



Rochester Masonic Lodge

Scholarship Award

School Scholarship Application



Purpose:

In sponsoring and funding these scholarships, the Masons of Minnesota affirm their faith in education and their devotion to schools teaching all of the children of all of the people. It is their hope that through these grants, outstanding students may be helped to achieve their potential for success in their chosen career through technical education, the liberal arts, or through protracted programs of professional preparation.

Application and Selection Procedures:

Students in the graduating class of any Rochester high school may apply by submitting an application to the Rochester Masonic Lodge scholarship committee. The deadline for submission of the application to the committee is the second Friday of April. Deadline to submit the application to the high school Guidance office is usually the middle of March sometime and will be noted by that office so they have time to attach the requested records.

Each applicant is required to submit a completed application. All material and information collected for the selection process will be kept private and confidential. The winners will be notified by letter before the school award night. One Graduating Senior from each of 4 major high schools in Rochester will receive \$1000; \$500 from the Rochester Masonic Lodge and \$500 from the Minnesota Masonic Charities. The winners will receive the award checks mid August of this year.

The scholarship application can be found at: <https://www.se-mn-masons.org/bl21/index.php/charity.html> along with contact information and other details.

Applicants are encouraged to complete the form, save the document using their name, and return it to the school Guidance office. The Guidance office will complete the form, print, attach requested material and mail the applications.

Name

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Name of High School:

☐ Mayo

☐ Century

☐ Male

☐ John Marshall

☐ Lourdes

☐ Female

Phone Number

Name of Parents/
Guardians(Include
address if different than
student.)

Occupation of
Parents/Guardians

Applicant's top
three career
preferences:

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Top Three School Preferences (It is important that if you are not sure which school you will be attending, confirm the school name with the scholarship committee by June 15th.)

Example: RCTC, 851 30th Ave SE, Rochester, MN, 55904

School Names
and Addresses
(Street, City,
State,Zip). One
school per line

Give name, full address, phone, and occupation of three references:

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#2

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#3

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List your significant employment experience while in High School (Across the columns) :

Places of Employment	Nature of Work	Dates of Employment (mm/yy-mm/yy)	Approximate Hours per Week	Approximate Earnings \$(total)

Record your participation in school, community, civic and volunteer service activities by grade.

	Grade:
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Enumerate your most outstanding achievements in music, speech, science, mathematics, sports, or other curriculum related areas.

Give a descriptive statement of your goals, aspirations and choice of career. Explain why you need this scholarship award to reach those goals. Do this in 500 words or less. This is not an essay contest, but will give the scholarship committee an idea of what you hope to become after High School.

Student Signature and Date: _____

To be completed by High School Guidance Office

Attach to this application a duplicate of applicant's academic transcript, standardized test data, and class rank for use by the screening committee. Please record all grades, whether passed or failed, and progress grades of current enrollment. Please include a guide for the grading system and an explanation for any special courses. All information will be kept strictly confidential and will be used only for the purpose of selecting the Masonic Scholarship recipients. Non-Official transcripts are acceptable.

☐ Academic Transcript Attached

Rank in Class

Grade Point Average

☐ Standard Test Scores Attached

Provide a short statement concerning the characteristics of the applicant, giving attention to: cooperation, ethics, initiative, maturity, judgement, leadership, personal qualities and reliability. All information submitted will be held in confidence.

Are there any extraordinary or unusual extenuating circumstances in this candidate's personal or home life, that you know of, which should be considered by the Scholarship Committee, such as financial situation, siblings in college, prolonged illness, unemployment of parents, guardians, or other circumstances?

Print Name and Title of School Official:

Phone Number of School Official:

Signature and Date of School Official:

When this form is complete, print it out, attach the required documentation, and return before the second Friday in April to:

Rochester Lodge #21 AF&AM
Attn: Scholarship Committee
2002 2nd St. SW
Rochester, MN 55902