



NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE (NYL)

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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We are pleased to announce that there are two scholarship opportunities available for NYL graduating members and alumni who successfully completed at least one year of the two-year NYL term:

1. The Senator Valerie Wiener (Retired) NYL Scholarship (one \$1,000 scholarship);
2. The Nevada Youth Legislature Scholarship (one \$2,500 scholarship);

Scholarships are to be used for tuition, class materials, or campus-related fees. Scholarships will be paid directly to an accredited institution of higher learning for undergraduate or graduate study.

THE SELECTION PROCESS

Applicants will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Academic performance.
- Demonstrated leadership through scholastic and civic engagement activities, including service in the NYL and beyond.
- Essay responses.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Applications must be received or postmarked on or before April 30, 2024. At this time, our intention is to determine 2024 scholarship recipients by June 1, 2024.

You may submit your scholarship application in one of the following ways:

Via:	To:
Mail	NYL Program Facilitator Research Division Legislative Counsel Bureau 401 South Carson Street Carson City, Nevada 89701-4747
Email*	info@youthleg.state.nv.us
Fax	(775) 684-6400

* If you submit the application **electronically**, please print page 3, sign it, scan the completed page, and include it with the online form.

We look forward to receiving your application and appreciate your service to the NYL. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Research Division at (775) 684-6740 or email info@youthleg.state.nv.us.

OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT

High School Seniors: Please attach your high school and college (if appropriate) transcripts.

College Freshmen and Sophomores: Please attach high school and college transcripts.

College Juniors and Beyond: Please attach college transcripts only.

ACADEMIC HONORS, AWARDS, AND MEMBERSHIP ACTIVITIES

High School Seniors: Please list your high school honors, awards, and activities.

College Freshmen and Sophomores: Please list high school and college honors, awards, and activities.

College Juniors and Beyond: Please list college honors, awards, and activities only.

Your answer may not exceed 500 words and must be visible within the boundaries of the answer field.

DISCLAIMER AND SIGNATURE

I certify that the information I have provided is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

ESSAY 1—DEMONSTRATED LEADERSHIP

Describe how you have demonstrated leadership through scholastic and civic engagement activities, including your role as a Nevada Youth Legislator.

Your answer may not exceed 500 words and must be visible within the boundaries of the essay field.

ESSAY 2—LEADERSHIP ... NOW AND BEYOND

What is the most relevant and timely issue in Nevada and/or the nation? How would you take a leadership role to address this issue?

Your answer may not exceed 500 words and must be visible within the boundaries of the essay field.

EXTRA QUESTION FOR PREVIOUS SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

If you have previously received an NYL Scholarship:

1. How has this assistance helped you with your academic or professional goals, and how would receiving an additional NYL Scholarship help you achieve your goals?
2. What have you done since receiving the NYL Scholarship that would distinguish you as a recipient for this year's scholarship?

Your answer may not exceed 500 words and must be visible within the boundaries of the essay field.

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