



**Jim Kane Scholarship Application**  
**(HS Senior) Academic Year – 2022-2023**  
**Deadline: Friday, March 10, 2023 @ 5pm PST**  
*(Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted)*

Dear First Tee Participant:

Thank you for your interest in applying for the Jim Kane Scholarship Fund benefiting High School Senior participants of First Tee – Coachella Valley. Thanks to the generosity of donors, we will be awarding up to three \$2,000 scholarships to graduating high school seniors each school year. The requirements and guidelines for scholarship applications are as follows:

**Eligibility**

1. Must have completed the junior year of high school. Applicants must have a 2.5 or better GPA.
2. Must enroll at a college or university of his/her choice. Community colleges and vocational schools where Associates Degree or Certification is earned **ARE eligible**.
3. Must have outstanding personal character, sportsmanship, and leadership qualities.
4. Must be a current member of the FTCV, for no less than two years.
5. Must be a minimum of Birdie Certified in the Life Skills Program as of **March 10, 2023**.

\*\*\*Due to National College Athletic Association rules, Scholarship winners will not receive cash directly. Scholarship recipients are required to submit in writing the name and contact information of their college or university or trade school to FTCV within six (6) months of graduation. If funds are not dispersed within one (1) year of high school graduation, scholarship is deemed relinquished and dollars of said scholarship to be relinquished to the Jim Kane Scholarship Fund.

We look forward to reading through your application.

By signing this document, you agree that you will submit all pieces of this application in full, and that if you are found not having provided all pieces, your application will not be considered for funds.

**Summary of Required Application Attachments**

1. Essays answering the three provided questions. Each separate essay should be 250 words.
2. Letter of recommendation by a First Tee Coach

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Printed Name of Applicant

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Date

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Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Signature of Parent/Guardian (if applicant is less than 18 years of age)

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Date



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Please complete the application below and return it with attachments (Completed Application, Essays, and Coaches Letter) to the First Tee - Coachella Valley office at 74945 Sheryl Ave., Palm Desert, CA or by emailing it to Teal Guion(tguion@ftcv.org) by 5pm on Friday, March 10, 2023.

First Tee - Coachella Valley will announce the 2022-2023 awards by March 21.

Name: Last First Middle Initial

Street Address: City, State, Zip:

Telephone: ( ) - Email:

Last high school attended: Year of graduation: Name City/ State

Guidance Counselor: Email or Telephone:

High School Golf Coach (if applicable): Email or Telephone:

Class Rank (if available): Class Size: Cumulative Grade Point Average:

College Entrance Test Scores (if available): SAT ACT

Class year you will enter in college: Freshman Sophomore Junior

College, university, or vocational school you plan to attend:

First Choice: Name Address City/State/Zip

Cost of tuition for one year: Cost of room and board for one year:

Second Choice: Name Address City/State/Zip

Cost of tuition for one year: Cost of room and board for one year:

Intended major/minor:

Degree you will pursue AA AS BA BS Other (please specify)

Month/Year you intend to graduate from college:

Will you be registered full-time?

Will you attend the full academic term? Yes No If no, which terms will you attend?

Where do you plan to live? On campus With parent Other

Do you intend to work while attending college? Yes No

During School Months Summer

Do you intend to work: Full-Time Part-Time

**SCHOOL & COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES CHART**

Please complete the chart below or please attach a list of activities/accomplishments to the application

<b>A. Extracurricular &amp; School Activities</b>	<b>Dates (From – To)</b>	<b>Hours Per Week</b>	<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>Responsibilities &amp; Accomplishments</b>
<i>Example: Golf Club</i>	<i>Jan 2018 - Present</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>Club President: Organized play dates</i>
<b>B. Community &amp; Volunteer Service</b>	<b>Dates (From – To)</b>	<b>Hours Per Week</b>	<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>Responsibilities &amp; Accomplishments</b>
<i>Example: Habitat for Humanity</i>	<i>July 2017 – Aug 2017</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>Helped build a home</i>
<b>C. Awards &amp; Recognition</b>	<b>Dates (From – To)</b>	<b>Hours Per Week</b>	<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>Responsibilities &amp; Accomplishments</b>
<i>Example: Most Improved Award</i>	<i>Dec 2021</i>			<i>Most improved player on my golf team</i>
<b>D. Work for Pay</b>	<b>Dates (From – To)</b>	<b>Hours Per Week</b>	<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>Responsibilities &amp; Accomplishments</b>
<i>Example: Subway</i>	<i>July 2020 – Aug 2021</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>100+</i>	<i>Customer service, food prep</i>

## ESSAY QUESTION

A major goal of the First Tee mission is to make a positive impact on your life. Your answer to the following questions will help the Scholarship Committee understand and evaluate the effect the mission has had on you. Your essays should provide insight into who you are as a person. Your answers should be typed, and each separate essay should not exceed 250 words. Written works are expected to be original and from the applicant.

- 1. Describe how you live your life positively through volunteering, community involvement, and giving back. Give a detailed example of how The First Tee Life Skills Experience has encouraged these actions on your part.**
- 2. How would you describe the experience you have had with First Tee to someone who knows nothing about the organization?**
- 3. Explain obstacles you have overcome and how this scholarship will make a difference in your life.**

### ***Applicant Certification:***

I (we) affirm the information reported is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge. I (we) agree that to verify the information reported on this form, I (we) will, on request, provide documentation necessary to verify information reported. Falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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