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2026 Grantmaking & Scholarship Submission Deadlines

Below are the deadlines for having your grant application submitted online through our Grants Portal.
Please be sure you have a registered account with our new system.

Submit applications at https://hawaiicf.smartsimple.com/s_Login.jsp
Phone: 808-537-6333 Toll-free: 1-888-731-3863

SCHOLARSHIPS	February 26, 2026
2026-2027 Academic Year Common Application Scholarship Application	
PROGRAMS	
Holomua Marine Initiative Pāpio Grants	March 20, 2026, May 15, 2026, August 28, 2026, November 6, 2026
Kūpuna Aging in Place Program	March 20, 2026
Cultural and Historical Preservation & Revitalization	March 27, 2026
Family Literacy	April 24, 2026
Youth ESD Prevention Program	April 24, 2026
Richard Smart	May 1, 2026
Holomua – Lawaiʻa Engagement	June 5, 2026
Economic Recovery & Resilience	June 5, 2026
Artists in Residence	June 15, 2026
Holomua – Makai Watch Communities	June 19, 2026
Maui Strong Fund - Housing Letter of Interest (LOI)	LOI Deadline – July 2, 2026
Huakaʻi Travel Grants	July 30, 2026
Support for Living with Disabilities LOI	LOI Deadline – October 2, 2026
Holomua – Community Advocacy	October 5, 2026
2027 Medical Research Program Funding Opportunity	December 3, 2026
COMMUNITY GRANTS	
Annie Sinclair Knudsen Memorial Fund (Kauaʻi) GuavaGar Westfall Kauai Charitable Fund (Kauaʻi)	May 18, 2026
Lānaʻi Community Benefit Fund	July 13, 2026
Ka Papa O Kakuhihewa Fund (Oʻahu) Kahuku Community Fund (Oʻahu) Kahuku Wind Find (Oʻahu) ʻEwa Beach Community Fund (Oʻahu)	TBD
West Hawaiʻi Fund	August 17, 2026

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PRIVATE FOUNDATIONS

Atherton Family Foundation – athertonfamilyfoundation.org

January 5, 2026 | April 1, 2026 | July 1, 2026 | October 1, 2026
Scholarship Applications due February 26, 2026 via HCF's Common Application

Cooke Foundation, Ltd. – cookefoundationlimited.org

LOI Deadline - January 12, 2026
Beautification Awards February 1, 2027

Fred Baldwin Memorial Foundation (Maui County) – fredbaldwinfoundation.org

February 2, 2026 | August 3, 2026

Victoria S. & Bradley L. Geist Foundation (Foster Care)

January 15, 2026 | May 15, 2026 | September 15, 2026
Scholarship Applications due February 26, 2026
2026 Spring Semester Only Scholarship Applications due September 30, 2026

Note to grantseekers: Dates are subject to change.
Before submitting proposals, please visit HawaiiCommunityFoundation.org to confirm deadlines and access applications.