



## Centerville Rotary Club 2023 Scholarship Program

**PURPOSE:** The purpose of the Centerville Rotary Club College Scholarship Program is to assist young adults residing in Centerville/Washington Township in their pursuit of advanced degrees so that they may become our leaders of tomorrow.

**AWARD:** Scholarships in the amount of \$2,000 will be awarded to graduating seniors from Centerville High School who will be attending an accredited four year college; an accredited two year community college; or an accredited trade school. One-year scholarships are awarded based on financial need, scholastic achievement and potential success in their post-secondary education institution. Children and grandchildren of Centerville Rotarians are not eligible.

**DEADLINE:** Applications must be **submitted to the High School Guidance school guidance counselor by Friday April 14, 2023.** Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

### **APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS: all documents to be done in Word Document Attachment**

- 1) Application form
- 2) Two reference letters: 1 teacher or student activity leader and 1 public service or community activity leader
- 3) Essay stating how your academic and career goals relate to Rotary International goals (not to exceed 500 words).
- 4) Signature form:
  1. Student Signature,
  2. Parent or Guardian signature,
  3. School guidance counselor signature

### **INTERVIEWS**

-Members of the Centerville Rotary Educational Foundation will interview selected applicants.

### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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# 1. CENTERVILLE ROTARY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

## HOME

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last

First

Middle

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

Number and Street

Zip

City

County

Home Phone

Cell Phone

Email

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_ Month \_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_ Year

## FAMILY

Parent/Guardian (1) Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian (1) Occupation and Place of Work \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian (2) Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian (2) Occupation and Place of Work \_\_\_\_\_

Number of children in family: Siblings \_\_\_\_\_ Their Ages \_\_\_\_\_

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Are any family members currently attending college? If yes, who, where and what are the projected graduation date(s)?

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Are any of your family members Rotarians? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, what is your relationship? \_\_\_\_\_

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**HIGH SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY:** Attach separate sheet for the following:

- 1) List student activities in which you participated during high school. Include description of what you did, your dates of involvement and why you chose to participate.
- 2) List public service and community activities in which you participated as a volunteer during high school. Include description of what you did, your dates of involvement and why you chose to participate.
- 3) List awards or special recognitions you have received.
- 4) List Jobs, where and how long.

**COLLEGE**

What school do you plan on attending and why? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What do you think your academic major will be and why? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Estimate your college expenses per year:      TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_

Tuition & Fees	_____
Room & Board	_____
Books & Supplies	_____
Personal	_____

Estimate your source of funds for annual college expenses: TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_

Personal Savings	_____
Family Support	_____
Paid Employment	_____
Loans	_____
Grants/Scholarships	_____

List any grants/scholarships you have received to date, including amount and reason (scholastic, financial, etc.).

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

List any grants/scholarships you are seeking, but have not yet received.

\_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_

How do you plan to finance your college education beyond freshman year? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your parent's total income for 2022? \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate whether your family has had exceptional expenses (e.g. medical) during the past two years? \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. LIST TWO REFERENCES AND INCLUDE LETTER OF SUPPORT FROM EACH

One teacher or student activity leader **AND** one public service or community activity leader.

Name

Email

Phone

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## 3. ESSAY

Attach an essay stating how your academic and career goals relate to Rotary International goals (not to exceed 500 words).

**Rotary International** is one of the largest service organizations in the world. Its stated mission is to "provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through [the] fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders"

## 4. SIGNATURE FORM

I, \_\_\_\_\_, understand that the information contained in this application will only be reviewed by Rotarians who need to evaluate it in order to select scholarship recipients. I further understand that if I am awarded a Centerville Rotary Club scholarship, general information about myself, my background and future plans may be shared with club members and possibly used in the club's publicity, along with my picture. I understand that an in-person interview with members of the Centerville Rotary Educational Foundation is part of the selection process. In addition, if awarded a scholarship, I agree to attend a meeting of the Centerville Rotary Club to accept my scholarship and present a summary of my college plans to the membership and return at a future date to update club members on my progress. I affirm that the information contained in the application is my own work and that it is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

**Signature of Applicant** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Applicant Parent or Guardian** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

### TO BE FILLED OUT BY YOUR SCHOOL COUNSELOR

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Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_

ACT \_\_\_\_\_ SAT \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of School Guidance Counselor** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_