

BOW ROTARY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND

FILLABLE STUDENT APPLICATION FORM – Traditional

Use This Application Form if You are **CURRENTLY** a student or have been a student attending high school or college within the last **FOUR** years.

For a Traditional 4-year school For Vocational, Technical or Certificate Schools or Programs, use the “Vocational Scholarship” form, available at bowrotary.org or the Bow High School Guidance Office at 228-2210.

For Adult Student Applications If you **HAVE NOT** been in school or college for **Five** or **More** Years, use the “Adult Scholarship” form which is available at bowrotary.org or the Bow High School Guidance Office at 228-2210.

Eligibility Requirements:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. College Application must be accepted to qualify for a scholarship, however, you may apply prior to acceptance. 2. Application can be for either a four (4) year or two (2) year school. 3. You must be a Bow or Dunbarton resident <u>OR</u> 4. You attend or have attended Bow High School but live in another town that does not have a Rotary Club with a Scholarship Program you qualify for. 5. You are eligible if you <u>have not</u> previously been awarded two (2) Bow Rotary Club scholarships. 6. Bow Rotary Club member’s immediate family members are not eligible.
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Completion:	All questions must be completely answered to the best of your ability. Incomplete or missing answers will disqualify you from receiving a scholarship.
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Applicant Information: Use your Tab Key to move through the form.

Applicant Name: _____
First
Middle
Last
Suffix

Home Address: _____
Street
City
State
Zip

Mobile Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Email: _____ Resident of Bow or Dunbarton Since: _____ Date: _____

Current High School Name: or _____ College Name: _____ Year: _____
Address: _____

Planned or current area of study or degree: _____

State your intended long-term goals: _____

Family Information

Parents Names: _____ Married | Divorced | Separated
Father
Mother
Marital Status

Parents Occupations: _____ Y _____ Y
Father
Currently Employed?
Mother
Currently Employed?

Siblings at Home (Names & Ages) _____

Siblings Attending College: (Names & Ages) _____

If Yes, List College Names and Current College Year: _____

Are there any special circumstances that would limit your family’s ability to help you with college expenses?

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Applicant's Work Experience	
Current Employer: _____	Role/Position: _____
Months/Years Employed: _____	Average Hrs/Wk Worked & Weekly Income: _____
Awards/Recognition Received: _____	Lessons Learned: _____
Previous Employer: _____	Role/Position: _____
Months/Years Employed: _____	Average Hrs/Wk Worked & Weekly Income: _____
Awards/Recognition Received: _____	Lessons Learned: _____
Previous Employer: _____	Role/Position: _____
Months/Years Employed: _____	Average Hrs/Wk Worked & Weekly Income: _____
Awards/Recognition Received: _____	Lessons Learned: _____

Applicant's School & Community Experience	
School Clubs Participation: <i>(include years, awards and any leadership positions held)</i>	
Special Lessons Learned:	
Community Organizations: <i>(include years, awards and any leadership positions held)</i>	
Special Lessons Learned:	
Religious Organizations: <i>(include years, awards and any leadership positions held)</i>	
Special Lessons Learned:	
High School Sports Played: <i>(include years played, awards and leadership positions held)</i>	
Special Lessons Learned:	
Club Sports Played: <i>(include years played, awards and leadership positions held)</i>	
Special Lessons Learned:	
Were you required to complete a "senior project" or a special project as part of your graduation requirements? If so, please describe your project:	
Was it completed on time? Y ___ N ___	
What did you learn about yourself from this project?	

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Personal Information & Special Considerations

Tell us about your interests & hobbies: (100 -200 words)

Describe what you are most passionate about: (150 -200 words)

Tell us about one or more instances where you did something to improve someone else's life: (150 -200 words)

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Describe what is your target job/career or profession? (150 -200 words)

Where do you intend to be with your life in five years? (100 -200 words)

Is there anything we should know about you or your situation that would help the scholarship committee in their selection?

The Bow Rotary Club provides information about scholarship recipients when announcing winners of the scholarships, including to the media.

Rotary may also use this information when promoting the Scholarship Auction and upcoming scholarship opportunities.

Given what you have provided for personal information in this application, please write 4 or 5 sentences about yourself that the Bow Rotary Club could be used to inform the public about who you are.

Continue to the Financial Information Worksheet on the following page.

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FINANCIAL INFORMATION WORKSHEET

1. Complete the following information related to the costs for the college or university that you plan to attend:

Tuition: \$ _____
 Room & Board: \$ _____
 Books: \$ _____
 Other Fees: \$ _____
Total Costs: \$ _____

2. Indicate any sources of financial assistance for the upcoming school year:

Other Scholarships Secured: \$ _____
 Student Loans: \$ _____
 Grants: \$ _____
 Parents Contribution (FAFSA): \$ _____
 Employer (student or parent) \$ _____
 Other Relatives' Contributions: \$ _____
 Other Contributions: *(state below*)* \$ _____
Total: \$ _____

* Other sources:

3. Previous Year's Income & Assets *(Must be completed)*

- A. Applicant's previous year's US Tax Return
 Adjusted Gross Income Amount from IRS form
 1040, 1040A or 1040 EZ or from W2: \$ _____
Please attach copy of Applicant's IRS tax return or W2
- B. State Parents combined Adjusted Gross Income
 Amount from IRS form 1040, 1040A or 1040 EZ: \$ _____
- C. Applicant's Expected current year's income: \$ _____
- D. Total value of Applicant's Cash, Savings, CD's and
 Checking accounts: \$ _____
- E. Total value of any Trusts in the Applicant's name: \$ _____
- F. Total value of any Applicant owned stocks/bonds: \$ _____
- G. Value of any Applicant's 529 College Fund plans: \$ _____
- H. State any additional income or assets: \$ _____

NOTE: These documents will be shredded after the scholarship selections have been made.

ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS REQUIRED:

- 1. Two letters of recommendation from the current academic year must be attached.
 Some examples of sources for the recommendation letters include community member, principal, teacher, employer, or clergy.
- 2. High School or College Transcripts must be attached.

By Checking this box, I am stating that all the above information is complete and accurate to the best of my ability

Name: _____ Date: _____

NOTE: Applications must be received at the Bow SAU Office no later than **3:00 PM on April 6th 2026**
 Scholarship Applications and required attachments may be mailed, dropped off in person. Bow Rotary
 Scholarship Committee c/o Bow Superintendent of Schools Office
 Bow School District, 55 Falcon Way, Bow NH 03304
 Alternatively applications may be emailed to bowrotary@gmail.com