



SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM AND APPLICATION

HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR

The Lakeville Chamber Foundation, a 501(c)3 charitable organization, focuses on workforce development through scholarships and grants. The Foundation is led by a volunteer Board of Directors. Each year the Foundation raises funds through two main events: Suds for Scholars and the Bowling Tournament Raffle.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Applicant must be: A high-school senior in the Lakeville Area School District, ISD 194. Applicant must be planning to attend a trade, technical school, or college in pursuit of a 2-year certification or 4-year degree in STEM.

SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

- Recipients may use scholarship funds to pay all normal college/educational expenses including tuition, book purchases, and rentals. Refundable fees will not be paid.
- Maximum value of each full award is \$1,000, payable in a lump sum payment.
- Scholarship recipients must be pursuing a workforce certification/degree in STEM.

IMPORTANT ITEMS YOU WILL NEED

- Application
- Reference Letter (see form attached)

How do I apply?

All documents must be submitted together. Eligible candidates may apply in one of three ways:

1. Mail to: Lakeville Area Chamber Foundation | 19950 Dodd Blvd, Suite 101 – Lakeville, MN 55044
2. Deliver in person to above address (M-F, 8am-4:30pm, call ahead)
3. Email to: info@LakevilleChamberCVB.org

What are the deadlines?

Application deadline is March 31 each year. The recipients will be announced in May of the same year.

How will the scholarship be awarded?

Scholarship will be mailed directly to school attending.

Am I able to accept other scholarships?

Yes, Lakeville Area Foundation Scholarship recipients are free to accept other scholarships, but must report any with financial awards to the Foundation during the application process.



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Today's Date: _____, 20____

Applying for Academic Year: 20____ / 20____

PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME:

Last

First

Middle

ADDRESS:

Street

City

State

Zip

CONTACT:

(____) _____ - _____

Daytime Phone

Email Address

HIGH SCHOOL CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN : _____

Post-Secondary Student ID Number (if known at time of application): _____

This is included on scholarship check, if awarded, when mailed to the schools.

Name and Photo Release:

If I am awarded a scholarship, I authorize the Lakeville Area Chamber Foundation to use my name and/or photo in any news related announcements, including but not limited to the Chamber website, chamber newsletter or other printed materials and local newspaper.

Signature of Applicant

Date



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Description of applicant's financial need:

This information will be used for the sole purpose of determining need and will remain confidential among the Board of Director's of the Lakeville Area Chamber Foundation.

1. _____ Number of persons in household
2. \$_____ Combined annual income of household
3. Other financial information deemed important by applicant (including other scholarships awarded):

Description of Course Study:

Can use additional sheets of paper if needed.

1. Name of educational/training Institution you plan to attend:
2. Description of the technical/training program the applicant is pursuing:
3. What influenced you to pursue this program:
4. Description of work history and community volunteer experiences in past 24 months (can include resume):



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Reference Letter

A qualified reference for high school students includes a teacher, dean or school administrator.

Applicant's Name: _____

Please evaluate the above named applicant as to his or her qualities and worthiness of the Lakeville Area Chamber Foundation scholarship. Thank you for your assistance in our selection process. A separate sheet may be used. However, please sign, date, and attach this form.

Areas to consider:

- Communication Skills (ability to express verbally/in writing, ability to be assertive, listening skills)
- Leadership Qualities (organization skills, ability to motivate others, innovativeness, judgment)
- Responsibility and Maturity (dependability, role modeling, consistency)
- Personal Skills and Traits (honesty, tolerance & appreciation of diversity, patience, sensitivity to others, level of commitment)
- Academic, athletic and/or extracurricular achievements

Comments:

Relationship to Applicant

Job Title

Print Name

Signature

Date