

2026 Scholarship Application

Salt River Electric Scholarship Program

This year, Salt River Electric has several scholarship opportunities:

- Eight (8) \$1,000 scholarships (awarded two per board district)
 - In each district, one scholarship will be awarded to a graduating student pursuing a traditional degree at a college or university, and one will be awarded to a graduating student pursuing a career through a trade or vocational program at an accredited school.
- One (1) Larry Hicks Memorial Scholarship in the amount of \$2,000 (criteria below).

Program Requirements:

1. Any applicant interested in one of the eight Salt River Electric scholarships must be high school senior who is on track to graduate at the end of the 2025-2026 school year.
2. Applicant must be enrolled or have plans to enroll at an accredited college, university, vocational or trade school.
3. All applicants must reside on Salt River Electric lines, or the primary residence of their parents or guardian must be located on Salt River Electric lines.
4. Applicants for the Larry Hicks Memorial Scholarship must be enrolled full-time at an accredited college or university, and have completed **at least** 60 credit hours towards a degree in finance or accounting.
5. Applicants for the Larry Hicks Memorial Scholarship must complete the attached form, as well as a typed essay on the provided topic. Essay will become property of Salt River Electric.

Required Documents for all scholarships:

1. **Completed Scholarship Information Form**
2. **A copy of applicant's most recent transcript (unofficial)**

In addition to the above requirements, applicants for the Larry Hicks Memorial Scholarship must submit:

3. **A typed essay on the provided topic**
- Completed applications can be turned in to any of our four Salt River Electric offices, to the attention of **Diana Edwards.**
 - Recipients will be contacted prior to the cooperative's annual meeting to gather additional information, and will schedule a time to have their photograph taken, to be used by the cooperative in marketing and promoting the scholarship program.
 - Scholarship recipients will be announced during the cooperative's annual business meeting on June 2nd.
 - Funds are not renewable, and will be paid to the recipient's school following their announcement.

Deadline is Friday, April 10, 2026

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Applicant Information

Name _____ Age _____ Male _____ Female _____

Permanent Home Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____ Home Ph. _____ Cell Ph. _____

Your Parent/Guardian's Salt River Electric Account Number: # _____

Name of Father/Step Father/Legal Guardian _____

Name of Mother/Step Mother/Legal Guardian _____

Name of parents/guardians you currently live with _____

Name of current high school (or college) _____

Postsecondary plans (check one) Traditional degree _____ Trade or vocational program _____

Name of college or school you plan to attend _____

What degree (or trade program) are you intending to pursue? _____

What is your estimated cost **per semester**? _____

Which scholarship are you applying for? (Indicate below)

Larry Hicks Memorial Scholarship _____ Salt River Electric Scholarship _____

Have you been awarded any additional scholarships? _____

Have you applied for any additional scholarships? _____

If so, list additional scholarships, their amount and duration below:

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

If applicable, list any loans or grants, their amount and duration below:

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

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****For Students Applying for the Larry Hicks Memorial Scholarship****

What degree are you pursuing? _____

How many credit hours have you completed? _____ **(min. 60 credit hours required)**

What is your anticipated graduation date? _____

Essay Topic

Students applying for the Larry Hicks Memorial Scholarship are required to submit a typed 300-word essay on the following topic:

Why did you decide to pursue a degree in accounting or finance? Why do you feel this is a worthwhile pathway to pursue?