

Announcement

Rotary Club of Canton 2024- 2025 STEM Mentoring and Scholarship Program

In keeping with the Rotary's values of education and economic development, our new STEM Mentoring and Scholarship Program is focused on helping today's high school students gain valuable insight into industries in the community which will shape their career decisions in the future.

Our program will specifically strive to support, uplift, and recognize deserving high school juniors entering their senior years in the Plymouth-Canton Community School District who are in the STEM Program.

Requirements:

- Students must apply to qualify for this program, information required (but not limited to): PCEP STEM member, GPA, personal statement, and teacher recommendation.
- Students will need to commit to attending a majority of the company presentations and tours.
- Students will need to write an essay about what issues they have seen during their tours and how using STEM can help solve them.

Our program is designed to last approximately 10-12 months (18 - 24 hours overall in that span). The student would start in the second semester of their junior year and finish the program during the spring of their senior year.

Scholarship Winners will be selected from students who complete industry tours and essay portions of the program. Five students will each be awarded, a \$1000 scholarship.

The goal is to design a sustainable program with the help of the school system and the local industry from Canton, Michigan. The hope is to help students become leaders of tomorrow and also provide each of them to come back and mentor next generation students and give them the opportunity to give back.

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