

Ewell “Judge” Waddell Endowed Scholarship

2026 Application

**Must be returned to
Counseling Office by March 24, 2026**

This scholarship is awarded to a graduating senior student-athlete at Highlands High School who plans to pursue a career in education. It is named for a coach and teacher who exemplified the finest in Highlands tradition. There is a plaque honoring recipients of the Scholarship near the entrance to the School Board office.

The Scholarship is for a total of \$10,000.00; \$5,000.00 is awarded the first year, and an additional \$5,000.00 the second year, provided the student is maintaining at least a B average and still pursuing a career in education.

The factors that will be considered are:

- Academic record
- Accomplishments in team athletics
- Extracurricular activities
- Sincere intent to pursue career in education
- Demonstrated character and leadership.

The sponsors of the Scholarship may request an interview.

Applicant's Name

Home Address

E-mail

City

State

Zip

Telephone

Please complete the following:

1. College you plan to attend: _____
Planned Major at this time: _____

2. Team sports in which you have participated, with letter awards and any other distinctions you achieved during the past four years*:

Sport

Grade(s) (9, 10, 11, 12)

* Prepared résumé may be attached in response to items 2 and/or 3.

3. Other activities in which you have participated, offices you have held and/or awards you have received (clubs, music, community events, etc.) during the past four years*:

Activity/Office/Award

Grade(s) (9, 10, 11, 12)

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4. What are your plans and aspirations for a career in education? Do they include teaching or coaching or both?

5. Mr. Waddell's biography is available at www.judgewaddell.org. He has been described as "teacher, coach, mentor, moral example, advisor, leader, executive and friend". Based on this description, why do you believe you should receive this scholarship?

6. Please attach ACT/SAT scores, high school grade transcript, and recommendations from teachers/coaches (no more than two, please).

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