



**Silicon Valley Taiwanese American Industrial Technology
Association (TAITA-SV)**

TAITA-SV Student Leadership Scholarship

- HIGH SCHOOL -

July 30, 2024

TAITA is excited to announce the 2024 TAITA Student Leadership Scholarship, designed to encourage and recognize the scholastic and leadership achievements of high school students. This scholarship will be awarded to up to five high school students who demonstrate a balanced mix of academic excellence, participation in extracurricular activities, and involvement in community service. Award winners will be required to attend the 2024 TAITA Annual Banquet to receive their certificate of scholarship and award check.

The Scholarship Program aims to provide merit-based scholarships to high school students who are financially disadvantaged in the greater Northern California area.

Eligibility

All student applicants must meet the following qualifications:

- a) The student must be enrolled in junior high school or high school in Northern California at the time of application with a minimum average GPA of 3.0.
- b) The student must be recommended by ONE TAITA board director or advisor, or two TAITA members. If the applicant does not know any TAITA board director or advisor, they can send a request to info@taita.org for a recommendation. TAITA will arrange for a board director or advisor to speak with the applicant.
- c) The student must demonstrate a desire to learn and continue their education while being in a financially disadvantaged situation.

Five recipients **will be awarded \$1,000 each**. The application deadline is **September 15, 2024**. Please visit www.taita.org to download the application form and for additional information.

APPLICATION PROCESS

PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING:

1. A COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM (ENCLOSED WITH THIS PACKET).
2. A ONE-PAGE WRITTEN BIOGRAPHY (TYPED, DOUBLE-SPACED, TIMES NEW ROMAN, FONT SIZE 12).
3. A TYPED ESSAY ON THE FOLLOWING PROMPT:

“THE TAIWAN I KNOW” (APPROXIMATELY 1000 WORDS).

4. ONE LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION ON OFFICIAL LETTERHEAD EMAILED TO INFO@TAITA.ORG BY A FACULTY MEMBER, TEACHER, COUNSELOR, COMMUNITY LEADER, OR SUPERVISOR.
5. AN OFFICIAL COPY OF THE MOST RECENT TRANSCRIPT. THE SELECTION COMMITTEE WILL CONTACT FINALISTS FOR AN INTERVIEW.

DEADLINE

THE COMPLETED APPLICATION PACKET SHOULD BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 15, 2024. PLEASE EMAIL THE PACKET TO INFO@TAITA.ORG OR MAIL IT TO:

TAITA-SV SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

P.O. BOX 2174

SUNNYVALE, CA

SUBMIT APPLICATIONS WITH **FIRST-CLASS MAIL**; DO NOT SEND REGISTERED MAIL OR MAIL REQUIRING SIGNATURES.

RECIPIENTS OF SCHOLARSHIP

AWARD WINNERS WILL BE REQUIRED TO ATTEND THE 2024 TAITA ANNUAL BANQUET IN SILICON VALLEY ON OCTOBER 19, 2024, TO RECEIVE THE CERTIFICATE OF SCHOLARSHIP AND THE AWARD CHECK.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- APPLICATION FORM WITH ONE TAITA BOARD DIRECTOR OR ADVISOR, OR TWO TAITA MEMBERS' SIGNATURES.
- A ONE-PAGE BIOGRAPHY (TYPED, DOUBLE-SPACED, TIMES NEW ROMAN, FONT SIZE 12, ONE-INCH MARGINS ON ALL SIDES).
- A TYPED ESSAY: **"THE TAIWAN I KNOW"** (APPROXIMATELY 1000 WORDS).
- ONE LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION ON OFFICIAL LETTERHEAD, SIGNED OVER THE SEAL OF THE ENVELOPE BY A FACULTY MEMBER, TEACHER, COUNSELOR, COMMUNITY LEADER, OR SUPERVISOR.
- AN OFFICIAL COPY OF THE MOST RECENT TRANSCRIPT.
- ANY SUPPLEMENTAL ITEMS YOU WOULD LIKE US TO CONSIDER (OPTIONAL).



TAITA-SV STUDENT LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP – HIGH SCHOOL
APPLICATION

Last Name: _____ First name: _____ Middle Initial: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ CA, Zip Code: _____

E-mail address: _____ Phone #: (____) _____

School Name: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ CA, Zip Code: _____

Parents' Address: _____

City: _____ CA, Zip Code: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____ Phone #: (____) _____

Combined household income: under \$25,000 \$25,000 - \$50,000 \$50,000 - \$100,000 over \$100,000



Extracurricular Activities: include dates & positions held:

Honor, Awards, Certificates, and Academic Achievements:

ONE TAITA Board Director or Advisor, or TWO TAITA members Recommendation by:

(Name) (Signature) (Phone) (Relationship to Applicant)

Signature:

(Applicant) (Parent/Guardian) Date (mm/dd/yy)

****Optional: You may include other information you feel will support your application**