



Scholarship Application

The Rotary Club of the Chagrin Valley is offering scholarships to graduates from Chagrin Falls High School and Kenston High School Class of 2026. Auburn Career Center and Excel TECC students from the same high schools pursuing a vocational degree from an accredited institution may apply for Vocational Scholarships. Students pursuing bachelor's degrees may apply for Academic Scholarships. Grant may range up to \$3,000. Scholarship(s) will be awarded based on need, community service, academic achievement, extracurricular activity, a recommendation, and a student essay. Please complete this application fully and legibly. If considered for the scholarship, you may be contacted to arrange an interview with the scholarship committee. Winners will be notified by May 1st.

Applications MUST be received by March 20, 2026

Late applications WILL NOT be accepted.

Submit your application to your high school

Guidance Department

FOR KENSTON: Cindy.Schickler@Kenstonapps.org

FOR CHAGRIN FALLS: Meredith.Beasing@chagrinschools.org

Rotary Offers Vocational and Academic Scholarships

Type of Application (check appropriate box) Vocational ☐ Academic ☐

Personal Information (please print legibly)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Mobile Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Family Information

Parents Name(s): _____

Parents Occupation(s): _____

Parents Mobile Phone: _____

Sibling(s) Names: _____

Special Circumstances:

Academic History

Current School(s): _____

GPA/Class Rank: _____

For these areas you may attach a resume or separate sheet containing the information.
Please indicate this by checking the box where it applies.

School Activities/Clubs: ☐ Listed on resume

Student Leadership: ☐ Listed on resume

Awards/Recognitions: ☐ Listed on resume

Community Service

Service Organization(s): ☐ Listed on resume

Service/Volunteer Activities: ☐ Listed on resume

Career Plans

Degree/Major/Career Plans: _____

University/College/Tech School of choice: _____

Financial Information

Parents Combined Annual Income:

Below \$75,000 ☐ \$75,000-\$125,000 ☐ \$125,000-\$175,000 ☐

\$175,000-\$250,000 ☐ \$250,000-\$500,000 ☐ Over \$500,000 ☐

Student Employment History: _____

Student Assets

Personal Savings: _____ College Funds: _____

Scholarships: _____

Students Expected Annual Expenses

Yearly Tuition: _____ Room and Board: _____

Books/Fees: _____

Student Loans: _____

Additional Requests

1. Please provide a letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, coach, clergy, or other adult advisor. You may include it with the application or have it sent to your high school guidance department by the deadline.
2. The motto of Rotary is "Service Above Self." In the essay space please write a three or four paragraph essay on your life challenges or accomplishments thus far and incorporate the Rotary Motto.
3. Please sign and have a parent sign and date the following application.

Our signatures below note that we understand that all the completed information is truthful and accurate. We also understand that financial information is confidential and will only be shared with members of the Chagrin Valley Rotary Club Scholarship Committee.

Student

Parent

Date _____

Date _____

ESSAY: Prompt – Service Above Self