



District 5440 Scholarships

Students applying for these scholarships need to be studying an educational field linked to one of the six Rotary International Areas of Focus:

- Peace and conflict prevention/resolution
- Disease prevention and treatment
- Water and sanitation
- Maternal and child health
- Basic education and literacy
- Economic and community development

1. Resume that includes the student's name, address, email address, phone number, planned college major area of study, colleges the student has or is planning to attend, which Rotary Area(s) of Focus their studies are related to, high school activities, community involvement, employment history, and grade point average. (not to exceed two pages)

2. An original essay about the application of Rotary's Four Way Test to the student's past, present, and future - rating form is on the back of this announcement. (not to exceed 1000 words)

The Four-Way Test is a nonpartisan and nonsectarian ethical guide for Rotarians to use for their personal and professional relationships. The test has been translated into more than 100 languages, and Rotarians recite it at club meetings:

Of the things we think, say or do

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Rotarians, relatives, and employees of Rotary are not eligible to apply for these scholarships.

Rotary District 5440 Scholarship Rating Form

Essay Number		1	2	3	4	5
1 Content (45%)						
A	Application of the 4-way test in the writer's life (15pts)					
B	Use of examples from pier group and life experiences (15pts)					
C	Compelling story shown through examples and writing style (15 pts)					
2 Language (25%)						
A	Spelling (5 pts)					
B	Punctuation (5pts)					
C	Grammar (5pts)					
D	Word choice, voice, description, expressiveness (10pts)					
3 Organization (20%)						
A	Neatness of essay (5pts)					
B	Introduction that captures reader's attention and establishes major essay themes (5pts)					
C	Development of themes that are presented in clear logical order, with smooth transition between ideas, and supported with good examples (5pts)					
D	Conclusion that emphasizes major theme(s), leaving reader with clear concise message of creative, real application of the 4-way test (5pts)					
4 Resume (10%)						
A	School activities (2pts)					
B	Community involvement (2pts)					
C	Hobbies and interests (2pts)					
D	Employment history (2pts)					
E	Grade point average (2pts)					
Total Points						

