

La Grange Optimist Club Youth Scholarship



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Applicant's Name: _____

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Scholarship Information

The purpose of this scholarship is to offer financial assistance to qualified applicants of the Fayette County Area who will be entering an institution of higher education, or a trade school. The applicant should have a sound academic record, be of good character and demonstrate financial need. Leadership qualities, school activities, and communication involvement will be considered.

Amount of Scholarship

The value and number of scholarships to be awarded will be determined annually by the Scholarship Committee.

Eligibility Requirements

To receive this scholarship an applicant must

- (1) be a graduate of a Fayette County Area School; (2) have applied for admission in a recognized institution of higher learning or a trade school; and (3) maintain a grade point average above the level that would result in scholastic probation.

Application Procedure

An applicant will be given consideration for a scholarship when all of the following have been received by the scholarship committee.

1. A completed **typed** application form (no handwritten)
2. A transcript for all academic work, including rank and number in class, grade point average and college admission test scores
3. At least 2 reference letters

Operational Procedures

The scholarship money will be awarded to the recipients upon presentation of a current registration receipt from the institution to be attended or with notification of registration where a payment will be addressed directly to the institution of higher learning. This transaction will occur at the School Administration Office on a semester basis with one-half of the money being awarded for each semester.

Deadline

Application must be completed and received by the scholarship committee by April 1st, 2011. Upon completion of the application form, an applicant will mail it to the La Grange Optimist Club P O Box 672 La Grange, Texas 78945 prior to the deadline

Important Notice

Please type or complete the application form and the self appraisal utilizing a typewriter or a computer. No handwritten applications of self-appraisals please.

Also please indicated in section 2 of the Extracurricular Participation section if you volunteered hours for the Optimist Club throughout your school years., Please indicate how you volunteered, how many years you volunteered, and approximately how many hours you volunteered.

Applicants are considered without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, marital or veteran status, or the presence of medical condition or handicap.