

Rotary Club of Stockton
The Twenty-Five Rotarian Community Service Scholarship
Stockton Rotary Endowment
Community Service Scholarship Award

This award was established by the Stockton Rotary Endowment in 1993. It is a permanent endowment component of the Stockton Rotary Endowment (SRE) with the earnings from the component to be used as a scholarship award (or awards) to outstanding, graduating high school seniors from the Stockton area. The recipients will be those who best exemplify the traits established by Rotary International. These traits are:

- High ethical standards
- Previous dedicated service to his/her high school of graduation
- Unselfish service to the Stockton community through community service and/or other organizations (church, synagogue, temple, service clubs, hospitals, etc.)

The process for consideration is the completion of the Rotary Club of Stockton Scholarship Application and the writing of an essay (maximum 500 words) that explains the applicant's community service experience, academic and career objectives, and abilities/interests that will serve him/her in achieving these goals. When completed, these should be returned to the high school scholarship guidance counselor/advisor.

The award is to be presented annually to a graduating high school senior upon selection by a special committee appointed by the Stockton Rotary Club. The award presentation will be made at one of the weekly meetings of the Stockton Rotary Club.

The award is made without regard to financial need. It does require that the recipient have 3.0 grade point average (GPA) or better on a 4.0 scale at the time of application, verifiable by his/her current transcript.

The award will be paid in the second semester of attendance upon verification of enrollment in any accredited two or four-year college or university within the United States. The recipient must be a full-time student (12 credit hours/units' minimum) and have attained a 2.5 GPA or better on a 4.0 scale at the end of the first semester of attendance.

The award monies will be paid directly to the institution in the name of the recipient and can only be used for tuition, institutional fees, or books. Under no circumstances may the money go directly to the student. The SRE will request sufficient documentation from the educational institution to ensure that the funds have been appropriately used.

Please submit a completed application and essay to the proper guidance counselor/advisor no later than JANUARY 15, 2020.

The Rotary Club of Stockton Scholarship Committee
P O Box 7457
Stockton, CA 95267

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Awarded by the Stockton Rotary Endowment
2019-2020 Application Form

Applicant's Last Name: _____

School: _____

Date Received: _____

Rotary Scholarship Chair: attached scanned transcript _____

Above this line for official use only

Basic Information: Application must be filled out in ink

Full Name: _____ Date of Birth _____

Home Address: _____ City _____ ZIP _____

Phone: _____ (home) _____ (cell)

Email: _____

Family

Name of Father (or guardian): _____

Name of Mother (or guardian): _____

Educational and Vocational Plans

Your area of academic/vocational interest of study: _____

What degree(s) do you plan to obtain?

AA ___ BA ___ MA ___ MS ___ PhD ___ Other _____

What college or university to you plan to attend immediately following graduation from high school?

First Choice: _____ Second Choice: _____

I. Community Activities: (church, synagogue, temple, service clubs, hospitals, etc.)

II. Clubs and Organizational Activities in High School

III. School Leadership (athletics, debate, student council, yearbook, school paper, etc. Include offices you held and offices you campaigned to achieve)

9th Gr. _____

10th Gr. _____

11th Gr. _____

12th Gr. _____

IV. Awards and Commendations: (Community and School)

9th Gr. _____

10th Gr. _____

11th Gr. _____

12th Gr. _____

V. Employment (List jobs you have held and length of employment)

VI. Additional Information – Please list any other information you think may help the evaluation committee not covered above or in your essay.

(Please limit information to the space below)

Required in addition to this application: (ATTACHMENTS)

- Essay Topic: _____
 - Well written essay of no more than 500 words.
 - Essays are to be typed or handwritten in blue or black ink and included as an attachment.

- High School Record/Transcript:
School Scholarship Chair is responsible to attach students’ transcript before mailing to the Rotary Office address below

Please note: This is not a needs-based scholarship. **No family financial information should be submitted with this application.**

Deadlines: JANUARY 15, 2020: Student submits to proper counselor/advisor:
Deadlines: JANUARY 31, 2020: Counselor/advisor submits top two candidates to the Rotary Office:

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Stockton Rotary Endowment
Scholarship Committee
P O Box 7457
Stockton CA 95267-0457**

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The Twenty-Five Rotarian Community Service Scholarship Procedure for Payment

The scholarship award request along with proper documentation should be submitted to the following:

Treasurer
Rotary Club of Stockton
P. O. Box 7457
Stockton, CA 95267-0457

Payment Guidelines:

- The award will be paid **in second semester of attendance** upon verification of enrollment in any accredited two* or four-year college or university within the United States.
- The recipient must be a full-time student (12 credit hours/units minimum) each semester and have attained a 2.5 GPA or better on a 4.0 scale at the end of the first semester of attendance.
- The award will be paid when documentation of full-time student status and GPA is submitted to treasurer at the above address. **This documentation must be received by February 15, 2020 otherwise the designated scholarship award will be awarded to new scholarship applicants.**

The award monies will be paid directly to the institution in the name of the recipient and can only be used for tuition, institutional fees, or books. Under no circumstances may the money go directly to the student. The Stockton Rotary Club will request sufficient documentation from the educational institution to ensure that the funds have been appropriately used.

It is the responsibility of the recipient to see that proper documentation is submitted to the Treasurer of the Rotary Club of Stockton in a timely manner. If the award is not given out due to a lack of documentation submission in a timely manner, the Rotary Club of Stockton reserves the right to award another student. Submitted **NO LATER THAN** October 15 of first semester and March 15 of second semester.

In the event the student attends a two-year community college, the award is for the cost of books, fees, and tuition up to the awarded amount and not the singular dollar amount as the community college charges may be less than the award.

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