



RCMSFI Community Scholarship

for

Residents of Merrimack

Background Information:

The Rotary Club of Merrimack Scholarships Fund Inc. (RCMSFI) provides scholarships to residents of Merrimack, NH for higher-level educational pursuits. The group is governed by an all-volunteer Board of Directors who handles all aspects of the RCMSFI and the scholarships they provide to the residents.

Award Criteria:

The following criteria have been established for determining the scholarship recipient(s).

- The applicant is a current adult resident of Merrimack is returning to school after an absence and is currently seeking a degree or certification to advance career skills.
- The applicant is pursuing program certification or associate's or bachelor's degree.
- The applicant will gain knowledge and/or develop skills from the course.
- The applicant needs to submit a letter of intent focusing on why s/he is pursuing a certificate or degree program.

Application Process:

Applicants must submit the completed application to the Rotary Club of Merrimack Scholarship Fund, Inc. (RCMSFI) Board of Directors by April 15, 2012. This application asks for identification information and for a description of the course that the applicant is pursuing during summer or fall 2012. Applicants are required to sign an agreement that covers pre-payment requirements and an authorization that allows the RCMSFI to use the applicants' names, images, and course in press releases and announcements if they are selected for scholarship awards.

One scholarship will be awarded to a Merrimack resident.
The award will be granted by the RCMSFI board members based on the award
criteria listed above.

A total amount of up to \$1,500 will be awarded.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: April 15, 2012

AWARD NOTIFICATION: May 4, 2012

Mail application and accompanying materials to the Rotary Club of Merrimack Scholarship Fund, Inc., P.O. Box 1465, Merrimack, NH 03054-0181, Attention John Carlisle.

**RCMSFI COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP
for
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Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone Number: _____

Course Title: _____

Length of Course (starting and ending dates): _____

Course Location: _____

State reason(s) applicant should be selected for scholarship:

State how this course of study will further your educational or career pursuits:

Tuition/Registration Fee:	\$ _____
Materials/Books:	\$ _____
Total Funding Requested: (not to exceed \$1,500)	\$ _____

Submit the Following Items with the Application:

- Copy of printed material that defines the course (use copy of course description from web or catalog)
- Signed RCMSFI Agreement (see attached)
- Payment selection (choose either option)

I've already paid for the course and have enclosed a copy of my receipt.

Please pay directly to the provider of the course.

If awarded a scholarship, the check should be made payable to:

Name: _____
Address: _____
