

## **Edison International Scholarship**

### **Purpose**

The Edison International Scholarship provides educational opportunities for High Desert Seniors who wish to further their education in the STEM field at an accredited college or university.

### **Amount**

\$5,000

### **How Fund is Sustained**

Donation from Edison International through Art Show Fundraising

### **Guidelines/Criteria**

- Applicants must be a senior in the High Desert area
- Must plan on pursuing further education at an accredited college or university
- Must plan on majoring in the STEM field
- Awards must be used to pay for tuition, books, school related fees, and/or room and board (receipts required)
- Awards will be sent to accredited institution

### **Application Form/Process**

- Applicants must complete the required application and include the following:
  - An Official Academic Transcript
  - Applicant Consent Form
  - Reference letter from a community organization, teacher or work supervisor
  - A 500 word essay about themselves and how receiving this scholarship and attending college will help them achieve their goals

### **Selection Process/Committee**

Recipients are selected by the scholarship committee and representatives of the High Desert Partnership in Academic Excellence Foundation, Inc. Board