



Northern California Community Blood Bank Community Impact Scholarship Program

The Northern California Community Blood Bank was founded in 1951 to fill the need for a reliable local blood supply. Our mission isn't just about collecting blood—it's about building connections. We get out there, talk with people, and show just how much of a difference blood donation can make. We work with community partners and strive to make blood donation accessible, hoping to inspire more people to roll up their sleeves and help save lives.

Students play a huge role in this. We see young people stepping up, donating blood or even leading blood drives, and showing real passion for community health. These individuals make a bigger impact than they realize. Their energy and leadership are vital to what we do.

That's why we created our Community Impact Scholarship. Every year, we award three \$1,000 scholarships to students who've shown exceptional dedication to blood donation and are heading off to college or other post-secondary programs. It's our way of saying thanks and cheering them on as they continue to champion blood donation and make a difference in our community.

Requirements:

- The scholarship program runs from the beginning of your high school's senior year until the last day of April each academic year.
- To qualify, students must be graduating high school seniors in Humboldt or Del Norte Counties.
- To qualify, students must be enrolled or plan to enroll in a college, university, community college, trade school, or other post-high school educational facility or adult education program.
- To qualify, students must demonstrate volunteer involvement.
 - To meet this requirement, students may organize a blood drive, volunteer with a high school blood drive, volunteer with a community blood drive or at the Blood Bank, or plan and execute a school/community health education project related to blood donation or blood transfusion.
 - Other community health related volunteer work such as at a hospital will be considered.
 - Northern California Community Blood Bank can assist you with volunteering opportunities.
 - Northern California Community Blood Bank can provide free tools and resources to help you organize a successful blood drive, including social media images, educational flyers, and more. We are here to help you be successful!
- Blood Bank staff, and friends and family of staff, are eligible to participate in the scholarship program if they meet all other requirements.

Not Required but Recommended:

- Donate blood at least 3 times by end of senior year.
 - If your school's final blood drive of the year is after the scholarship submission deadline date, please note the date that you intend to make your 3rd donation.
- Recruit blood donors.
 - Provide the names of your donors for the Northern California Community Blood bank to verify.
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How to Apply:

- Download and complete the application, questionnaire, and authorization forms (if you require more space to complete questionnaire, please attach additional pages).
- Your questionnaire responses may be used on our website, in marketing materials, or on social media.
- Include a photograph of yourself. If you are awarded a scholarship, your photograph may be used on our website, in marketing materials, or on social media.
- Submit application and related documents by April 30th of senior year.
- Mail, email, or deliver application (email is preferred).

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If you have any questions regarding the scholarship program, application, deadline, or wish to get volunteer information, please email recruitment@nccbb.org or call (707) 443-8004.