



2018 GSEMA Scholarship Award Fact Sheet

February 1–March 2, 2018

Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts (GSEMA) is now accepting applications for the 2018 GSEMA Scholarship Award.

Two scholarships (in the amount of \$1,500 each) will be awarded to two graduating high school senior Girl Scouts in recognition of exemplary leadership, community engagement, and personal commitment to the Girl Scouts mission. The scholarship is to be used toward post-high school study.

One (1) online application and two (2) online recommendations (one from school and one from the community) are due by **Friday, March 2, 2018 at 11:59 PM EST**. No extensions will be granted.

RECIPIENT CRITERIA

CANDIDATES MUST:

- Graduate from high school in 2018.
- Be a registered Girl Scout for the 2018 membership year and actively engaged as a Girl Scout with Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts.
- Demonstrate a consistent commitment to the Girl Scout mission of building girls of courage, confidence, and character, who make the world a better place.

GSEMA SCHOLARSHIP PROCESS

- **Complete the online application.** The [online application](#) is available 24/7.
- **Two Recommenders** (one from school and one from the community) must submit an online recommendation at the request of the applicant. Recommenders must be adults and non-family members. The [recommendation form](#) is available 24/7.
- All application and supporting recommendations must be submitted by the deadline in order to be considered by the GSEMA Scholarship Committee. Extensions will not be granted.
- Applicants and recommenders are required to **print and keep a hard copy** of all paperwork submitted. GSEMA is not responsible for any lost or misdirected submissions.
- The GSEMA Scholarship Committee will announce the award decision in mid-April 2018.

Questions?

Contact the GSEMA Scholarship Committee at board@gsema.org.