



ROBERT K. THOMAS SCHOLARSHIP

**Are you an Honors student currently working on your thesis?
Apply for a Robert K. Thomas scholarship!**

Spring/Summer Deadline: March 15

Fall Semester Deadline: May 30

Winter Semester Deadline: October 30

Named after the founder of the BYU Honors Program, the Robert K. Thomas Scholarship (half-tuition) is awarded to committed BYU Honors students who

1. have completed at least 14.0 credits of required Honors coursework
2. have a minimum 3.5 cumulative grade-point average
3. have an approved Honors thesis proposal
4. demonstrate financial need, either through a completed a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) form for the current academic year, or with a written explanation of financial need attached to application
5. will be enrolled for at least 2.0 credits spring/summer or 6.0 credits fall/winter.

Please do not apply if you do not meet the criteria described above.

Submit a Robert K. Thomas Scholarship application to 102 MSRB or via e-mail to honors@byu.edu. If you have any questions regarding the criteria or application process, please contact the Honors Program office.

Robert K. Thomas Scholarship Application

I am applying for the Robert K. Thomas Scholarship, which will be applied directly toward my tuition, and understand that preference will be given to honors students with (1) unmet financial need, (2) high grade-point averages, (3) completed honors course credits, and (4) an approved honors thesis proposal. Preference will also be given to students who are graduating within one to two semesters. Recipients cannot reapply.

Full Name _____	BYU Net ID _____
BYU E-mail Address _____	Telephone _____
Major(s) _____	Cumulative BYU GPA _____
Semester for which you are applying: ___ Sp Term ___ Su Term ___ Fall ___ Winter	
Anticipated Graduation Date _____	
Total Honors credit hours completed to date: _____	
Honors thesis proposal approval (or submitted) date _____	
When did you submit the FAFSA? _____	
Other scholarships will you utilize this academic year _____	

(Please complete the essay portion of the application on the next page.)



In the space below (or attach) write a brief biographical sketch in which you outline your background (where you are from and key life events that have influenced you), BYU Honors experience (i.e., major/minor, Honors thesis topic, best undergraduate course, and involvement in Honors, etc.), and your future goals (personal, academic, professional).

Please include a brief explanation of how this scholarship will assist you in reaching your academic goals, and specifically address financial circumstances and need. **NOTE: The use of GenAI for this written response is NOT permitted. Please submit your own written work.**