



Lifting As We Climb

2025 Prosperous Investments Scholarship Essay Contest

Prosperous Investments, LLC, and ITEC acknowledge the significance of a solid education. Intellect is the seed that cultivates the world's leaders, and scholarship is a fundamentally important principle for Prosperous Investments. This scholarship honors young leaders who appreciate scholarship and aim to become future leaders.

Purpose of this Scholarship:

- To increase trade school, college, and university opportunities for high school seniors
- To encourage high academic achievement in our youth
- To reward hard-working high school seniors and assist with their initial collegiate expenses

Eligibility and Requirements at the time of submission for this scholarship:

- Applicant must be an enrolled high school student in his/her senior year
- Applicant must be in good standing with their high school
- Applicant must have a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale
- Applicant must be accepted to a 4-year accredited college, university, trade school, or community college

Application: Mail, upload, or scan & email the completed application packet to Prosperous Investments (1930 Village Center Circle, Suite 3-3362, Las Vegas, NV, 89134, or paulprosper@pprosperllc.com). The application package must include:

- 1) Completed application form. The online application can be completed via this link: <https://forms.gle/XBM3T1HbdfXrSd176>
- 2) 1 completed scholarship recommendation form (Teacher, guidance counselor, coach, employer, clergy, NOT friends or family). The online recommendation form can be completed via this link: <https://forms.gle/45LpkPdUXXS6HoHN7>
- 3) 1 Essay no more than 2 pages in length, Times New Roman font (size 12), 1" margins, & double-spaced
- 4) Current high school transcript
- 5) A copy of a college/university, trade school, or community college acceptance letter

Scoring:

The Prosperous Investments Scholarship Scoring Committee will evaluate each application and select ONE winner. If there is a tie, the prize money will be split. Essays will be scored using the grading rubric (Appendix A).

Winning Amount:

The Prosperous Investments Scholarship will award the winning applicant a minimum of \$1,500.00. The payment will be made to the institution the winner will attend in the fall.

Deadline:

Applications received or postmarked after 31 May will not be accepted and will be returned to the sender. Prosperous Investments will announce the winner no later than 1 August 2024.

Sincerely,
Dr. Paul Prosper, SPHR
Prosperous Investments

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

High School you are attending: _____

Projected graduation date: _____ Phone #: _____

Email Address: _____

APPLICANT CERTIFICATION:

I certify that all information I have provided on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I agree to give proof of the information on this application if requested. I give permission to the selection committee to review information on this form, my transcripts, and additional supporting documentation submitted as part of this application. I give permission for the selection committee to contact high school and college officials for additional academic and/or enrollment information. If selected to receive a scholarship, I give permission for a publicity release and to share information in my application with appropriate scholarship donors.

Signed _____ Date _____

SCHOLARSHIP RECOMMENDATION



Recommendation for (completed by applicant):

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

To be completed by person making recommendation (employer, teacher, guidance counselor, clergy, or coach. No friends or family members):

Length of time you have known applicant _____ Years _____ Months _____

In what capacity do you know the applicant (teacher, coach, etc.)?

We are seeking information about qualities related to the applicant's potential for success in college. Please rate the candidate below and make any additional comments you desire.

Check Appropriate Column for Item Below	Superior	Above Average	Average	Fair	Poor	Unable to Judge
Ability to Present Ideas						
Work Habits						
Leadership						
Enthusiasm						
Cooperation						
Resourcefulness						
Initiative						
Dependability						
Adaptability						
Potential for Success						

Comments:

Recommendation Completed By (Print Name): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____



2025 Prosperous Investments Scholarship Essay Contest Topic:

Argue for or against dismantling Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) programs within various institutions, such as educational, corporate, and governmental. Consider the legal, ethical, and economic impacts of these decisions.

Be sure to provide examples and support for your arguments. Remember to include an introductory paragraph to introduce your topic and a conclusion paragraph to summarize your main points.

We are looking for your unique voice and perspective. Ensure your essay reflects your writing and thought process. Using AI writing assistants will result in disqualification.

