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THE SUZANNE & VINCENT TORRES HILL ELEMENTARY ALUMNI
SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

DEADLINE: Friday April 17th, 2026

The Hill Elementary Alumni Scholarship was established in 2011 to honor Hill's 40th anniversary. It is now called The Suzanne and Vincent Torres Hill Elementary Alumni Scholarship in honor of Mr. Torres and his wife, and their dedication to our school and the district. The goal is to recognize former students who have excelled in their academic endeavors, supported their community through service projects, and proven they possess a drive to further their education. By granting this scholarship, we encourage students to continue their academic endeavors beyond high school and hope to strengthen the relationship between Hill and its alumni. This year, one scholarship in the amount of \$1000 will be awarded.

Selection Criteria:

- Must be a graduating senior of AISD
- Must have attended Hill Elementary School for at least 3 years
- Must show involvement in community service
- Must write a one page essay

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

HOME PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN NAME: _____

ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT): _____

HOME PHONE (IF DIFFERENT): _____

CURRENT SCHOOL ATTENDING: _____

ATTENDANCE DATES AT HILL ELEMENTARY: _____

In addition to the previous information, please provide the following:

- 1) Must be a graduating senior of AISD
- 2) Official copy of high school transcript through Fall 2025 semester
- 3) Must have attended Hill Elementary School for at least 3 years . Proof of enrollment at Hill Elementary required. See your ADVANCE Facilitator or Guidance Counselor for assistance in obtaining this data. This can be done with a screenshot of your enrollment on eCST.
- 4) One letter of recommendation from a community service work contact who has first-hand knowledge of your involvement in a service-based organization or one letter of recommendation from a current teacher.
- 5) Must show involvement in Community service
- 6) A one-page essay (no longer than single-spaced, font size 12pt times) on either of the following topics:
 - (1) How your experience at Hill Elementary School has helped you succeed, **or**
 - (2) How a Hill Elementary teacher made an impact on your life.

Please complete this application and supporting documents and send it to:
maitri.shah@austinisd.org

Applications must be postmarked no later than April 17th 2026

I certify that all information on this application is correct and by my signature, I hereby certify or affirm to the following:

I authorize the Hill Elementary Alumni Scholarship Fund Selection Committee to use my name/photo in media releases.

Student's signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Date: _____