

2021 Russellville Indians Quarterback Club Scholarship

The Russellville Indians Quarterback Club is thrilled to be offering a \$1000 scholarship to promote furthering education to participants of the 2020-2021 Friday Night Lights experience. Any senior football player, cheerleader, band member or manager/statisticians who participated during the football season are eligible to apply. The deadline for this scholarship is Friday, April 16.

Instructions:

1. Submit a resume style letter including your:
 - Academic achievements in high school;
 - Extra-curricular activities, employment, volunteer or any other pertinent activities; and
 - Future career objectives/goals.
2. Choose ONE of the attached essay prompts to write a 500-word essay.
3. Turn in your completed scholarship packet to Mr. Morris no later than Friday, April 16.

Essay Prompts: Please note that your response can include “off the field” experiences, however, please tie that experience into how it impacted your “on the field” experience.

1. Describe a challenge that you have overcome during the 2020-2021 football season.

Rare is the person who has never encountered a challenge. Adversity is something we all face, in one shape or another. Whether it's discrimination based on who you are, financial struggles in the household, dealing with health issues, juggling a busy schedule, failing a class, making a hard decision, pick a specific struggle that you've gone through and write about it. What did you learn during the ordeal? How did it change or shape you? Does it impact your future plans?

2. Describe a time you demonstrated leadership during the 2020-2021 football season.

Oftentimes people automatically equate “leadership” to “leadership position” and worry they may not have any [leadership experience](#). But you don't have to be student body president or captain of the football team to be a leader. Did you ever take point on a school project? That's leadership. Take charge of a challenging situation? Textbook leadership. You likely have more experience than you think.