

# Rotary Club of Haddonfield Foundation



## ACADEMIC AND ARTS SCHOLARSHIPS 2023



Each year, the Rotary Club of Haddonfield Foundation provides financial assistance to accomplished students with financial need in Haddonfield and nearby communities who are planning to further their education in a university, college or vocational school.

The Foundation is incorporated as a New Jersey nonprofit corporation operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes. Since making its first awards in 2002, the Foundation has awarded 144 scholarships with a total value of over \$270,000.

It is anticipated that at least five academic and arts scholarships, each valued at \$2,000, will be awarded in May 2023. Applications from qualified students are invited.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 2023**

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## INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS

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This form may be accessed online, at [www.HaddonfieldRotary.org](http://www.HaddonfieldRotary.org).

Academic Scholarships are awarded based on academic achievement, financial need, recommendations and the required essay. Arts Scholarships are awarded based on achievement in the arts, potential for success in the arts, and the required essay. An audition may be required.

Consideration will be given to students who demonstrate an understanding of the Mission of Rotary International: providing service to others, promoting high ethical standards, and advancing world understanding, goodwill, and peace.

- For information about Vocational Scholarships, e-mail Pamela Stalcup at [pameladepompo@aol.com](mailto:pameladepompo@aol.com).
- For the Alice Downs Scholarship for Young Violinists, e-mail David Hunter at [321hunter@gmail.com](mailto:321hunter@gmail.com).

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1. ENSURE that you are eligible. If you are a member of the Rotary Club of Haddonfield, or a close relative of a member, or a substantial contributor to the Rotary Club of Haddonfield Foundation, you are not eligible to receive a scholarship. If you have questions about your eligibility, please email Mary Ann Bigelow, [maebigelow@gmail.com](mailto:maebigelow@gmail.com).
2. COMPLETE the Scholarship Application form (page 3).
3. SUBMIT an evaluation from a teacher, instructor, counselor, or principal at your high school. If a Teacher Evaluation form from the Common Application for Undergraduate College Admission (or the Instructor Recommendation form from the Universal College Application) was submitted as part of a college application, you may include a copy of that form with your application. If the evaluator wishes to send the form directly, the address is: Scholarship Committee, Rotary Club of Haddonfield Foundation, PO Box 383, Haddonfield, NJ 08033. If you need to obtain an evaluation, ask the evaluator to use the Teacher Evaluation form on the Common Application website:  
<https://www.commonapp.org/CommonApp/DownloadForms.aspx>
4. In an essay, DISCUSS how your education beyond high school will help you to achieve the goals you have set for yourself. Your essay should be no longer than two double-spaced, typed pages. Put your name at the top right of each page. Include in your essay information concerning any sustained volunteer or work experience you have done. SUBMIT your essay with the Scholarship Application form.
5. SUBMIT the first page of your FAFSA form, showing the **Expected Family Contribution** (EFC) towards your tuition. **PLEASE black out your Social Security number before submission.**
6. SUBMIT your high school transcript with the application.
7. SIGN the Declarations (Page 4). ENSURE that your parents/guardians sign as well.
8. **OPTIONAL** Question. Write a short paragraph telling us something about yourself that makes you stand out and submit this with the application.
9. COPY your application and attachments for your own records.
10. MAIL your application – postmarked on or before **FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 2023** – to: Scholarship Committee, Rotary Club of Haddonfield Foundation, PO Box 383, Haddonfield, NJ 08033.

NOTE: If you are awarded a scholarship, you must attend the awards presentation, held during a Rotary dinner at the Tavistock Country Club providing no COVID-19 restrictions are in place. Two guests (typically parents or guardians) are welcome to attend with you. If you are the recipient of an Academic Scholarship, you may be asked to read the essay you submitted with your application. If you are a recipient of an Arts Scholarship, you may be asked to perform (one piece, four minutes maximum).

**NOTE: INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.**

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## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

I hereby APPLY for a 2023 scholarship from the Rotary Club of Haddonfield Foundation.

I UNDERSTAND that to receive a scholarship for 2023, I must attend and participate in the Rotary dinner at Tavistock Country Club if no COVID-19 restrictions are in place.

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Δ Student's Signature

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Δ Date

### STUDENT INFORMATION

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Δ Full first name

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Δ Middle initial

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Δ Last name

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Δ Nickname if preferred

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Δ Birthdate

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Δ Home Address

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Δ Home phone

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Δ Home city / State / Zip

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Δ Cell phone

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Δ Email address (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!)

### SCHOOL & COLLEGE INFORMATION

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Δ Name of High School

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Δ Name of College if known

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Δ High School City / State

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Δ Teacher providing recommendation

### PARENT / GUARDIAN INFORMATION

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Δ Parent/ Guardian's name

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Δ Parent / Guardian's name

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Δ Home address

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Δ Home address (or Check here \_\_\_\_\_ if same as Father's)

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Δ Home city / State / Zip

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Δ Home city / State / Zip

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Δ Email address (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!)

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Δ Parent / Guardian's Occupation

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## DECLARATIONS

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Δ Applicant's First Name

Δ Middle Initial

Δ Last Name

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Δ Preferred First Name (if different from Full Name)

We, the undersigned, hereby DECLARE that the information provided in this Scholarship Application, and in all attachments, is complete, true, and accurate. We provide this information and release pursuant to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (the "Buckley Act"), 20 USC §1232(g).

We hereby AUTHORIZE the release of all necessary information, including photographs, to and by the Rotary Club of Haddonfield Foundation for the purposes of enabling the student to be considered for a scholarship award by the Foundation, and for publicizing any such award without restriction at any time in the future.

We ENCLOSE a copy of Page 1 of our Student Aid Report – the summary of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form – showing our Expected Family Contribution.

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Δ Student's Signature

Δ Date

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Δ Parent/ Guardian's Signature

Δ Date

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Δ Parent / Guardian's Signature

Δ Date

# RECORD OF ACTIONS (for Foundation use only)

Names of Trustee evaluators .....

Δ Date Application Received. ....  
..... Transcript included .....yes .....no  
..... SAR Form .....yes .....no  
..... Application form is complete .....yes .....no  
..... Instructor's Recommendation .....yes .....no  
..... Audition .....yes .....no

Δ Date student advised of decision .....

Scholarship Committee's Recommendation: .....yes .....no

Board of Trustees' Decision: .....yes .....no

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Δ Institution Δ Foundation Chairman's signature Δ Date

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Date check mailed to Institution Δ Rotarian to maintain contact w/ student Δ Award no.

