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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](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

Literacy Grants

April 24, 2026

Richard Smart

May 1, 2026

Holomua – Fisher Engagement

June 2026

Holomua – Makai Watch Communities

June 2026

Holomua – Maui Navigation

September 2026

Honouliuli Preserve Fund

July 2026

Holomua – Community Advocacy

September 2026

Holomua – Uluu Grants

October 2026

Holomua – Hawai'i Island Navigation

December 2026

COMMUNITY GRANTS

Annie Sinclair Knudsen Memorial Fund (Kaua'i)
GuavaGar Westfall Kauai Charitable Fund (Kaua'i)

May 18, 2026

Lāna'i Community Benefit Fund
Ka Papa O Kakuhihewa Fund (O'ahu)
Kahuku Community Fund (O'ahu)
Kahuku Wind Fund (O'ahu)
'Ewa Beach Community Fund (O'ahu)

July 13, 2026

West Hawai'i Fund

August 17, 2026

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 | July 13, 2026

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

February 2, 2026 | August 3, 2026



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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.