What is the SAA scholarship?

The Schaumburg Athletic Association Executive Board is offering a $1,000.00 scholarship.

Who can apply for the SAA Scholarship?

This scholarship is open to any private/parochial or District 211 high school senior meeting the criteria below. The Scholarship will be awarded to the one candidate who gets the highest score on the selection ranking.

Scholarship Criteria

Each applicant must meet the following requirements in order to be considered for the SAA scholarship:

- Five (5) years total participation as a team player within the SAA organization prior to senior year. Total participation can be in one sport or a combination of sports. If you have participated in SAA in other activities, please be sure to include that; however, this does not satisfy the 5 year requirement.
- A minimum GPA of 2.5 (unweighted).

What documentation is required?

Each applicant must submit the following by **March 31, 2026**:

- **A completed application** (in this brochure or from the SAA web site)
- **Official GPA Records** verifying that you meet the GPA requirement for the scholarship. This must be sent directly to saascholarship@saa-online.com from **Maia Learning or Parchment. No exceptions.**
- **A letter of recommendation** from a high school counselor, teacher, principal, etc. This letter should answer the question, "How does this person exemplify the attributes described in the SAA Mission?"
- **A letter of recommendation** from a coach or manager in one of the sports in which you participated. This letter should also answer the question, "How does this person exemplify the attributes described in the SAA Mission?"
- **An essay** stating why you feel you represent the SAA Mission, what your plans are for the scholarship, and how your experiences in the organization have helped you/will help you reach your goals.

How do I apply for the SAA scholarship?

Fill out the form in this brochure, or download another form from the SAA web site and fill it out. Email the required documentation and letters, to saascholarship@saa-online.com. Applications and supporting documentation must be received by **March 31, 2026** for consideration for this year's scholarship.

When will the scholarship be awarded?

A committee from Schaumburg Athletic Association will review all applications. The scholarship winner will be notified after May 18, 2026 and will receive their scholarship at the **June 15, 2026** Executive Board meeting.

Send applications and supporting documentation to:

Schaumburg Athletic Association
to saascholarship@saa-online.com

www.saa-online.com
Phone: 847-352-7422
Email:saascholarship@saa-online.com

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Criteria and Application 2026

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SCHAUMBURG, IL 60193
847-352-7422
saascholarship@saa-online.com

Schaumburg Athletic Association
Scholarship Award Application
2026

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

School attending in fall: _____

In which SAA sports did you participate, and for how many years?

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Submit with your application:

- **An official GPA record (transcripts must emailed from Maia Learning or Parchment directly to saascholarship@saa-online.com)**
- **Two (2) recommendation letters (emailed)**
- **Your essay (emailed)**

Note: Be sure to read the requirements and other information on this entire brochure before submitting your application.