

David A. Romero

**THE ROMERO SCHOLARSHIP FOR EXCELLENCE IN SPOKEN WORD
APPLICATION 2020 - 2021**

Please print answers in black ink, scan, and send, along with your poem, to davidaromero@gmail.com	
1.	Last Name: _____ First Name, Middle Initial: _____
2.	Mailing Address Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
3.	Daytime telephone number: () Email address: _____
4.	Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): <i>(Include address if different than your own listed in Question 2.)</i> Name(s): _____ Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Home phone of parents or legal guardians: _____ Work phone: _____
5.	Date of birth: _____ Month: _____ Day: _____ Year: _____
6.	Sex (please check all that apply): <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Intersex <input type="checkbox"/> Transgender <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____
7.	Racial/ethnic background (please check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> African <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Latinx / Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> Multiracial <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Decline to state <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____
8.	Citizenship <input type="checkbox"/> Asylee <input type="checkbox"/> Refugee <input type="checkbox"/> US Citizen <input type="checkbox"/> US National <input type="checkbox"/> US Permanent Resident <input type="checkbox"/> Undocumented <input type="checkbox"/> Decline to state <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____

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9.	<p>Family gross annual income from 2018 Income Tax form 1040 Line #22:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> < \$20,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$20,000-\$40,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$40,000-\$60,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$60,000-\$80,000 <input type="checkbox"/> >\$80,000</p>
10.	<p>Name of high school:</p> <p>Street:</p> <p>City: State: Zip:</p> <p>Telephone number: ()</p>
11.	<p>A. List any poetry and/or performance honors, awards, and membership activities while in high school:</p> <p>B. List any social justice/activism related activities while in high school:</p> <p>C. List any non-school sponsored volunteer activities in the community:</p>
12.	<p>A. If you have decided on the college you will attend, please list the school name:</p> <p>B. If not, list your top three (3) college choices:</p>
	<p>Reminder: Make sure to have a teacher or administrator send a letter of recommendation on your behalf! This can be an email with the letter in the email, and/or attached as a Word document or PDF. The email must be sent from a school email. Send with subject line: The Romero Scholarship for Spoken Word.</p>

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STATEMENT OF ACCURACY FOR STUDENTS

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent, that if chosen as a scholarship winner, my picture and my poem may be taken and used on www.davidaromero.com and on David A. Romero’s social media accounts, to promote The Romero Scholarship for Excellence in Spoken Word. I understand that I will receive credit for my poem, will retain ownership of it, and it will not be used in any other way than stated here without my express written consent. Also, I may waive the obligation to provide a photo due to unusual or compelling circumstances.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, I will confirm my name and mailing address within seven business days of Monday, January 18th, 2021 or Romero will award the scholarship to a runner up who will.

I hereby understand I will not submit this application without all required attachments. Incomplete applications or applications that do not meet eligibility criteria will not be considered for this scholarship.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ **Date:** _____

STATEMENT OF SUPPORT BY HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER OR ADMINISTRATOR

I hereby affirm that this application meets the criteria set forth by this scholarship program and support submission of this application to The Romero Scholarship for Spoken Word.

I will submit a letter of recommendation on behalf of this student confirming their year: Senior, graduating in spring of 2021, their high school, and will speak to their character and/or accomplishments. I will email this letter to davidaromero@gmail.com

Name of teacher or administrator: _____

High School: _____

Contact information (school email and phone): _____

Signature of teacher or administrator: _____ **Date:** _____

Checklist:

- ___ Application with poem: single spaced, Times New Roman, size 12, 1-3 pages, no name in document
- ___ Teacher or administrator signature
- ___ One letter of recommendation from teacher or administrator