



# Scholarship Eligibility Request

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

Family Primary Adult Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

List all family members

- 1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING TO YOUR APPLICATION IN ADDITION TO THIS COMPLETED FORM**

- Amilia Account and Waiver:** Family Primary Adult must create an account and complete the Tukwila Pool General Use Registration Waiver for each family member.
- Proof of Residency:** Applicants must reside within the Tukwila tax jurisdiction to qualify for the Tukwila Residents' Scholarship. Proof of residency must be in the form of a recent utility bill showing **SERVICE ADDRESS**, property tax bill, or rent/lease agreement.  
Address will be verified through: <https://www.kingcounty.gov/services/gis/Maps/parcel-viewer.aspx>.  
**Applicants not residing within the Tukwila tax jurisdiction may be eligible for scholarship if external funding options are available.**
- Verification of Income:** Qualification is based upon Household Income Guidelines. Verification documents must be in the form of:  
 \_\_\_\_\_ School free or reduced lunch letter (**preferred**)      **OR**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Copy of your most recent tax return **and** two most recent pay stubs

*By my signature below, I certify the information on this form is true and correct. I understand this information is for a scholarship and that the Tukwila Pool MPD may verify the information on this application. I also understand that deliberate misrepresentation of the information may impact my ability to receive funding now and in the future.*

- I have read and understand all the terms associated with the Tukwila Pool MPD Scholarship Program. I understand that this request expires December 31st and renewal is required for subsequent years.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Family Primary Adult Contact Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Return completed application and required documents to:      **In Person:** Tukwila Pool MPD - 4414 S. 144th St. - Tukwila, WA 98168  
**Email:** info@tukwilapool.org

**Office use only**

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_  Approved/Amount Granted: \_\_\_\_\_  Denied/Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

Staff Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Staff Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

Director of Aquatics Operations Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

# Scholarship Program Information

The Tukwila Pool Metropolitan Park District (TPMPD) may have available both internally and externally funded scholarships. Internally funded scholarships are available to Tukwila residents and students enrolled in Tukwila Schools only. Scholarship opportunities for Non-Residents may be available through external funding options. Current external scholarships, if available, are listed below.

## Internal Scholarship Available - Tukwila Resident’s Scholarship Fund:

TPMPD wants to ensure all Tukwila residents have access to swim lessons. The Tukwila Resident’s Scholarship program is funded annually with the intention to provide everyone the opportunity to participate in our learn to swim program, regardless of income. Tukwila Pool staff aim to create a warm, friendly environment that promotes water safety, efficient swimming technique and FUN! Staff are here to help with the application process if you have questions or concerns.

*Open to Tukwila Residents only*

## External Scholarship Available - American Red Cross Centennial Campaign (ARC):

To mark a century of swimming safety education, the Red Cross is partnering with facilities like ours in 50 communities to help prevent drowning. The scholarship provides families access to our learn to swim programs regardless of income and residency. The Tukwila Pool’s water safety program is taught in a fun and friendly environment.

*Open to All in Need*

## Request Process:

The request process is as follows:

1. Complete the attached Scholarship Eligibility Request Form and, if necessary, supply supporting documentation.
  - a. **Proof of Residency:**
    - i. Recent utility bill showing **SERVICE ADDRESS**,
    - ii. Property tax bill,
    - iii. Rent/lease agreement.
  - b. **Verification of Income:**
    - i. School free or reduced lunch letter (*preferred*) **OR**
    - ii. Copy of your most recent tax return *and* two most recent pay stubs.
2. Return scholarship form and supporting documentation to the Tukwila Pool.
3. TPMPD Staff will review the completed form and documentation and respond to your request within ten (10) business days of being received.

## Additional Application Information and Policies:

1. **Qualification is based upon Household Income Guidelines or Free and Reduced Lunch Qualification.** The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development’s current “Income Guidelines for King County” will be used as the basis for establishing the award guidelines. Additionally, students qualifying for free/reduced lunch with their school may automatically qualify. The table below details award amounts based upon qualifications

School Free/Reduced Lunch	HUD Income Guidelines	Tukwila Resident’s Scholarship Award	ARC Scholarship Award
	80% - 50% of Median Income	50% of Program Cost	80% of Program Cost
Reduced Lunch	50% - 30% of Median Income	75% of Program Cost	
Free Lunch	30% or lower of Median Income	100% of Program Cost	

2. **Scholarships may not be available for all programs.** Some programs are exempt from funding, and some programs may only be eligible for partial funding.
3. **Scholarships availability.** Scholarships are dependent on funding availability and awarded on a first-come, first-served basis. Funding is allocated annually and distributed seasonally as follows:

Season	% of Funds to be Awarded
Winter: January - April	25%
Summer: May - August	50%
Fall: September - December	25%

4. **Scholarships are limited.** One scholarship per participant per season may be awarded. However, additional scholarships may be awarded at the discretion of the Director of Operations, depending upon funding availability. Only lessons continuation will be considered for additional scholarship funding in a given season. The intent of additional scholarships for swim lessons is to encourage skills competency relative to water safety.
5. **Additional Policy and Procedure information:** Additional information can be found at [www.tukwilapool.org](http://www.tukwilapool.org)