



2024 KD Market Academics Scholarship Award Application

KD Market will be issuing one (1) \$2,000 (two thousand US dollars), one (1) \$1,000 (one thousand US dollars) and one \$500 (five hundred US dollars) awards to recognize Students with Polish Heritage in the Academics Category.

The award recipient will be selected by KD Market Scholarship Committee.

Disbursement of the award will be issued to the Recipient or the Parent or Legal Guardian of the recipient (if under 18 years of age) during the POLONIADA Family Picnic- Sunday, June 16th, 2024 in person. More details will be available on our Facebook page.

NOTE: Winners must be present to claim the Award!

Eligibility and Selection Criteria for Consideration:

1. Applicant must be of Polish Descent
2. Applicant must be High School Junior or Senior
3. Applicant must be able to prove his/hers accomplishments in Academics

Individuals desiring to apply for the award must complete the section below and provide requested information listed on Page 3. Completed responses must be returned to KD Market corporate office located at 1046 S. Elmhurst Rd. Mount Prospect, IL 60056, or emailed to scholarship@mykdmarket.com, no later than Sunday, April 28th, 2024. (For the mailed in forms, only post-stamped before the deadline will be considered). Winners will be notified by e-mail at least two (2) weeks before the event.



Applicant Name:

Address:

Phone Number:

E-mail:

Date of Birth:

School Name:

Parent/ Guardian Name and Phone Number:

GPA: _____

Please compose a one page typed essay answering questions one (1.) and two (2.) below, and submit a Letter of Recommendation as stated in question four (4.) along with your application package. A signed Release Form from page 4 is required.

1. Write a short essay in Polish language and let us know why you think you should be awarded this Scholarship
2. Please list your achievements in the Award Category
3. Please submit a short recording of yourself explaining your Polish descent (in Polish language)
4. Please include a Letter of Recommendation (if available) which supports your activities and achievements. Be certain that the Letter of Recommendation includes your name and address
5. Make sure to include copies of your diplomas, rewards, or other materials that you believe might help your application
6. An official GPA transcript is required with your application



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e include signed Release Form (wet signature required)

If you plan to submit your application in a digital form, please make sure to add your name and Scholarship Category in which you apply, in the name of the file.

All digital files must be emailed. We will not accept digital files in the form of an external disc (flash drive or a CD, etc) or links.

When applying for the Academics Scholarship, please make sure to list all your achievements and provide proofs - pictures of trophies, diplomas etc.

Before submitting your Application, please double check that you have included the following:

- Did you answer all of the questions?
- Did you include a Letter of Recommendation with your name and address listed?
- Did you include a short video of yourself?
- Did you place your name and address on all items being submitted?
- Did you include a signed Release Form? Wet signature is required
- Did you include your official GPA transcript?
- Did you include any supporting materials?

Thank you for applying for the KD Market Scholarship and Good Luck!



KD Market and Poloniada Scholarship Award Release Form

I, _____, hereby give the KD Market Company and Poloniada Foundation, permission to use my name, likeness, image, voice, and/or appearance as such may be embodied in any pictures, photos, video recordings, audiotapes, submitted essay (in whole or in parts), digital images, and the like, taken or made on behalf of KD Market Scholarship activities. I agree that the KD Market and Poloniada have complete ownership of such pictures, etc., including the entire copyright, and may use them for any purpose consistent with the organization's education missions. These uses include, but are not limited to illustrations, bulletins, exhibitions, videotapes, reprints, reproductions, publications, advertisements, and any promotional or educational materials in any medium now known or later developed, including the Internet. I acknowledge that I will not receive any compensation for the use of such pictures, etc., and hereby release the KD Market and Poloniada and its agents and assigns from any and all claims which arise out of or are in any way connected with such use. I have read and understood this consent and release. I give my consent to the KD Market and Poloniada to use my name and likeness to promote the KD Market Scholarship program, education, and/or their activities.

I authorize the KD Market Scholarship Committee and/or data collection individuals to provide data or information about me as part of this applicant's agreement directly to the KD Market and waive the right to review any such submissions.

KD Market and Poloniada have my permission to use my photograph and general (nonfinancial) information in the applicant's agreement for publicity purposes.

Applicant's Signature

Date

I am the parent or guardian of the minor named above. I have the legal right to consent to and do consent to the terms and conditions of this release.



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Guardian's Signature

Date