

2023 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION RICHMOND ROTARY CLUB

1. Three \$1,000 Richmond Rotary Club Scholarships will be awarded to qualified senior class applicants who intend to enroll at Eastern Kentucky University in the fall 2020 semester following high school graduation. The criteria for the scholarship eligibility are defined below.
2. Applications must be received by the designated counselor at your high school by April 21, 2023. The application form is included with this correspondence. The Richmond Rotary Club Scholarship Committee will review all applications and select winners prior to the senior awards ceremony at their school. Scholarship winners and their parents or guardians will also be invited to attend a regularly scheduled Richmond Rotary Club luncheon on Wednesday at Golden Corral on a date to be determined. The purpose of the luncheon is to give the Rotary members an opportunity meet the scholarship winners.
3. The criteria or scholarship applicants are as follows:
 - a. ACT score of 20 or higher
 - b. High School GPA of 3.25 or higher
 - c. Evidence of leadership in junior and/or senior years
 - d. Participation in extracurricular activities and/or employment
 - e. Must be of good moral character
 - f. Financial need will be considered
4. Applicant must submit a short essay outlining why he or she should receive the Rotary Club Scholarship. The essay should indicate some familiarity with Rotary goals and ideals (see Rotary.org).
5. Scholarship funds will be deposited in the Billings and Collections Office at Eastern Kentucky University in the name of each scholarship winner. The funds will be used toward tuition, room and board, textbooks and laboratory fees only.
6. Scholarship recipients will be expected to attend at least one meeting of the Richmond Rotary Club. Club meetings are held at Golden Corral on Wednesdays from noon to 1:00 p.m.