

OLEAN COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

Qualifications for this scholarship include the following:

- 1) Applicant is a graduating senior or alumni of Eldon, Russellville or Eugene High School.
- 2) Applicant will continue their higher education in secondary schooling, an accredited college, or university as a part-time or full-time student, and be under the age of 25.
- 3) Applicant may apply during any of the four or five years they are full-time students working on an associate or baccalaureate degree. (Not limited to the freshman year)
- 4) Applicant will include in the essay their connection to the Town of Olean.
- 5) Application should be mailed to the Olean Community Scholarship Committee at P.O. Box 11, Olean, Missouri 65064 and postmarked on or before March 31, 2020.

NAME: _____ **Phone** _____
 First Middle Last

DATE _____ **Date of H/S** _____
OF BIRTH _____ **S.S.#** _____ **Male** ___ **Female** ___ **Graduation** _____

PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN: _____

ADDRESS OF PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN: _____

FATHER'S OCCUPATION: _____

MOTHER'S OCCUPATION: _____

List schools attended and the years attended:

List briefly your school and community activities. List organizations of which you are a member and offices held. (Attach additional sheets if necessary)

What have you done to help meet your college expenses? Have you earned or saved money and what are your plans for the coming summer? (Attach additional sheets if necessary)

List scholarships, awards or financial aid that you have applied for or been awarded. (Attach additional sheets if necessary)

Please attach a 500-1000 word essay, explaining your goals and plans for the future including your connection to the Town of Olean. Essay may be typed or written in ink.

This is a one- time award for the 2020 – 2021 school year. Upon proof of enrollment to the college (which should be mailed to The Olean Community Scholarship Committee at P.O. Box 11, Olean, Missouri 65064), payment will be made to the recipient and the college. If the recipient withdraws from school, the unused funds will be returned to the Olean Community Scholarship Committee.

CRITERIA FOR THE OLEAN COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

1. Student must be a high school graduate or alumni of Eldon or Russellville or Eugene High School.
2. Student must have exhibited good character in school and community.
3. Student must exhibit scholastic promise and potential for completion of college.
4. Student will continue their higher education in secondary schooling, an accredited college, or a university as a part-time or full-time student, and be under the age of 25.
5. Student cannot be related by blood or marriage to any member of the Selection Committee.
6. Student must have demonstrated willingness to work to contribute to their education and help themselves financially.
7. Applicant should include in the essay their connection to the Town of Olean.
8. Recipients will have the opportunity to re-apply for the scholarship if the recipient earns at least the minimum number of credits required to be a part-time or full-time student. The recipients will be considered with all other applicants and therefore renewal is not automatic.

Other Criteria:

1. Payment of scholarship will be made at the beginning of the school year to the recipient and college.
2. The Selection Committee will choose the applicant and/or applicants application and \$1000.00 will be awarded to that applicant.
3. Decisions of the Selection Committee will be final and will be made in the collective and absolute uncontrolled discretion of the member of the Selection Committee. No member of the Selection Committee shall have any personal liability for decisions made in good faith by the Selection Committee.
4. The Selection Committee shall immediately deliver one copy of the record of their deliberations and award (including copies of the applications made to them for the scholarship) to the Olean Community Scholarship Committee at P.O. Box 11, Olean, MO 65064.