

2018 Greater Salem Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Program



Who is Eligible?

High School Students who have been accepted to College, or Undergraduate College Students, who are:

- An Employee of a Member Business
- A Child of an Employee of a Member Business
- A Child of an Owner/Principal of a Member Business

How to Apply:

Applications are Available:

- Online at www.gschamber.com
- At Schools within the Greater Salem Chamber of Commerce's primary service area
- At the Chamber Office

Selection will be Based On:

- Academic Achievement
- Honors, Awards, & Community Activity
- 250-350 Word Essay (weighted at 50% of the total candidate score)

Deadline for Application:

- On or before midnight, Monday, April 2, 2018

Please e-mail or mail completed applications & ALL attachments to:

Greater Salem Chamber of Commerce
ATTN: Scholarship Committee
The Depot Train Station
81 Main Street • Salem, NH 03079
or
sue@gschamber.com



Please direct all questions to
the Chamber Office at
603-893-3177

Each Scholarship Award Is \$1,000.00

* No Applications Accepted Past Deadline*

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2018 Scholarship Application

Complete and return application **on or before Monday, April 2, 2018 at midnight**

Completed Applications must be submitted in *one* email to **sue@gschamber.com**

Questions may be directed to the Chamber Office at 603-893-3177

Student Name: _____ DOB: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ E-mail _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Chamber Member Business _____ Phone _____

I am applying as:

- Employee of member business
 Child or Student of Employee
 Child or Student of owner/principal

Currently Attending High School/College: _____

Year of Pending Graduation: _____

- Applying for:
 4 year college
 2 year college or tech school
 Continuing Undergraduate Degree

Indicate the course of study you plan to pursue/or current major: _____

The criteria for selection is based upon three (3) separate and distinct areas. Please provide the following:

- High School applicants:** An official academic transcript from your high school
College Applicants: An official copy of the most recently completed semester grades with cumulative point average.
- A resume of your School/College/Community Activities, Academic Awards, Honors and Employment history.
- An essay (250 -350 words; weighted at 50% of the total score) addressing the following: **“Explain the impact (positive and/or negative) that Social Media has had on young adults your age?”** (Please compose on a separate sheet of paper and attach.)

If any or part of your application is arriving under separate cover, it is your responsibility to make sure that your application is complete and all pieces have arrived prior to the deadline. No calls from the Chamber will be made on behalf of your application.

- All requirements included with application.
 Transcripts

In signing this application, I hereby signify my sincere intention to attend/continue college, and will do everything in my power to use the scholarship award toward college expenses. I fully understand that the maximum payment is \$1,000 (One Thousand Dollars), payable to myself. I am submitting the application over my signature and that of my parent or legal guardian. (The scholarship will be distributed in two \$500 payments, one each semester of the academic year 2017 - 2018. This allows the Chamber to pay you directly with no financial penalty to you or your family.)

Student _____

Date: _____

Parent (Guardian) _____

Date: _____