present at the September event.

Questions regarding the application may be directed to:

Grand Recorder: [sd.gyroffice@gmail.com](mailto:sd.gyroffice@gmail.com)

George Bauder – 605-430-2725

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KNIGHTS TEMPLAR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION - 2020

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Name:

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Last	First	Middle	Date of Birth
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Address:

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Street	City	State	ZIP Code
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High School activities participated in (attach additional sheets if needed):

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Honors and Awards (state year and nature of honor or award):

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Community involvement and activities (attach additional sheets if needed):

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Student's Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Work experience:

Employer

Job

Dates

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South Dakota Technical Institute you will attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Vocational Field or major area of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Explain how you plan to finance your technical education: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please attach a Personal Statement which describes what led you to choose this specific career path and your intentions following the completion of your education.**

To complete your application please arrange to have the following received by April 15, 2020:

1. **Two** (2) Scholarship Reference Forms filled out by **two** (2) teachers who know you well and are familiar with your academic qualifications.
2. An official transcript of all high school (and post-graduate, if applicable) course-work.
3. GED credential holders should forward their electronic test transcript to [sd.gyroffice@gmail.com](mailto:sd.gyroffice@gmail.com).
4. Academic Certification Record sent by guidance counselor or other school official.
5. Scholarship Application

To: Grand Recorder  
P. O. Box 9134  
Rapid City, SD 57709-9134

Questions? Please call the Grand Secretary/Recorder: (605).430-2725

## KNIGHTS TEMPLAR SCHOLARSHIP REFERENCE FORMS - 2020

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The following student has applied for an academic scholarship through the Grand Commandery Knights Templar of South Dakota and requests that you, as a guidance counselor or other school official, complete this Academic Certification Record to aid in the evaluation of the application. Please complete and return this form by **April 15, 2020**. Your time and effort in assisting us in evaluating the student's application is greatly appreciated.

Name:

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Address:

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High School name and city: \_\_\_\_\_

1. How long have you known the applicant and in what capacity?

2. What is your evaluation of the applicant's academic abilities?

3. Do you believe that the applicant will be successful in a college/university or technical school program?

*Student's Last Name* \_\_\_\_\_

4. Are there unique factors that make the applicant especially worthy of receiving scholarship support?

5. Additional comments (Please attach additional page(s) if needed):

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Signature

Title/Position

Date

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Questions? Please call the Grand York Rite Recorder: (605) 430-2725.

SCHOLARSHIP REFERENCE ACADEMIC CERTIFICATION RECORD  
KNIGHTS TEMPLAR SCHOLARSHIP - 2020

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- 1. Rank in High School \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Number in High School class \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. GED \_\_\_\_\_ (Please forward to sd.gyroffice@gmail.com if applicable)
- 4. G. P. A. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. ACT (if taken)    Eng.                  Math                  Read                  Sci.                  Comp.  
   \_\_\_\_\_                  \_\_\_\_\_                  \_\_\_\_\_                  \_\_\_\_\_                  \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. SAT (if taken)                  V                  M                  %  
   \_\_\_\_\_                  \_\_\_\_\_                  \_\_\_\_\_                  \_\_\_\_\_

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Signed: _____	Title/Position: _____	Date: _____
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