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**Instructions, Terms, & Conditions (HouaPhan of MN Inc., Scholarship for 2024)**

***2024 HouaPhan Scholarship Available:***

Three $1,000.00 scholarships will be awarded to 3 High School senior, or College student enrolled in an accredited vocational/certification program, College or University during the 2024-2025 academic year.(See details below for instructions & eligibility requirements).

***Eligibility & Criteria:***

* Must be a current Minnesota High school graduate and or currently college Student.
* Enrolled, accepted or plan to attend an accredited, educational institution in an undergraduate program starting in 2024.
* Minimum GPA of 2.5 or above.
* Minnesota Resident
* Must have at least one parent of Hmong ancestry

***Instructions for Applicants:***

1. Applications & Essays must be submitted in good order **by July 31, 2024, at 11:59 p.m. Central Standard Time**. Applications & Essays can be e-mailed to: **HouaPhanmn2023@gmail.com**
2. Must type an Essay on the provided topic below & attach with scholarship application.

***Essay Topic****:* **Briefly describe your Long-term & Short-term goals & explain how this HouaPhan Scholarship can benefit your post-secondary educational goals**. (The application form will count for 25 percent of the evaluation & the Essay will account for the remaining percent of the evaluation. Essays should be 500 words or less and typed. Spelling, grammar and creativity will be considered. Transcripts and letters of recommendation will not be considered).

***Terms & Conditions:***

HouaPhan of MN, Inc. may reserve the right to change scholarship award criteria, terms, conditions, & dates without advance written notice. Applicants must meet all eligibility requirements & submit all required documents by the deadline date to be considered for scholarships. Selection & announcement of the 3 scholarship recipient winners will be made on or before August 03, 2024. Students who are awarded the $1,000.00 grant will be contacted with the contact information they provided & must respond within 72 hours of notification, or they may be subject to forfeit the $1,000.00 scholarship. Scholarship recipients agree to allow HouaPhan of MN to publish their names & take photos to release in news & social media outlets. Scholarship recipient Awards will be given out on August 17, 2024, during the HouaPhan Annual Picnic at Battle Creek Regional Park from 3pm-4pm.

Questions can be addressed by email to: [Houaphanmn2023@gmail.com](mailto:Houaphanmn2023@gmail.com)  or by Phoneto PT NeejHwm B. Vang at 651-239-2139 and or VP TsavHwm Yang at 763-445-1404.

**HouaPhan Scholarship Application (Graduating Highschool Students- 2024)**

**Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Middle Initial:** \_\_\_\_\_ **First Name:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Legal Guardian/Parent Names: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Group Clan Leader Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Current Highschool/College Name**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Highschool Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Graduating Highschool Sr. Class Student: Yes \_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_

Anticipated Graduation Date (MM/YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**List any Academic Honors, Awards, & Membership Activities while in Highschool below:**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**List your Hobbies, Extracurricular Activities, Employment Activities or Volunteer Activities below:**

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**List *Four Words* that best describe who you are?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Name of University/College/Trade School attending in Fall 2024**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Area of Study/Major: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Will you be attending school full-time this coming Fall 2024 (mark one): Yes\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Must include the following item with this Application:**

1. Must type an Essay on the provided topic below & attach with this scholarship application.

***Essay Topic****:* Briefly describe your Long-term & Short-term goals & explain how this HouaPhan Scholarship can benefit your post-secondary educational goals.

**Applicant/Student Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­ ­