

## 2020 WESTMONT ROTARY ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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The Westmont Rotary Club awards academic scholarships to high school seniors who are planning to continue their education beyond high school.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

Students must:

1. Reside in corporate limits of Westmont or attend Westmont High School.
2. Be in the top 25% of their class.
3. Be involved in extracurricular activities.
4. Be involved in service related activities at school and/or in the community (leadership roles are a plus).

### **REQUIREMENTS**

Students must:

1. Submit a completed application.
2. Submit a well composed essay.
3. Submit a copy of his/her current high school transcript.
4. Finalists will be selected to give a speech at a Rotary Club dinner on March 10, 2020. This presentation will be based on the question: what does Rotary's *Four Way Test* mean to you? Candidates must prepare a well thought-out response on the topic.

#### **Rotary's Four Way Test**

Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Please note: financial need is not a criteria for evaluation and should not be included in the application or presentation.



**APPLICATION** Please type or print neatly.

Full name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

High School(s) attended, address, and dates \_\_\_\_\_

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Graduation date \_\_\_\_\_ Class rank to date \_\_\_\_\_

Grade point average to date \_\_\_\_\_ on a scale of \_\_\_\_\_

College or University you plan to attend (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Your major field of interest \_\_\_\_\_

Projected entrance date \_\_\_\_\_

Extracurricular activities (please include dates) \_\_\_\_\_

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Service activities in school and/or the community (please include dates) \_\_\_\_\_

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**ESSAY**

Compose and type an essay of approximately 500-750 words that addresses the criteria listed below. Prepare the document with your name and the name of the scholarship in the upper right hand corner.

1. A brief autobiographical introduction.
2. Your proposed field of study and future career plans.
3. How your professional goals will benefit your community in the future.
4. Why you should be chosen to receive this scholarship.

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Student Signature Date

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Parent/Guardian's Signature Date

**Please submit completed applications to [grants@westmontrotaryclub.org](mailto:grants@westmontrotaryclub.org) by February 22, 2020.**