# ARIZONA SWISS FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2024-25

The scholarship program of the Arizona Swiss Foundation is designed to stimulate and encourage the academic success of members and children of the Arizona Swiss Society.

The Arizona Swiss Foundation hopes to take a role in encouraging tomorrow's leaders by providing scholarship support to deserving students. Scholarships awarded by the Arizona Swiss Foundation have helped many young people achieve their educational goals. High emphasis will be placed on scholastic or vocational merit.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- 1. Applicants must either be Swiss nationals or of Swiss descent, with at least one grandparent or great-grandparent being a Swiss national
- 2. Applicants must be a member or a legal dependent of members of the Arizona Swiss Society
- 3. Applicants must be enrolled or plan to enroll in a college or vocational/technical school for the coming academic year as full-time or part-time students (minimum 6 credit hours per semester)

### APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Please download the scholarship instructions and application for 2024-2025 from Arizonaswisssociety.com

Send the completed application and supporting materials, including transcripts, to

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For questions, contact Lisa White. If you cannot reach her, please contact Anthony P. Haechler (602) 405-7767 <a href="mailto:anthonyhaechler@yahoo.com">anthonyhaechler@yahoo.com</a>

Contact Lisa White if you did not receive a confirmation email by July 3<sup>rd</sup> of receipt of your application and all necessary documents.

## **APPLICATION DEADLINE: JUNE 30, 2024**

Emphasis will be on a complete and timely submission of the application. Applications for 2023-24 will be available after April 15, 2024.

## **APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

To be considered for a scholarship, please complete and submit the scholarship application form with the following documents:

- 1. Essay (maximum two pages), covering the following points:
  - a. Educational and career goals
  - b. Ties to Switzerland and the Arizona Swiss Society
  - c. Community involvement and service
  - d. Personal interests
  - e. What it means to you to receive this scholarship
- 2. Official transcripts of all course work completed at the college or university level
- 3. Graduated High School Seniors only: Official High School transcripts including grades for the Senior year. After a year of study at the college level, a High School transcript is no longer required
- 4. Copies of the ACT, SAT or other college level entrance examination (High School Seniors only)
- 5. Letters of recommendation from two unrelated individuals, stating the relationship to the applicant. Recommendations must be from the current year. Copies of previous recommendations are not acceptable.

NOTE: APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN JUNE 30, 2024

#### **AWARDS**

A total between \$4000 and \$6000 will be distributed to three qualified students. The recommendation of scholarship recipients is at the sole discretion of a panel of Arizona educators independent of the Arizona Swiss Society. Successful applicants will be notified before the annual Fall Picnic. They will be recognized at this event and are expected to be present for the occasion. Award checks will be made payable to the applicant's school.