



Galveston Golf Cart Society Jesse Salinas Scholarship Application 2025-2026

The Galveston Golf Cart Society Scholarship program was created in honor of founder, Jesse Salinas. Jesse was born on the island and proudly attended Ball High School. The education Jesse received served as the foundation to developing a successful career in his chosen vocation until his passing in 2022. This scholarship is offered in recognition of his legacy.

Eligibility Criteria

- GISD senior, Graduate of GISD currently attending Galveston College or child/grandchild of GGCS member in good standing, Odyssey Academy, O'Connell Preparatory, Upward Hope Academy.
- US resident or permanent legal resident.
- Intend to pursue a two-or four-year college/university, apprenticeship or trade school with focus on Vocational/Trade careers; ex: welding, police force, cosmetology, radiology, vocational nursing, vet tech, HVAC, automotive, culinary, etc.

Applicant Name _____ Email _____

Current Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

(If under 18 years of age)

High School or College currently attending: _____

Current High School or College CTE/Trade Program: _____

Proposed School (Institute, College or University) _____

Proposed Major/Area of Study _____

Have you received acceptance to this school? Yes _____ NO _____

Start Date _____

Are you currently employed? If so, please provide the following:

Name of Business: _____

Phone Number: _____ Supervisor's Name: _____

School and Community Involvement:

Certificates/Licenses/Credentials earned or to be earned at the end of the current school year:

List participation in your community or church, extra-curricular activities, student organizations or clubs, etc. (add an attachment if necessary).

Personal References (3) Please do not use family members.

Name	Address	Telephone Number	Occupation
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2.			
3.			
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Career Influence Personal Statement:

Attach a personal statement that would assist in judging your eligibility. This statement should be 200 to 500 words telling the reader about you, your accomplishments, your future goals, and the career you are pursuing. Include your trade/vocation career choice and why you are choosing this career, or what/who influenced you the most in making this career choice. Include any other information you would like to share with the committee that would help us in making our selection of scholarship recipients.

Application Response:

Applications Accepted through **March 30, 2026**

Send application and attachment to Peggy Heatley via email

scholarship@galvestongolfcartsociety.org

Annual Awards

A minimum amount of \$1,000 per student will be awarded for tuition, fees or required equipment and will be **paid directly to the academic institution or vendor**. Verification of enrollment must be provided prior to disbursement of award. Multiple recipients may be awarded.

The scholarship will be presented at the Scholarship Award Ceremony, date/location to be announced. Recipients and their family are encouraged to attend.

We applaud your success thus far and look forward to reviewing your application.

I affirm that the information I have provided on this application and the supporting material is complete, accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that furnishing false information may result in not being considered or revocation of scholarship aid at some later date.

Applicant's Signature

_____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

(If under 18 years of age)

If you are selected as a Scholarship recipient, Galveston Golf Cart Society may request your photograph and/or testimonial for public relations purposes. Please indicate below:

YES, I will approve the use of my information/photo **NO**, I will not approve the use of my information/photo.

Signed _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

(If under 18 years of age)