



**EAST LONGMEADOW ROTARY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION
INCORPORATED (ELRMSFI) AND EAST LONGMEADOW ROTARY FOUNDATION
INCORPORATED (ELRFI) SCHOLARSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Every year, ELRMSFI AND ELRFI awards numerous scholarships to high school seniors who are residents of East Longmeadow who are college bound or vocational students.

- For the Douglas Burack Scholarship, those already attending training/college in Culinary Arts or related field are eligible to apply if they are East Longmeadow residents.
- High school seniors who are children and grandchildren of East Longmeadow Rotarians are eligible to apply regardless of residency.

Between ELRMSFI and ELRFI, \$410,000 has been awarded to date with \$21,000 awarded in 2019. Since its inception in 1986, the ELRMSFI has awarded \$362,750 in scholarships. Since 1993, the ELRFI has awarded \$47,250 in scholarships.

For 2020, the following scholarships are being offered (for a total \$22,500 in scholarships)

- *The Earl MacDonald Memorial Scholarship: \$3000*
- *The James Davis Memorial Scholarship: two scholarships at \$1750 each*
- *The Douglas Burack Memorial Scholarship: two scholarships at \$2000 each*
- *The Jean Ference-Burack Memorial Scholarship: two scholarships at \$2000 each*
- *The Michael Linnehan Memorial Scholarship: \$1500*
- *ELRMSFI Scholarship: \$2500*
- *ELRFI Scholarship: \$2000*
- *Willie Ferrero Memorial Scholarship: \$2000*

Each application will be reviewed by the East Longmeadow Rotary Club Scholarship Committee and scored on the following criteria:

1. Academic Record: Official School Transcript of Grades, SAT Score Report and Class Standing (SAT score and Class Standing must be requested specifically from the school by the student and included in the application)
2. School Contributions: Club membership, Athletics and School Activity Involvement
3. Community Contributions: Community Service that extends to the students community outside of the school
4. Essay about future college plans and career goals. Described how further education will aid in fulfilling those goals.
5. Letters of recommendations: Three letters of recommendations are required. At least one of the letters must be from the student's advisor or teacher.
6. Applications must meet eligibility criteria (above).

The suspense date for receipt of the application package is February 22, 2020. No applications will be accepted after that date. A lunchtime East Longmeadow Rotary Club meeting is scheduled to honor all the scholarship recipients on May 28, 2020. Recipients and two guest meals will be paid for by the Rotary Club of East Longmeadow.

Scholarship applications are available on elrotaryclub.org



ELRMSFI and ELRFI SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Summary of Application Requirements

- Meets Eligibility Requirements
- Student’s Resume with the following included:
 1. Demographic information: address, telephone number, school name (include address if not ELHS)
 2. Extracurricular Activities/Interests/Employment (List with years of participation)
 3. Future Plans/Major Course of Study/List of Colleges, Universities or Technical Training School
 4. Essay (500 words) - Explain how college, technical or vocational education will help you fulfill your career plans and goals.
- Official School Transcript of Grades
- SAT Score Report
- Three Letters of Recommendation – Don’t wait to ask for the letters!
- Signed Application
- Mailed ahead of receipt deadline date February 22, 2020

Please provide your Parent(s)/Guardian(s) name(s): _____

Please provide their address and telephone number if different from yours:

By signing below, I certify that if awarded a scholarship by the East Longmeadow Rotary Memorial Scholarship Foundation Incorporated or East Longmeadow Rotary Foundation Incorporated that I will use those monies for educational purposes. If the funds are not used, they will be returned to the East Longmeadow Rotary Club at the address listed above so that the funds can be returned to the appropriate scholarship foundation accounts.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

***Please submit all of the documents in to:
East Longmeadow Rotary Club
PO Box 571
East Longmeadow MA 01028***

Please let us know how you heard about our scholarship program (check all the apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ELHS Guidance Office/Counselor | <input type="checkbox"/> Snail Mail to Home |
| <input type="checkbox"/> School Email/Announcement | <input type="checkbox"/> Another Student |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reminder Announcement | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |