HEMPFIELD FOUNDATION
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The Lancaster Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders (AAPI) Scholarship

About this scholarship: The Hempfield Foundation was established in November 1993 after interested Hempfield residents met to discuss ways to enhance the educational opportunities of public school students. The Foundation raises funds through tax-deductible contributions, endowments, and fund raisers, to promote, enhance, and supplement educational programs of the Hempfield School District. A key part of this mission is to provide scholarships to graduating seniors.

Lancaster Asian Americans Pacific Islanders (AAPI) began with a group of Asian Americans searching for a larger community and an opportunity to amplify individual voices, allow people to connect, and to celebrate AAPI contributions to the rich history of Lancaster County. The organization includes dedicated community members who are working on advocacy, development, events, marketing, communications, and more.

One Lancaster AAPI Scholarship of $1,000 will be awarded annually by the Foundation as funding is available. This is a one-time scholarship that will be awarded to a student who identifies with a member state of the Asia-Pacific regional group of member states defined by the United Nations (a list of the member states of the Asia-Pacific regional group is attached)

Annual Scholarship Amount to be awarded: $1,000

Key Scholarship Requirements:

- A recipient of this scholarship must be enrolling as full or part-time student at a postsecondary educational institution to pursue an academic or professional degree,
- The postsecondary educational institution being attended by the recipient must provide an educational program of training that prepares students for gainful employment in a recognized occupation, is authorized under federal or state law to provide such a program, and is accredited by a nationally recognized accreditation organization,
- *The applicant must identify with a member state of the Asia-Pacific regional group of member states as defined by the United Nations,*
- Consideration of financial need (as indicated by their Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)/SAI#) will be taken into account.

Use of the Scholarship: The scholarship may be used for tuition/credit fees, books/materials, computers/technology, room and board or any other costs directly related to the recipient's course of study.

The completed application for this scholarship along with any attachments must be emailed as a SINGLE PDF to the Hempfield Foundation at hempfieldfoundation@gmail.com by March 27, 2026.

United Nations

Regional groups of Member States

Asia-Pacific States

Afghanistan
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Bhutan
Brunei Darussalam
Cambodia
China
Cyprus
Democratic People's Republic of Korea
Fiji
India
Indonesia
Iran (Islamic Republic of)
Iraq
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kiribati*
Kuwait
Kyrgyzstan
Lao People's Democratic Republic
Lebanon
Malaysia
Maldives
Marshall Islands
Micronesia (Federated States of)
Mongolia
Myanmar
Nauru
Nepal
Oman
Pakistan
Palau
Papua New Guinea
Philippines
Qatar
Republic of Korea
Samoa
Saudi Arabia
Singapore
Solomon Islands
Sri Lanka
Syrian Arab Republic
Tajikistan
Thailand
Timor-Leste
Tonga
Türkiye*
Turkmenistan
Tuvalu
United Arab Emirates
Uzbekistan
Vanuatu
Viet Nam
Yemen

*Kiribati. As of 2010, Kiribati (geographically in Oceania) is not a member of any regional group, despite other Oceania nations belonging to the Group of Asia-Pacific States.

*Türkiye. Türkiye participates fully in both the Group of Western European and other States and the Group of Asia-Pacific States, but for electoral purposes is considered a member of the Group of Western European and other States only.

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The Lancaster AAPI Scholarship Application

Applicant's Name: _____

Address: _____

Parent(s) Name: _____

Address: _____

The United Nations Asia-Pacific regional group member state with which the applicant identifies: _____

1. Name of Postsecondary Education Institution Attending:_____

2. Course of education being pursued:_____

3. Grade Point Average:_____

4. Extracurricular Activities and Year(s) Participated (you may write them below or attach a list):

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5. Work Experience within the past five (5) years. Please provide a list of any work experience you have had in the past five (5) years that includes your employer's name and address, a summary of your key work assignments, the hours worked per week, and the dates you were employed.

6. Community Service Experience within the past five (5) years. Please provide a list of any community service experience you have had in the past five (5) years that includes the organization's name, a summary of the activities you did, and the dates you were involved.

7. Please attach a written paragraph on a topic of interest or concern to you. List any pertinent facts about yourself or your circumstances that are relevant to your qualifications for the scholarship. Please include a general description of your academic/professional goals.

8. FAFSA Score/SAI#:_____
(Please attach a screenshot, or any other verifying documentation of your score/#. NOTE: You may also include a brief narrative (100 words or less) detailing your financial need)

The above information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. If needed, I agree to provide transcripts upon request.

Applicant's Printed Name:_____

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____