

TAFE Student of the Year Scholarship

APPLICATION FORM



Verify all of these items are completed and attached prior to mailing:

- Application Form
- Leadership Resume (TAFE Activities)
- Questionnaire Form
- High School transcript showing grades through 2ND six weeks of senior Year
- Recommendation from TAFE advisor
- Recommendation from other school personnel

Name _____ E-Mail _____

Home Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone Number _____

High School Name _____ School Phone _____

School District _____

GPA (4 pt. scale) _____ Class Rank _____ Class Size _____

Parent or Parents/Guardians Name(s) _____

Name of TAFE Advisor _____

Signature of Advisor _____

Signature of Applicant _____

Signature of Principal _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

Date: _____

Important

**To compete for TAFE Student of the Year, mail
three (3) copies of the completed application
POSTMARKED by January 10, 2020.**

Mail to:

**Texas Association of Future Educators
1833 South IH 35
Austin, Texas 78741**

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LEADERSHIP RESUME'

Student name _____ School _____

Put a checkmark beside the **TAFE** activities in which you have participated and leadership positions held during high school. If you have participated in the activity for more than one year, mark the corresponding boxes beside the activity. Other is a category of activity that may not be listed on the form. Write it in but use only one line per activity.

ACTIVITY	YEARS				ACTIVITY	YEARS			
LOCAL ACTIVITY	9	10	11	12	REGION ACTIVITY	9	10	11	12
Local President					Other				
Local Vice-President					STATE ACTIVITY				
Local Secretary					State President				
Local Treasurer					State Vice-President				
Local Historian					State Secretary				
Member					State Historian				
Community Service					State Officer Candidate				
Community Service					Attended Teach Tomorrow Summit				
Community Service					Presented Breakout Session - Group Leader				
Committee Chairman					Attended Summer Leadership Workshop				
Committee Member					State & Region Officer Training Workshop				
Other					Other				
Other					NATIONAL ACTIVITY				
REGION ACTIVITY					Attended National Conference				
Attended Fall Conference					Presented Breakout Session - Group Leader				
Attended Spring Conference					National Ambassador				
Region Meeting Host					National Officer Candidate				
Presented Breakout Session - Group Leader					National Officer				
Other					Other				

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TAFE ADVISOR'S RECOMMENDATION

(Required Attachment)

Student name _____ School _____

1. How long have you known applicant?
2. How reliable is the applicant? Give examples of ways applicant has demonstrated reliability.
3. How does the student interact with peers? How well does the student work with the TAFE Chapter?
4. Has he/she shown initiative or self-motivation? (Explain)
5. If given a task, does the student follow through and show dependability? (Explain)
6. Do you believe the student would make an outstanding teacher? (Explain)
7. Is there anything we should know about this student other than what is listed above?

Signature of Advisor

Date

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SECOND RECOMMENDATION FROM SCHOOL PERSONNEL OTHER THAN THE ADVISOR

(Required Attachment)

Student name _____ School _____

Please circle one:

1. How well does the student interact with adults? Disrespectful Mostly Respectful Always Respectful
2. Is punctuality a part of this student's life? Never Occasionally Most of the time Always
3. Does the applicant have respect for students and teachers? Never Occasionally Most of the time Always
4. What level of maturity does this student exhibit? Immature Relatively mature Extremely mature
5. Describe one leadership trait which comes to mind when thinking of this applicant? (Give examples)

6. Is the student dependable and responsible? (Give examples)

7. How does this student handle leadership in your school? (Give examples)

8. Is there anything we should know that has not been covered?

9. Please give an overall rating of this student for TAFE Student of the Year applicant.

1 2 3 4 5
(Lowest) (Highest)

Signature

Date

Title

School District

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STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE

(Required Attachment)

Student name _____ School _____

Please respond to the questions below with a typewritten response of no more than 100 words for each question. Attach additional pages if needed.

1. What do you feel has been your greatest accomplishment as a member of TAFE?

2. What have you learned by being involved in TAFE? How will you apply what you have learned?

3. Why do you want to be a teacher?

4. Describe any special circumstances related to TAFE that you feel this Selection Committee should know or anything about yourself that has not been expressed on the application.

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STUDENT INTERVIEW PREVIEW QUESTIONS

THE STUDENT WILL BE INTERVIEWED ON 4 OF THE 20 QUESTIONS BELOW.

1. What do you believe makes a great teacher? Why?
2. Why do you want to be a teacher?
3. When you become a teacher how will you measure success in your students?
4. Discuss your opinion on the importance of a teacher being thought of as a friend. Do you think it is necessary that students like you? Why?
5. Discuss one idea you will implement in your classroom to motivate students to achieve.
6. What special qualities or talents do you have that will make you a good teacher?
7. It is the first day/week of school. What would you do to create a cohesive culture?
8. What are your long-term goals?
9. Where do you see yourself in 5 years?
10. How do you measure success in your life?
11. Do you believe volunteering in your community is important? Why?
12. Name one of your greatest qualities and give an example when it was in.
13. What important contributions have you added to your TAFE chapter?
14. What outstanding action separates you above your other TAFE chapter members?
15. Why should we choose you as TAFE student of the year?
16. What community service project have you completed in TAFE that has made the biggest impact on your personal life?
17. While attending TAFE conferences, what information have you learned that you applied at your internship site?
18. Give an example of when you have taken initiative at your internship site or in your TAFE chapter?
19. What is one-word people use to describe you? Why?
20. What do you believe is your greatest accomplishment?