



Portage Rotary Club

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PORTAGE ROTARY CLUB - 2020 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Please read these provisions before filling out this form. All questions must be answered completely for your application to receive consideration. The application must be received on or before **February 28th by 5:00 pm.**

Mail or deliver an **ORIGINAL** application **plus (10) additional COPIES (collated & stapled – but –please do NOT bind or put in notebooks)** of your application (along with the same number of copies of any supporting documents that you want reviewed with your application in collated & stapled sets to:

Paul D. Carlson, Chairman, Portage Rotary Club 2020 Scholarship Committee, c/o Portage District Library 300 Library Lane Portage, MI 49002 **NOTE: Applications will not be accepted after Friday, February 28th at 5:00 pm.**

Applicants must be accepted for, or already enrolled in, a college-level degree program or vocational certified program, must be a resident of the City of Portage or the Portage Public School District, and must be a US citizen (or be able to provide legal alien documentation.) Previous award winners may reapply, but will not receive priority placement when being considered against current year applicants. Portage Rotary Club scholarships are granted to candidates on the basis of satisfactory evidence of their achievements, dedication, volunteer activities and financial need.

Please type or print

- A. Name _____
Home Address _____
City _____ Michigan Postal Code: _____ E-Mail Address: _____
Daytime Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
- B. High school (s) attended: _____
Date of graduation: _____ Overall grade point average in high school: _____
- C. College attended/will be attending: _____
Campus Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
College Major _____ College Minor _____
College status: Freshman _____ Sophomore _____ Junior _____ Senior _____
If applicable, college grade point:

Hours	Cumulative	Last Summer
_____	GPA	GPA
_____	_____	_____
- D. Are you working this school year? _____ If yes, how many hours per week? _____
Where are you working? _____
- E. How is/will your college education (be) financed? _____
- F. Do you have brothers or sisters in college? _____
- G. Which other scholarships have you received? _____
- H. Which other scholarships have you applied? _____

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- I. Are you a previous Rotary scholarship winner? _____ If so, which year? _____
- J. Are you a United States citizen? ___ Yes ___ No [If no, are you able to provide legal alien documentation?]
- K. List up to three (3) people (not family members) who will be providing a recommendation. At least one should be a high school or college faculty member. Please attach up to three letters of recommendation to your application.

NAME _____ Title _____

Relationship to Candidate _____ Phone Number: _____

NAME _____ Title _____

Relationship to Candidate _____ Phone Number: _____

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The Portage Rotary 2020 Scholarship Committee would like more information about you than this basic form. Please attach one or two pages to your application and share with us the following information:

1. Your professional or occupational goals.
2. Why you selected the particular college you plan to attend.
3. Your extra-curricular activities, including your particular role in such activities.
4. Your work experience and/or volunteer experience.
5. Your reason for applying for this scholarship.
6. Any other information you believe would be useful to the committee in making its decision.

Mail or deliver this application form and attachments by Friday, February 28th at 5:00 pm to:

**Paul D. Carlson, Chairman
 Portage Rotary Club 2015 Scholarship Committee
 c/o Portage District Library
 300 Library Lane
 Portage, MI 49002**

The Portage Rotary Club 2020 Scholarship Committee members will be making decisions about candidates to be interviewed by March 11, 2020. If selected for an interview, you will be notified by phone, so be sure to have an appropriate phone number listed on your application. *[Note: Please print clearly on application form.]*

Interviews will take place on **March 23rd and March 24th, 2020 from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.** at the Portage District Library. Please indicate below with a check mark, which date you would be available for an interview.

March 23rd (Monday) _____ March 24th (Tuesday) _____

Scholarship award winners will be notified by the week of April 24th and honored at a Scholarship Awards Luncheon on Wednesday May 27, 2020.

PLEASE NOTE: Immediate family members of a Portage Rotarian are not eligible for this scholarship.