

IHSAF Scholarship Opportunity Application

The IHSA Foundation is offering \$14,000 dollars in scholarships to class of 2024 seniors who plan to:

- A) Major in education in college (or)
- B) Intend to get involved in the coaching profession after high school (or)
- C) Are currently licensed and actively working as an IHSA official.

Interested applicants can submit their application via a three minute or less video. (Videos over three minutes will not be considered). Two recipients from each of the seven IHSA geographic divisions will be selected to win scholarships. Be sure to address the four criteria below in the video submission, with the most emphasis being placed on #3 & #4. Be creative in telling us your high school story, and how its impact led you to pursue teaching, coaching, or officiating. A total of fourteen students will be selected and awarded \$1,000 each.

Part 1: Personal Information

High school attended, extra-curricular activities, community service and leadership positions held. (Must be part of at least one school activity or sport)

Part 2: Educational Plans

Where you intend to enroll. If still deciding, list options.

Part 3: Educational/Career Goals

Describe your education and career goals, specifically why you are choosing education or what makes you want to become a coach. Current licensed officials can describe their experience as an official.

Part 4: Your High School Participation/Experience

What has your high school participation and involvement meant to you? Include any adversity you have overcome or a highlight/memorable moment from your high school career.

Submit your video by April 22 at noon, via the link below.

2024 IHSAF Scholarship Submission Link

Questions email: thenry@ihsa.org

Sample video from a winner last year: IHSAF Scholarship Application Video (youtube.com)