

## **Eric's Corner "Living with Epilepsy" Scholarship**

### **2026 Scholarship Application for High School Seniors Living with Epilepsy**

**Eric's Corner** (ericscorner.org) will award one \$1,000 scholarship to a graduating high school senior who is living with epilepsy and is planning on a secondary education at a college, university or vocational school.

Purpose: To help a local graduating senior living with epilepsy continue to learn, thrive and make a positive impact on our community.

#### **MINIMUM APPLICANT QUALIFICATIONS**

Applicant must:

- 1) Have a diagnosis of epilepsy. This must be confirmed by a statement from the applicant's physician.
- 2) Provide proof of your intent to attend a post-secondary academic or vocational program.
- 3) Be a high school graduate of the class of 2026 with at least a 2.0 GPA.
- 4) Be enrolled full-time at a Tri-Valley High School during the 2025-2026 school year.
- 5) Be available to receive the scholarship in person and provide annual progress updates.

Please complete the Application. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Awards will be based on the quality of applications through a competitive review process that balances need with achievement. Eric's Corner reserves the right to determine each year the number of scholarships given. This is a one-time award.

#### **TIMELINE**

February 1, 2026	Scholarship application available at <a href="http://www.ericscorner.org/scholarship">www.ericscorner.org/scholarship</a>
April 15, 2026	Scholarship applications due via email or mailing address
May 15, 2026	Scholarship winner announced

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#### 1) Contact Information

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

#### 2) School Information

Name and Address of your High School: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Name and location of the school you will be attending during the next academic year: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Will you be a full-time student?  Yes  No

Major/Field of study/Vocation: \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: Verification of acceptance into the school you will be attending must be submitted. Applicant must also provide a high school transcript and grade point average.*

#### 3) Awards and Activities (use separate paper, if needed)

List any special awards or honors received during school or outside school:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

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List any school extracurricular activities:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

List any activities outside of school (clubs, hobbies, volunteering, etc.)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

#### **4) Work Experience**

Name and Address of Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Type of work: \_\_\_\_\_ Hours worked per week: \_\_\_\_\_

*Attach a resume, if available.*

#### **5) References**

Include one letter of reference to accompany your application (do not use a relative).

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#### 6) Information About Your Seizure Disorder (optional)

Age of seizure onset: \_\_\_\_\_ Type(s) of seizure that you experience: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe a typical seizure: \_\_\_\_\_

# of seizures per year: \_\_\_\_\_ per month: \_\_\_\_\_ per day: \_\_\_\_\_

Are your seizures controlled?  Yes  No

Date of last seizure: \_\_\_\_\_

List medications you are currently taking: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you had surgery to address seizures?  Yes  No

If yes, describe procedure: \_\_\_\_\_

#### 7) Personal Essay

Please attach a short, typed essay (300 word minimum) about your goals. How has having epilepsy affected or influenced these goals and your work toward achieving them? Tell us about how epilepsy has influenced your life and what you wish people knew about epilepsy. Be sure to include your personal experiences and how you overcame adversity.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please email the completed application by April 15, 2026 to [eric@ericscorner.org](mailto:eric@ericscorner.org) or via mail to:

Eric's Corner  
4300 Black Ave. #1571  
Pleasanton, CA 94566  
Attn: Scholarship

**Be sure to include:**

- ✓ Completed application
- ✓ Physician's verification of epilepsy diagnosis
- ✓ Proof of acceptance to post-secondary school
- ✓ Current high school transcript with GPA
- ✓ Personal essay
- ✓ Letter of reference (not a relative)