

Village West Rotary Scholarship Application

Due Wednesday, January 31, 2024

The Village West Rotary will award **\$1,000 scholarships** to high school seniors (2023-2024 school year) attending a Wyandotte County high school and current college students who are graduates of a Kansas City, Kansas or Wyandotte County High School and are attending a college/university, technical school, or community college as a full-time student. Email any questions on the scholarship application process to kckjayhawk1@yahoo.com.

Eligibility Requirements (check one)

I am a current college student who has graduated from a Kansas City, Kansas or Wyandotte County High School. Each scholarship awarded will be disbursed in one payment to the student's school account unless otherwise determined. If you have received a Village West Rotary Scholarship before, you are welcome to apply again.

I am a high school senior (2023-2024 school year) who will graduate from a Kansas City, Kansas or Wyandotte County high school. Each scholarship awarded will be disbursed to the student's college account in one payment in June 2023 unless otherwise determined.

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS: Do not send links to your Google docs, etc. Please download the application and all attachments, save as PDFs, and email directly to kckjayhawk1@yahoo.com by **MIDNIGHT, 1/31/2024**. Any attachments should be labeled with your first and last name.

1. Personal Information (please print neatly!)

Name: _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Address: _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Phone: _____ Personal e-mail Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Student ID Number: _____ (Current College Student Applicants only)

Male ___ Female ___

Will Family Contribute to your education? Yes ___ No ___ Approximate amount: _____

Parents'/Guardians' Names: _____

Parents'/Guardians' Address (if different from yours): _____

No. of Siblings: _____ Are other siblings currently attending college? List number _____

2. Academic Information and Transcript

High School Attended _____ Graduation Date _____

GPA: _____ (Attach copy of most recent available transcript—must be included.)

Name of College/Tech School You Attend (or will attend): _____

Location of School: _____

Field of Study: _____

Will you be a full-time student in the Fall of 2024? Yes ___ No ___

School and Community Involvement *List any organizations in which you have been a member or volunteer, or jobs in which you have been employed. Organizations may include academic, athletic, civic, religious or social groups. Jobs may also include volunteer work or internships.*

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Frequency of Activity</u>	<u>List Actual Year(s)</u>	<u>Positions or Offices Held</u>

List any awards, honors or recognition received:

Employment

Employer _____

Do you work during the school semester? How many hours per week? _____

Do you work during the summer? How many hours per week? _____

If you have more than one employer list the information on a separate page and send with application.

3. Essay

Please introduce yourself, explain why this scholarship is important, and tell us how your studies will fit in to your future career plans. (400 words max)

4. Letter of Recommendation

A letter of recommendation from a mentor, counselor, teacher, community/activity leader, or coach is required in order to be considered. The letter should be from someone you have known for two or more years. The letter must be emailed directly from the person making the recommendation to kckjayhawk1@yahoo.com by **January 31, 2024**.

Financial Information

According to the school/university you attend now (or will attend), please list the costs of attendance for one year (including tuition/fees, room/board, other expenses):

Tuition/Fees \$ _____
Room/Board \$ _____
Other Expenses \$ _____
Total Expenses \$ _____

Have you received other forms of financial aid at this time? Yes ___ No ___

If there are special financial circumstances that will affect your education (including family financial concerns), please describe:

Certification

I hereby confirm that all information provided on this application is correct, and I understand that any false information automatically disqualifies me from eligibility.

(Signature of Applicant)

(Date)