

Chase W. Dillon Scholarship in Journalism at The Research University at Stanford

The Chase W. Dillon Scholarship is a way for Chase to give back to the community and to support young people who are passionate about making a difference in the world. The Chase W. Dillon Scholarship is a full-tuition scholarship for students pursuing a career in journalism, entertainment, fine and performing arts through the Stanford Designership Institute fellowship program. The scholarship is offered by thirteen-year-old Chase W. Dillon, a humanitarian and children's advocate. Embark on a journey that will not only transform your life but will ignite a passion to make a profound difference in the world. The Chase W. Dillon Scholarship is more than just a full-tuition scholarship; it is an opportunity to become part of something extraordinary, guided by the remarkable vision of a young humanitarian and children's advocate, Chase W. Dillon. television shows, including Disney's Haunted Mansion. He is also a philanthropist building specialty children's hospitals which will be open for Stanford students to participate for credit through the Cardinal Quarter Program at Haas Institute for Public Policy. But Chase is more than just a talented actor. He is also a passionate advocate for health and education justice. He has spoken out against the Supreme Court's decision gutting affirmative action, a decision that impacts mostly underrepresented students in the entertainment industry, and he is working to build an endowment fund to close the opportunity gap through his nonprofit, Kingdom International Economic Development Corporation for the disenfranchised.

At just thirteen years old, Chase has already achieved great heights in the entertainment industry, capturing hearts with his performances on both the big and small screens. But his brilliance extends far beyond his acting talents. He is a philanthropist with a purpose - building specialty children's hospitals and bridging the opportunity gap through his nonprofit, Kingdom International Economic Development Corporation. The children's hospital's vision is to level the playing field from the cradle to the grave against all odds including the most recent Supreme Court Decision gutting affirmative action. A decision that disproportionately impacts underrepresented child actors.

Now, Chase W. Dillon is extending a helping hand to young dreamers like you, those aspiring to carve a path in journalism, entertainment, fine arts, or performing arts. The Chase W. Dillon Scholarship opens doors to the prestigious Stanford Designership Institute fellowship program, a program within The Research University providing you with an unparalleled platform to pursue your passions and make a lasting impact on society.

We believe in the power of moonshot thinking - daring to dream big and envisioning a world transformed by your art, your words, your voice. As a Chase W. Dillon scholarship recipient, you become a torchbearer of change, someone who utilizes their platform to uplift underrepresented voices and advocate for those who need it most.

In Chase's words, "Opportunity knows no age." Whether you are a high school student with audacious dreams or a college student seeking to expand your horizons, this scholarship beckons you to rise and shine. Chase exemplifies that no dream is too distant, no goal too lofty when driven by purpose and passion.

The application process is your chance to paint a vivid picture of your aspirations and how you plan to unleash your potential to change the world. Share your story through a cover letter that reflects your heart's desire and outlines the impact you envision creating.

Academic achievements are crucial, but we also value the dedication you bring to extracurricular activities and the positive influence you have on your peers and community. Two letters of recommendation will provide a glimpse of the leader, the artist, the changemaker you are becoming.

Join a community of like-minded visionaries, where creativity knows no bounds, and the pursuit of excellence is a shared endeavor. Together, we can create a world where every child's voice is heard, every dream has the chance to bloom, and every life is touched by the power of art and storytelling.

Take the leap, and let the Chase W. Dillon Scholarship be the wind beneath your wings, propelling you to greatness. Dare to dream, ignite the world, and leave an indelible mark on the canvas of history.

Apply now and seize the opportunity to be the change you wish to see. The future awaits, and your brilliance is the key to unlock a brighter world for all.

Eligibility

To be eligible for the Chase W. Dillon Scholarship, you must:

- Be a high school student or a college student in the entertainment industry
- Be pursuing a career in journalism, entertainment, fine or performing arts
- Demonstrate moonshot thinking and using your platform to make a real impact in the world

How to Apply

To apply for the Chase W. Dillon Scholarship, please submit the following:

- A cover letter that explains why you are interested in the scholarship and how you plan to use it to make a difference in the world
- A resume that highlights your academic achievements and extracurricular activities. Your resume could be your artistic expression including, but not limited to your portfolio.
- Two letters of recommendation from teachers, coaches, or other mentors. Letters could be in any media format.
- A copy of your high school or college transcripts

Application Deadline

The deadline to apply for the Chase W. Dillon Scholarship is September 10th, 2023

Awards

Four scholarships will be awarded annually, each worth \$250,000. The scholarships will be awarded to students who demonstrate the following qualities in the performing arts:

- Academic excellence
- Strong leadership skills
- A passion for making a difference in the world

Announcement

The winners of the Chase W. Dillon Scholarship will be announced at the annual Annual Youth Humanitarian Award on September 15th to 17th, 20223. The announcement will be televised, streamed on Chase's social media channels, The Research University channels and on the website of the Kingdom International Economic Development Corporation.