

## **Instructions for 2021**

### **Rotary Club of Waco Scholarship Application**

**Eligibility:** Students who are classified as juniors or seniors in college, a permanent resident of McLennan County, and have resided in McLennan County for the past two consecutive years. (Applicants who attend college in another county/state are eligible if their permanent residence is in McLennan County and has been for two prior years.)

**Criteria:** Financial need; self-help; College GPA; citizenship and community involvement, including volunteer and faith related activities; a short essay; and letters of recommendation.

**Application Package:** Completed application, copy of college transcript showing at least three full semesters of college credits, three letters of recommendation, three personal references, and a recent photo taken within the last six months.

**Completed application packages must be received by April 30, 2021. All applications must be typed.**

**Send completed application packages in hard copy only to:**

Rotary Club of Waco  
Attn: Scholarship Committee  
1716 North 42<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Waco, TX 76710

**2021**  
**Rotary Club of Waco Scholarship Application**

**SECTION I:**

Name (First) (Middle) (Last): \_\_\_\_\_

Present Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Years in McLennan County: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_

Number and Ages of any Children: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are working, Name of Present Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

List the number of hours worked weekly (appx): \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Income: \_\_\_\_\_

If applicable:

Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Annual Income: \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION II: (if parents provide financial assistance, please complete this section):**

A.) If parents DO NOT provide any financial assistance, please initial here: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: Parents do not pay or help pay rent, tuition, or bills, nor do they provide housing.

B.) If parents provide financial assistance, please complete:

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's annual Income: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Annual Income: \_\_\_\_\_

Number and age of other children in the family: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any scholarships/grants that you are currently receiving:

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Describe why this scholarship is important to you: \_\_\_\_\_

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**SECTION III:**

College(s) Attended or Attending and Dates:

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College Major: \_\_\_\_\_ College Minor: \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA Average (Based on 4.0 System): \_\_\_\_\_

**On a separate sheet(s) of paper**, describe your involvement in extra-curricular activity (College, Community, Faith Community, Volunteer). Mark the separate page(s) as Section III.

**SECTION IV:** **On a separate sheet(s) of paper**, and in less than 500 words, describe what the phrase “**Service Above Self**” means to you. Mark the separate page as Section IV.

**Section V:**

List Three Personal References (please do not include references from relatives):

(Name) (Address) (Phone Number) (E-Mail Address) (Relationship, if applicable)

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION VI:**

Attach three Letters of Recommendation (please do not include recommendation letters from relatives).

**FINAL CHECKLIST:**

Application submissions must be typed, printed and submitted by April 30, 2020 along with the other supporting documentation, including copies of your transcript and a recent photo. Submit applications packages to:

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Waco, TX 76710

Questions concerning the application process should be addressed to Dr. Harold E. Rafuse at 254-717-8112 or e-mailed to [hrafuse@hot.rr.com](mailto:hrafuse@hot.rr.com). Contact Dr. Rafuse to receive an application in Microsoft Word format.