



USTA RHODE ISLAND SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The USTA Rhode Island, the state association of the sport's national governing body of the United States Tennis Association is proud to be able to offer a **\$1,000.00** college scholarship to one Male & one Female Rhode Island state high school tennis player.

Your high school tennis coach and guidance counselor will need to sign off on your application for it to be processed. You must be entering either a two or four-year college program in the Fall term. This scholarship is not solely based upon sport performance, academic performance or financial need.

The primary focus of the USTA Scholarships is to help participants in USTA youth tennis programs and independent tennis programs receive college assistance and/or purchase college textbooks and materials.

This scholarship is guaranteed not to interfere with any NCAA rulings in regards to college sport participation, and all scholarship funds will be sent directly to the corresponding college or university's student account.

Scholarships will be awarded at each of the respective RIIL tennis banquets, girl's in the fall and boys in the spring.

Instructions for completing this scholarship application:

Student Nominee

- a. Complete the Student form.
- b. Write your essay.
- c. Completed form and essay should be signed
- d. **Mail application to the USTA Rhode Island in an envelope postmarked no later than **OCTOBER 15 for Girl's and MAY 30 for Boy's****

EMAIL TO: info@ustari.org



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Name of Nominee _____ Social Security Number _____

Address _____
Street City / State / Zip Code

Email: _____ Telephone (____) _____ DOB: _____ US Citizen: _____

Parents Name: _____

Parents Email: _____

Telephone () _____ Mobile () _____

I. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

High School Name _____

Address _____
Street City / State / Zip Code

Tennis Coach _____ Telephone () _____ Email Address: _____

Guidance Counselor _____ Telephone () _____ Email Address: _____

Graduation Date _____ Cumulative grade point average _____

List any scholarships, honors, awards received while in high school: _____

Identify extracurricular activities in which you have participated: _____

List any varsity or sports club sports in which you have participated: _____



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II. COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Which college/university do you plan to attend?

Name of College/University City/State

2-year program _____ 4-year program _____ Estimated tuition per academic year \$ _____

What academic major will you pursue? _____

III. TENNIS EXPERIENCE

High School Positions Played _____ Jr. Varsity _____ Years

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Local Park or Tennis Club Programs participated in _____

USTA Tennis Leagues or Programs participated in _____

IV. SIGNATURE

I declare that the information reported on this form, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is true, correct and complete.

Nominee's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's/Guardian's Name _____

Signed _____ Date _____

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Signed by _____ Date Received _____



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V. ESSAY

On a separate page(s), answer the following:

How has your participation in a high school tennis program impacted your life?

Please tell us about yourself, volunteer service, etc.; but follow these guidelines:

DO NOT put your name on or in the body of the ESSAY.

DO NOT use the name of your school, church, indoor club in the essay – just say my high school, my local church, my local tennis club.

DO NOT use people’s names for example: special mentors (my tennis coach, my local clergy, parent. (NOT: Coach Smith, Father Jones, or Rev Brown)

You may say, I’d like to “attend Harvard and become a lawyer,” attend Tufts to become a vet,” “Military Academy to follow in my father’s footsteps.”

Please type your essay.

ALL ESSAYS will be redacted to remove all of the “DO NOT” items listed above, so please do not make this a difficult process by including names that should have been omitted.

Any Questions please email info@ustari.org