How To Apply For A Scholarship Online Chapter 1

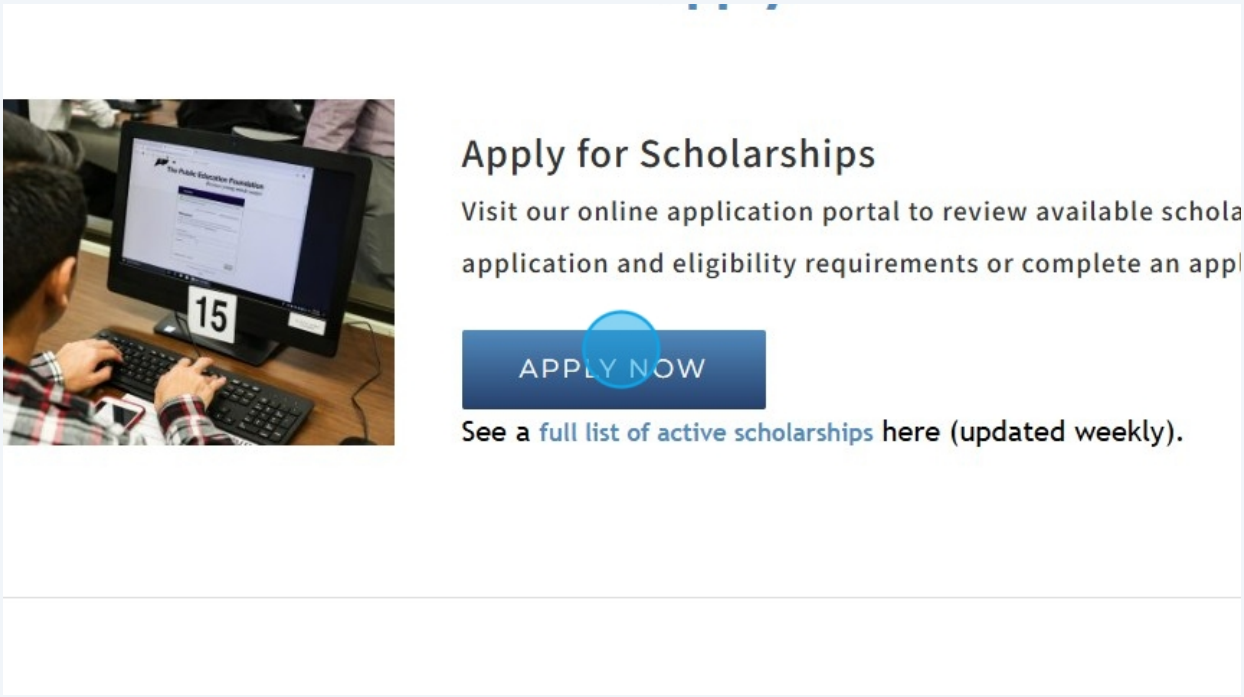
Getting to PEF Scholarships

1 Thank you for your interest in applying for scholarships through the Public Education Foundation! You are one step closer to receiving financial support that will help you achieve your dream of attending college or vocational school.

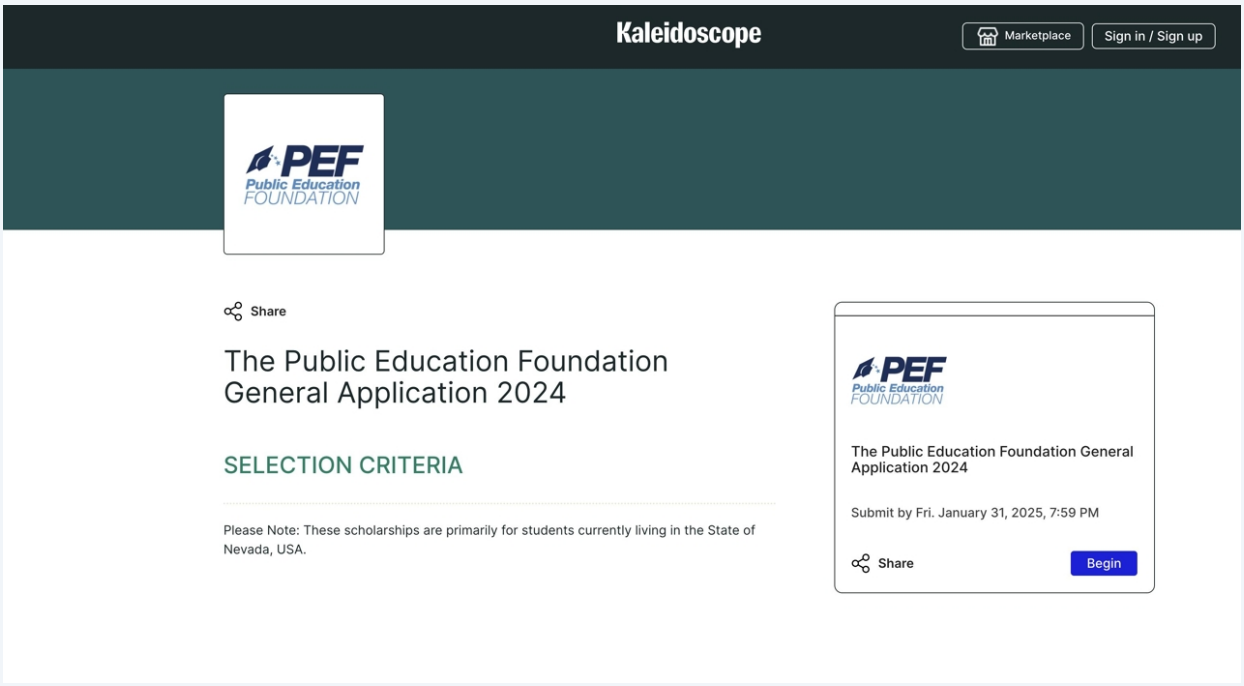
The scholarship application process is easiest when visited from devices larger than a mobile phone. These tutorials were filmed using a computer.

2 Navigate to https://thepef.org/scholarships/

3 Click "APPLY NOW"



4 **Kaleidoscope is our scholarship application portal. On this page, you will see more information about who is eligible to apply, deadlines, and details about the scholarships plus program.**



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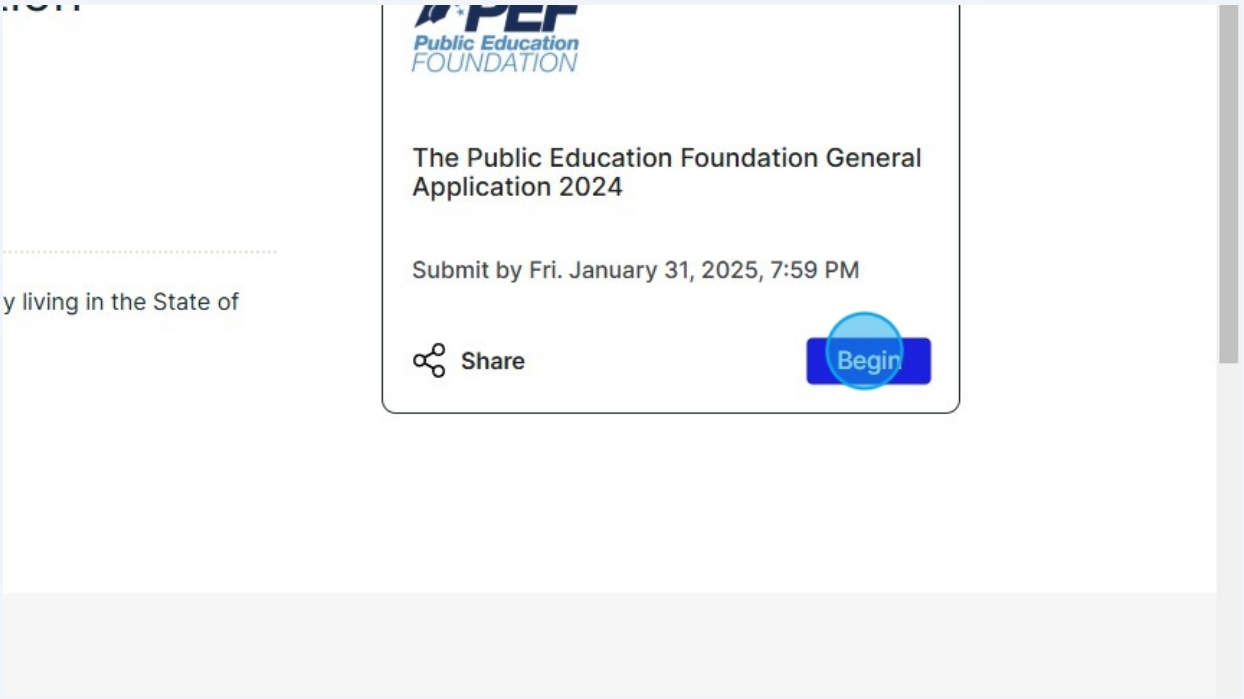
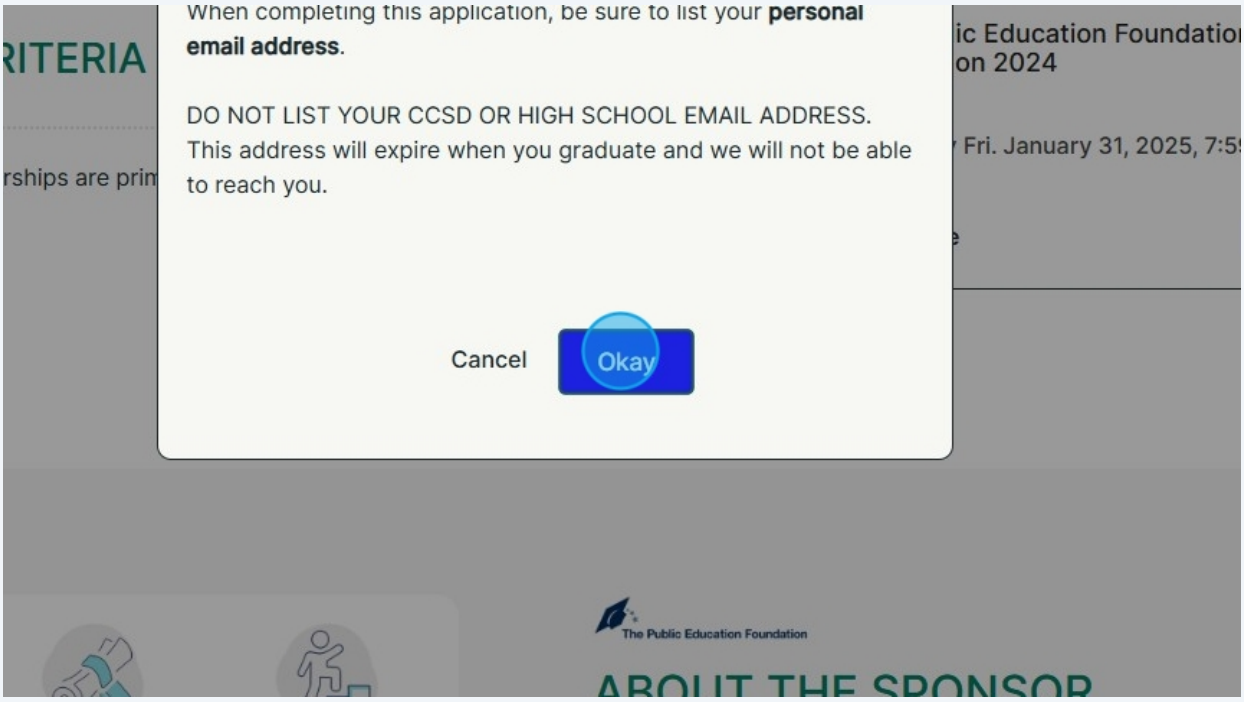


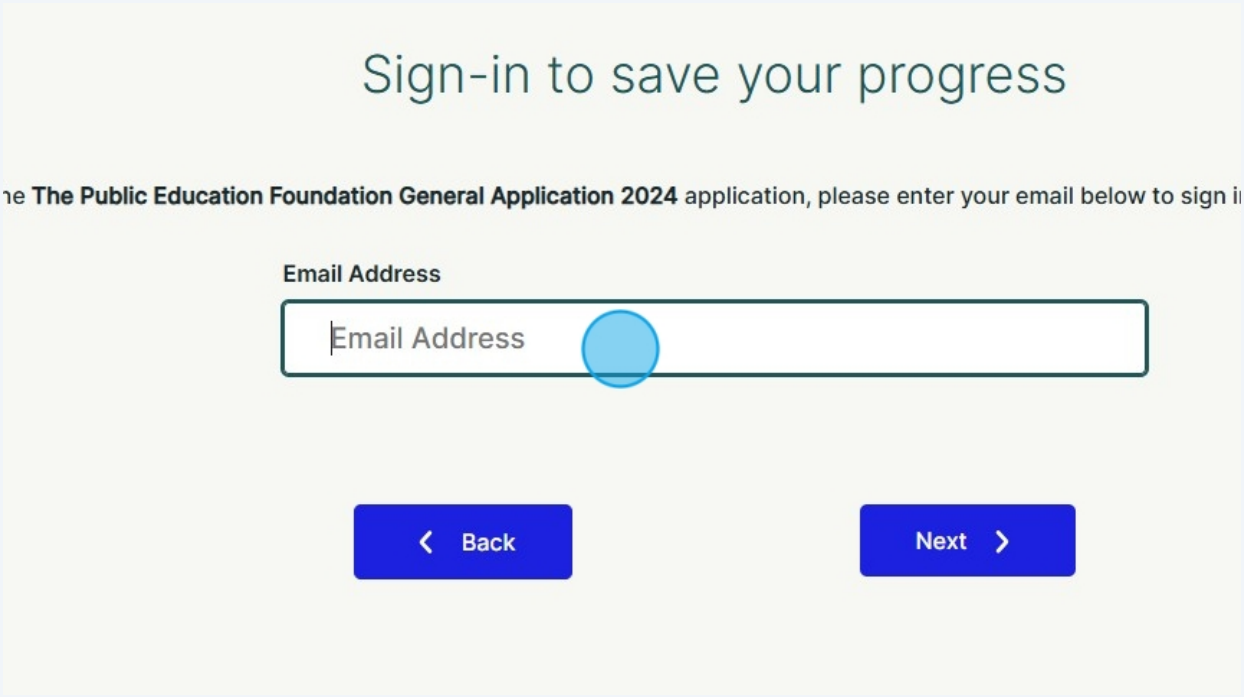
Please use a professional, non-school email address. This is how we will communicate with you if you win a scholarship, so make sure to use an email that you can still access after graduating or if you change what college you are attending!

6 Click "Okay"



Registering Your Account

7 Enter your non-CCSD email. Your email address will be your log-in for the scholarship portal. If you ever need to leave your application and come back to it, or if you need to make changes, the system will save your information and attach it to this email address.



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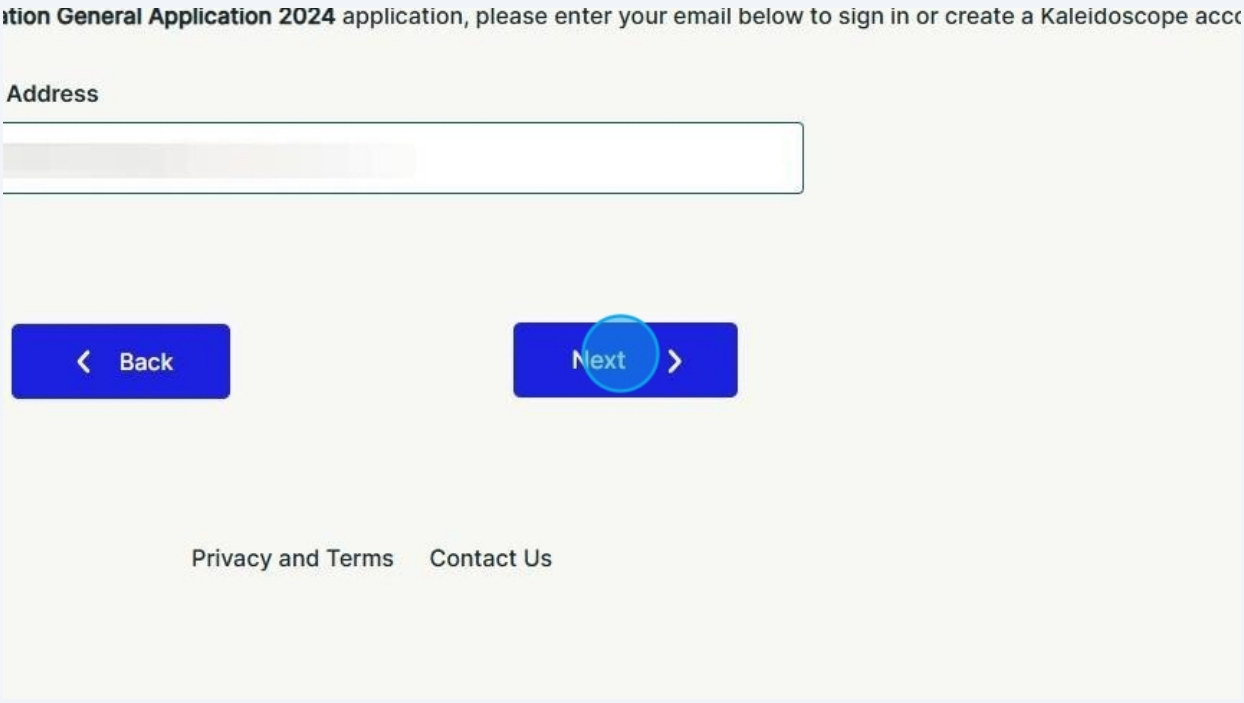
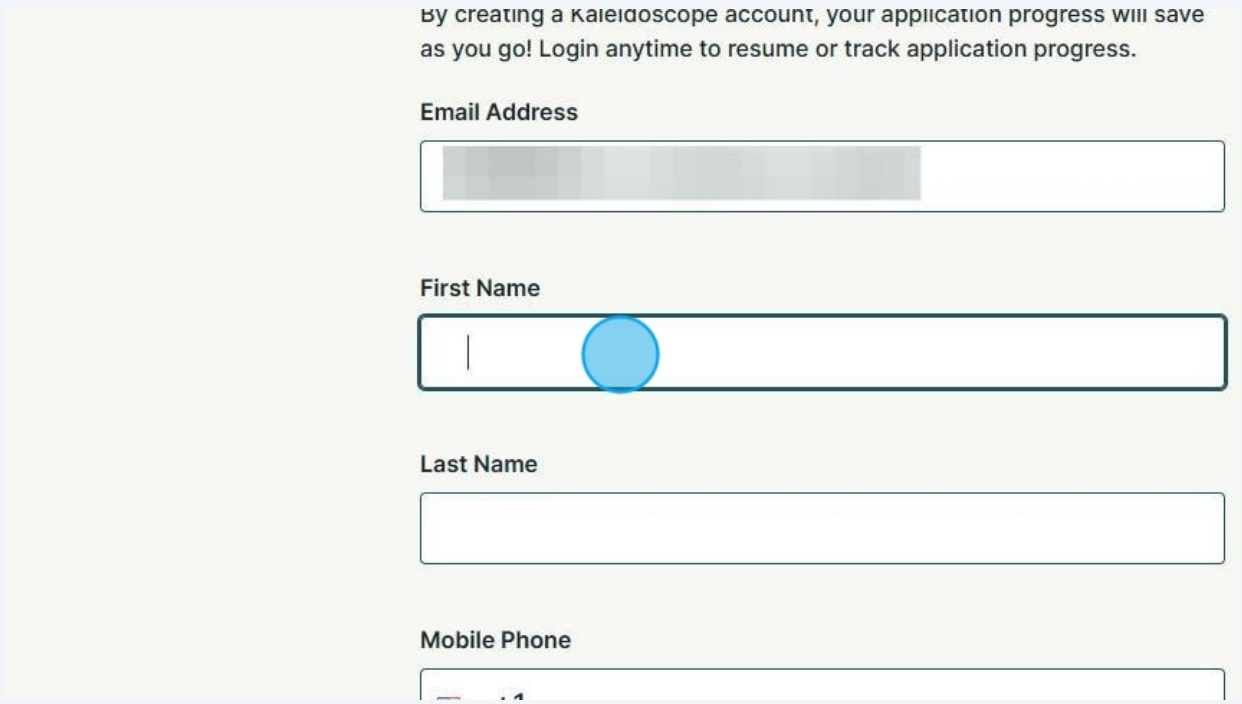
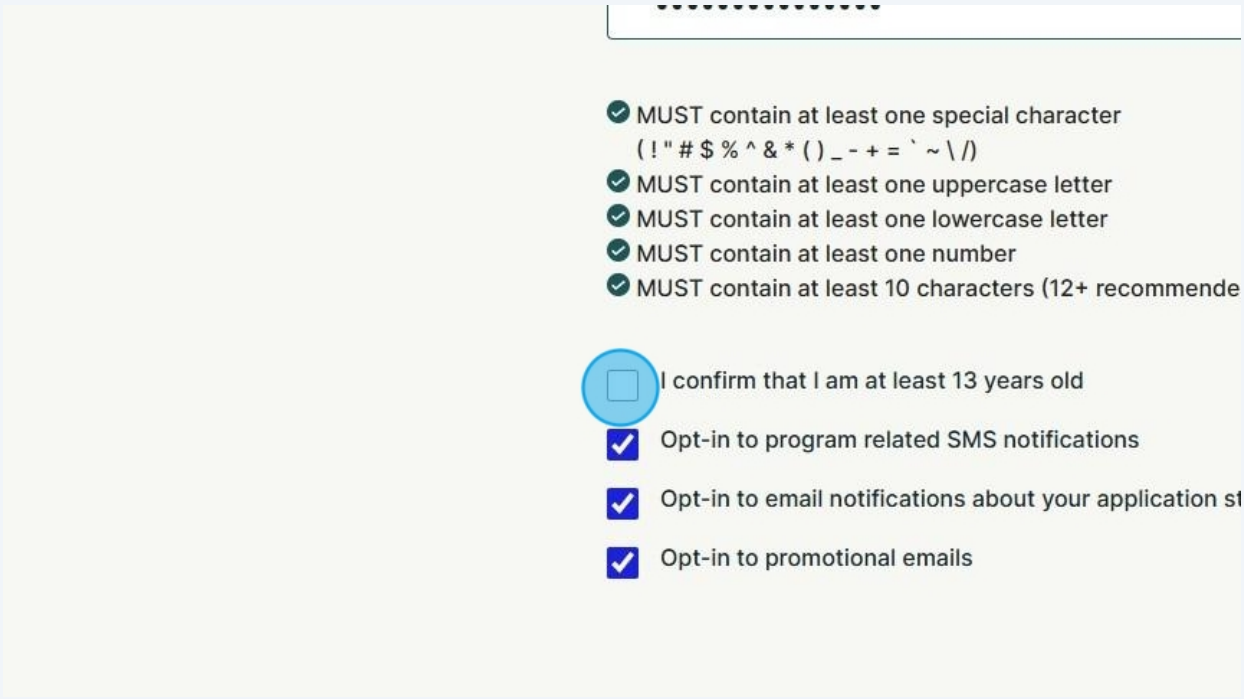


9 Create your account by entering your First Name, Last Name, Mobile Phone Number, and Password. Make sure to save your password or write it down so you can come back to this application later.

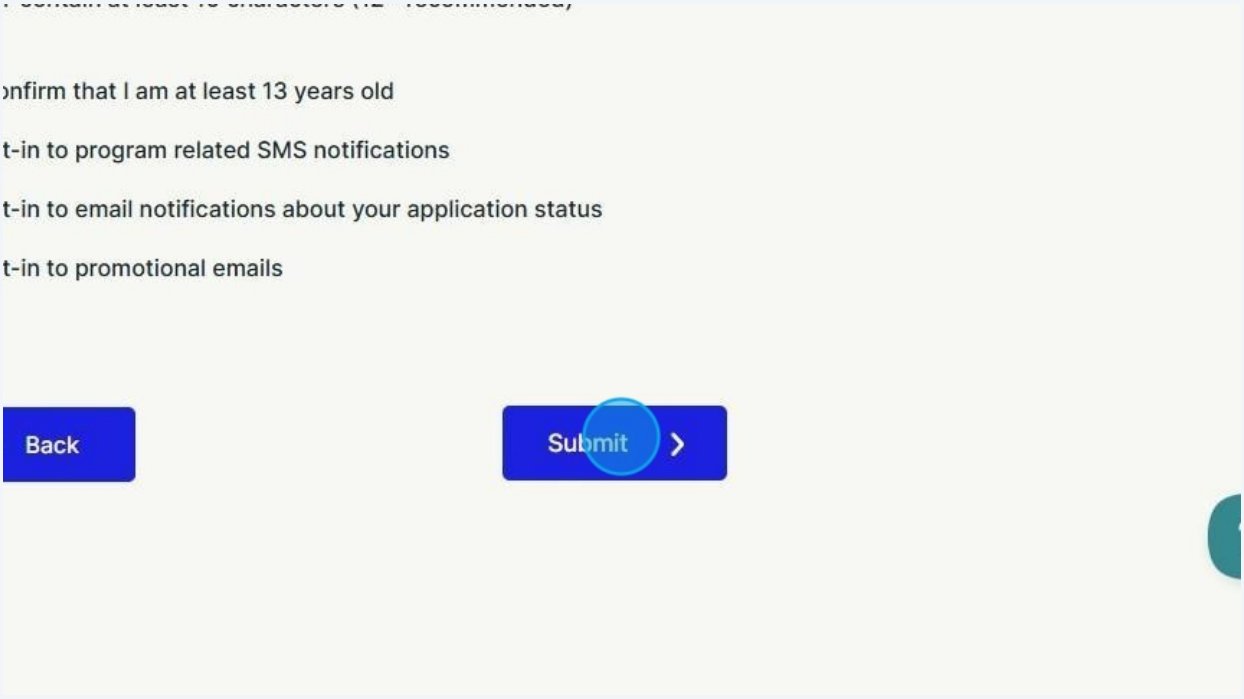


You must use the name as written on your school transcript, as to not confuse the system and maintain consistency throughout the documents you upload.

10 Check all of the boxes below these questions to confirm that you are at least 13 years old and to opt-in to SMS notifications and email notifications about your application status. We will send you notifications when new scholarships are posted that you qualify for, and notify you if you are selected for a scholarship!



11 Click "Submit"



⚠ Once you create your account, you will receive an email from Kaleidoscope Support. You can use the link in this email to return to your scholarship application at any point. Don’t see it in your inbox? Check your spam or junk mail, and mark **help@mykaleidoscope.com** as a safe sender to receive future messages in your inbox.