

Stockbridge Area Chamber of Commerce Scholarship

Type of award: Scholarship

Eligible Recipients: High school seniors, living within the Stockbridge Community Schools District, who will be attending college, a trade school or another post-secondary institution.

Purpose: To assist the recipient in pursuit of advanced education.

Method of notification: U.S. Postal Service

Amount of award: Variable

Timetable: All nominations must be received by 12:00 pm/noon **April 30th, 2020** for the scholarship to be awarded the following month.

Qualifications: Candidates will be evaluated in terms of the following attributes:

- Working for the betterment of the Stockbridge-Gregory-Munith community, either through service organizations, the schools, or through personal initiative.
- Demonstrated potential for leadership.
- Good citizenship, displaying concern for the community and/or concern for others.
- Participated in a small business project or idea.

Lack of Qualified Candidates: The Stockbridge Area Chamber of Commerce may choose not to award the scholarship in the event that no candidates meet the approval for the award.

Method of Distribution: The award shall be paid directly to the recipient's school of advanced education.

Eligibility: The recipient will be required to provide proof of acceptance to their college, trade school or post-secondary institution prior to the issuance of the scholarship check. The award is a one-time award and previous recipients are not eligible. The recipient may be required to interview with the Chamber Board and provide references with contact information.

**Stockbridge Area Chamber of Commerce Scholarship
Application Form**

Please consider this application as my request to be considered for the Stockbridge Area Chamber of Commerce Scholarship.

Name:

Address:

Telephone no.:

Name of High School & graduation date:

Name of College, Trade School or Post-Secondary institution you plan to attend:

Projected enrollment date:

Projected major:

SIGNATURE:

By my signature below, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information given here is true, correct and complete. Should I be awarded a Stockbridge Area Chamber of Commerce Scholarship, I understand that a check for standard educational costs (tuition, fees, books, meal plan) will be sent to the institution of your choice with instructions to apply these fees to your expenses.

I hereby authorize the principal of my school to release information concerning my high school academic record to the Scholarship Area Chamber of Commerce for the purposes of determining my eligibility to receive this scholarship. I further relieve the superintendent and school board, the principal of my school, the members of the Chamber of Commerce, individually and collectively, from any and all liability resulting from the release of my high school academic record.

Signature:

Date:

Please send to:

Attn: Scholarship-Stockbridge Area Chamber of Commerce

P.O. Box 310

Stockbridge, MI 49285

Applications and accompanying material must be received by 12:00 pm/noon, April 30th, 2020

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RESUME AND/OR EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

Please append a resume and/or summary of employment history

REFERENCES:

Please provide the following information for three references: Name, address (both postal and e-mail), phone number, relation to you, and years known.

ESSAY:

Please write a brief essay (*500 words, maximum*) demonstrating why you deserve a scholarship. The essay might note how you have worked for the betterment of the Stockbridge-Gregory-Munith community, demonstrated concern for the community or others, have good citizenship, displaying concern for the community and/or concern for others, participated in a small business project or idea.

Please return essay and information sheets to:

Scholarship-Stockbridge Area Chamber of Commerce

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Stockbridge, MI 49285

Entry must be received by 12:00 pm/noon, April 30th, 2020.