

MAYOR'S **YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

PURPOSE: To award scholarship grants for educational purposes, to chosen applicants. Funds are available for this purpose due to the generosity of local businesses and individuals who participate in Mayor's Golf Outing and Luncheon held annually in June.

ELIGIBILITY: Applicants must be United States citizens and North Riverside residents, under age 25, who plan to attend or are already attending college, vocational school, industrial school, or a post-high school program preparing for employment.

HOW TO APPLY: Submit the following:

1. Completed application (forms are available at the North Riverside Village Hall)
2. A copy of your driver's license or state identification card
3. Minimum of two letters of recommendation from adults not related to you. (Suggestions: teachers, employers, neighbors)
4. Statement written by applicant (approximately 250 words) telling what type of education you are pursuing, and why you are interested in that area. (Please type or write very clearly.)

All the above materials must be returned to the North Riverside Village Hall by mail or in person by May 1st. Place the items in an envelope marked confidential and address to:

Mayor's Youth Scholarship Program
North Riverside Village Hall
2401 S. Des Plaines Avenue
North Riverside, IL 60546 – 1596

SELECTION INFORMATION:

The scholarship committee will select the applicants who will receive scholarships. Decisions will be based on various factors, including character, community involvement, financial need, and seriousness of pursuing education.

Those awarded scholarships will be notified by mail. Checks for the scholarship amount will be issued directly to the institution the student attends after a bill has been submitted to the Youth Scholarship Committee. Those awarded scholarships will also be invited to Mayor's Golf Outing and Luncheon on June 12th.

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

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1. Applicant's name _____ Soc. Sec. # _____
Are you a United States citizen? Yes _____ No _____

2. Father's name _____ Mother's name _____
Address _____ Address _____

3. Father's Occupation _____ Mother's Occupation _____

4. Number of dependents other than you, and their ages:

5. Are there other dependents attending college? _____ How many? _____

6. Will your parents assist you financially in continuing your education? _____

7. Will you have other assistance? _____

8. Have you received any other scholarships? Yes _____ No _____
If yes, please list them: _____

9. Please check the range of your family's annual income:

Under \$25,000	_____	\$25,001 - \$49,999	_____
\$50,000 - \$74,999	_____	\$75,000 - \$99,999	_____
Over \$100,000	_____		

10. List any other family/financial circumstances you think should be considered:

I, the applicant, certify that the above is true and correct.

Signature of Applicant Date

All biographical information will be held in strict confidence.

ALL AWARDED FUNDS MUST BE USED IN A 2 YEAR PERIOD

YEAR 2017