

Rotary Club of Wooster Youth Exchange Scholarship

Scholarship Purpose: To provide financial assistance to qualified outbound students who otherwise may not be able to participate in the Rotary International Youth Exchange program.

Scholarship Eligibility: Applicants must meet the outbound eligibility criteria established by the Youth Exchange committee of the Rotary Club of Wooster and have been accepted for the next academic year of travel. The Wooster Rotary Youth Exchange Scholarship Program is open to any outbound Wayne County High School student with preference given to Triway and Wooster students.

Scholarship Term: One academic year

Scholarship Application: Once an outbound applicant is accepted, applicants must submit a “Youth Exchange Scholarship Application” form available as a download from the Wooster Rotary web site...woosterrotary.org.

- **Please submit the completed form and either email it to: fmrcks@sssnet.com or mail it to Ferenc M. Relle, Jr. 1552 Saunders Drive, Wooster, OH 44691.**
- To ensure that he receives your application, please text him at **330-749-5141** to let him know that you have emailed or US post-mailed the application.

Scholarship Amount: Varies depending on financial need and travel destination. This year’s budget allows for total awards of up to \$4,000. No scholarship checks are made directly to the students, but rather to the District to be applied for the training fee, round trip airfare to the host country, health insurance, and any incidental expenses, including special travel trips while on exchange.

Scholarship Review Process: A sub-committee consisting of three members of the Wooster Rotary Scholarship Committee shall review the applications and make recommended recipient and award amounts to the Wooster Rotary Board for approval.

Application Deadline: January 31, 2019

Youth Exchange Scholarship Application Form

Do not submit this application until after you have been approved
for exchange in the upcoming academic year.

Name of parents/guardians: _____

Father's employer (if self-employed, describe business):

Mother's employer (if self-employed, describe business):

Number and age of siblings: _____

Number of siblings attending college for the 2019-2020 academic year:

If you are not living with one or both parents, are you receiving financial support from either?
If yes, explain and list amount:

Financial Information

1. 2016 Gross Annual Family Income:
List the adjusted gross annual family income from your 2016 IRS Form 1040 (line 37) \$ _____;
or 2016 IRS Form 1040A (line 21) \$ _____; or 2016 IRS Form 1040EZ (line 4) \$ _____.
2. 2017 Gross Annual Family Income:
List the adjusted gross annual family income from your 2017 IRS Form 1040 (line 37) \$ _____;
or 2017 IRS Form 1040A (line 21) \$ _____; or 2017 IRS Form 1040EZ (line 4) \$ _____.
3. Estimated value of family assets (checking, savings, money market, stocks, bonds, mutual funds) \$ _____.
4. Estimated value of retirement plans (IRA, Roth IRA, 401-k, profit sharing, etc.)
\$ _____.
5. Estimated value of primary residence \$ _____. Remaining mortgage still owed \$ _____
Amount of any home equity loan \$ _____.
6. Estimated value of other real property (rental property, farm land, vacation home)
\$ _____ Amount still owed on property \$ _____.
7. Are there any special circumstances that should be considered (major family debts, loss of income, job change, illness, divorce, etc.)

9. Are you willing to provide supporting documents of your financial information if asked to do so?
(tax returns, W-2, home mortgage info, etc.) Yes _____ No _____