

Rotary Club of Haddonfield Foundation



VOCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS 2025



Each year, the Rotary Club of Haddonfield Foundation provides financial assistance to accomplished students in with financial need in Camden County who are planning to further their education in a university, college, vocational, or other tertiary setting.

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 190 scholarships with a total value of \$310,000.

Scholarships will be awarded at a Scholarship Dinner on **May 21, 2025**. Applications from qualified students are invited.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 2025

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This form may be accessed online, at www.HaddonfieldRotary.org.

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Vocational Scholarships are awarded based on recommendations, evidence of motivation, character, ability, work experience and the required essay. An interview 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.

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS

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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 Denise Stuart at Haddonfieldrotary501c3@gmail.com
2. COMPLETE the Scholarship Application form (page 3).
3. SUBMIT **no more than 2 recommendations** 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 Student Aid Index (SAI)** 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. COPY your application and attachments for your own records.
9. **Email your application and accompanying documents** to Haddonfieldrotary501c3@gmail.com or MAIL your application – postmarked on or before **FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 2025** – 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 on May 21, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.

NOTE: INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

I hereby APPLY for a 2025 scholarship from the Rotary Club of Haddonfield Foundation.

I UNDERSTAND that to receive a scholarship for 2025, I must attend and participate in the Rotary Awards Dinner at Tavistock Country Club on **May 21, 2025**

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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 city / State / Zip

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Δ Cell phone

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Δ Email address (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!)

VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL/COLLEGE INFORMATION

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Δ Name of High School

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Δ Name of Vocational/Technical/College if known

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Δ Teacher providing recommendation

PARENT / GUARDIAN INFORMATION – for high school seniors

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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

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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 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 above)

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 the **Student Aid Index (SAI)**.

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Δ Student's Signature

Δ Date

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Δ Parent/ Guardian's Signature (**for high school seniors**)

Δ Date

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Δ Parent / Guardian's Signature (**for high school seniors**)

Δ Date

RECORD OF ACTIONS (for Foundation use only)

.....	Names of Trustee evaluators	Recommendation
Δ Date Application Received		
..... Application form is complete		
..... High School Transcriptyesno
..... SAR Form		
..... Instructor's Recommendationyesno
..... Auditionyesno
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Δ Date student advised of decision	Scholarship Committee's Recommendation:yesno
	Board of Trustees' Decision:yesno
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Δ Institution	Δ Foundation Chairman's signature	Δ Date
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Δ Date check mailed to Institution	Δ Rotarian to maintain contact w/ student	Δ Award no.