

**JOSÉ ANTONIO NAVARRO  
DISTINGUISHED SCHOLARSHIP AWARD  
2023**



José Antonio Navarro

*The scholarship recipient who embodies the spirit, character, and potential that most resembles José Antonio Navarro, will have good academic standing, leadership qualities, and will demonstrate an awareness of needs and issues within his/her community.*

*Information and application available online at:*

**Friendsofcasanavarro.org**  
supporting

**Casa Navarro State Historic Site, A National Historic Landmark**  
**228 South Laredo Street**  
**San Antonio, TX 78207**  
**(210) 226-4801**

**Deadline for Submission of Application**  
**Saturday, JANUARY 14, 2023**

# OVERVIEW

The Friends of Casa Navarro sponsor the Annual José Antonio Navarro Distinguished Student Scholarship Award. Past scholar recipients have been a diverse group of students attending various universities. Scholarships will go to students who are well-rounded and exhibit potential to excel in college while contributing to the community at large.

The following categories represent the criteria with which the Award Committee will utilize in determining the recipients of this award (in no particular order):

1. Leadership
2. Scholastic Achievement
3. Service Performance
4. Recommendations
5. Reflective essay on Navarro (see instructions on the last page)

## **\$2500 Scholarships Will Be Awarded to Select Graduates**

Recipients will be recognized and awarded scholarships at the annual Navarro birthday celebration in February 2023 at the Casa Navarro State Historic Site, San Antonio Texas. A date and time will be announced.

## **REQUIREMENTS**

To qualify to receive the scholarship the following requirements must be met:

- 1) Include in your mail package:
  - a) Completed application must be received or postmarked by **Saturday, January 14, 2023**.
  - b) Completed Application (include JAN Essay)
  - c) Official Transcript
  - d) Two letters of recommendation
- 2) Legal Resident of the United State living in the State of Texas and a graduating senior in the Class of 2023.
- 3) Attendance at the awards ceremony by the scholarship recipient.
- 4) Proof of enrollment in a college/university in the United States will be required prior to receiving funding.

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

An application can be obtained:

- School Counselor
- [friendsofcasavarro.org](http://friendsofcasavarro.org)
- Casa Navarro State Historic Site: <https://thc.texas.gov/historic-sites/casa-navarro-state-historic-site>
- [stillotsontexas@gmail.com](mailto:stillotsontexas@gmail.com).

Mail a hard copy of the completed application including your transcript and letters of recommendation to:

Friends of Casa Navarro  
JAN Student Scholarship Award  
PO Box 790187  
San Antonio, Texas 78279

Or e-mail application to: [stillotsontexas@gmail.com](mailto:stillotsontexas@gmail.com)

- All applications, letters of recommendation and transcripts must be received or postmarked no later than Saturday, January 14, 2023. Do not include additional materials that are not requested.
- Send questions and correspondences to: [stillotsontexas@gmail.com](mailto:stillotsontexas@gmail.com).
- **All emails should have Navarro Scholarship on the subject line.**
- Submit your essay with your name at the top.



	Sophomore	Junior	Senior
Academic competition or honor societies.			
Athletic teams or individual sports.			
Clubs or other extra- curricular organizations.			
Volunteering to benefit the community.			
Leadership positions held (Ex: President, Captain, Treasurer, Chair, etc.)			
Worked or interned for at least a 3 month period.			
Received special awards or recognition for any of the above activities.			

### **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

**ACADEMIC – Include activities that expand upon traditional classroom learning, including but are not limited to National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, Academic Decathlon, UIL Competition, Debate, Spanish Club, etc...**

Name of Activity	Number of Years Participation	Leadership Positions Held	Description
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			

**ATHLETIC** – Include team or individual sports that you participated in either through your school or outside of school, including but not limited to football, track, soccer, baseball, basketball, cheerleading, karate, fencing, etc.

Name of Activity	Number of Years Participated	Leadership Position(s) Held
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

**CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS** – Include clubs and/or organizations that you participated in, such as Student Council, etc. These activities should be **NON-ACADEMIC**.

Name of Activity	Number of Years Participated	Leadership Position(s) Held
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

**COMMUNITY SERVICE** – Include volunteer activities within or outside of your school in which you participated. Examples include, but are not limited to volunteering for the Boys and Girls Club, coaching a youth sports league, organizing a toy drive.

Name of Activity	Number of Years	Number of Hours Per Year	Description
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			

**EMPLOYMENT**

**Include any employment you participated in, either paid or unpaid. Space is provided for 3 activities. If you were involved in more than 3 activities select the 3 most important to you.**

Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Start Date \_\_\_\_\_ End Date \_\_\_\_\_

Job Title (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

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**HONORS/AWARDS**

**Include any honors/awards you have received in any academic, extra-curricular, or employment activity in which you have participated. Examples of honors/awards include, but are not limited to student of the month, receiving a scholarship, lettering in a sport, etc... Space is provided for 5 Honors/Awards. If you have more than 5 Honors/Awards to submit; you may include additional Honors/Awards.**

Name of Honor/Award: \_\_\_\_\_

Award Given by: \_\_\_\_\_

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Award Given by: \_\_\_\_\_

## DISCLAIMER AND SIGNATURE

*I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.*

*If I am awarded this scholarship, I understand that false or misleading information in my application may result in the scholarship being revoked.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Site Visit

The site visit and essay are important parts of the application. The student and a guest will receive complimentary admission to Casa Navarro State Historic Site. Please let the staff know you are visiting for the purpose of submitting a JAN Scholarship Application. Site staff will provide you a unique code documenting your visit.

Essay: The essay is important and must portray the candidate's **personal experience** in reflecting José Antonio Navarro's life and spirit. The candidate must refer to his or her reflections upon visiting the Casa Navarro State Historic Site and **how Navarro's historical participation influenced his world and how his contributions are relative today.**

Essays should be no more than two double spaced typed pages with one-inch margins and submitted with completed application or as a separate file in PDF or Microsoft Word format.

Essay should be titled: "JAN Essay" and include YOUR FULL NAME. on the essay.

Please sign your name if you agree to allow publication of your essay in the Friends newsletter, brochure, etc.

Permission to use my JAN application essay \_\_\_\_\_

You should allow at least 45 minutes to 1 hour to tour Casa Navarro. Site Hours:

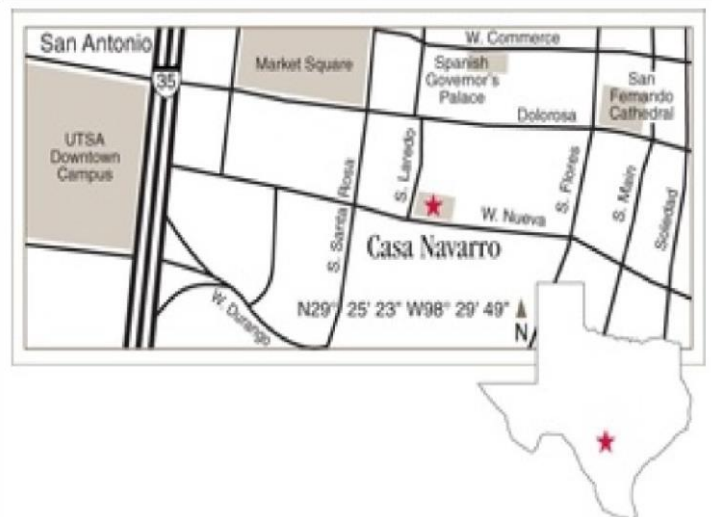
Tuesday – Sunday 10:00 am – 4:30 pm

Request from staff: **UNIQUE ID CODE:**

Map and Directions;  
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Directions: Visitors can access Casa Navarro from either Interstate 37 or Interstate 35.

The site is located on the corner of S. Laredo and W. Nueva Streets.



# **JAN ESSAY**

BY

(Enter Your Name)