Galt District
Chamber of Commerce
Scholarship – 2020

Galt High School
Scholarship Application
Galt District Chamber of Commerce
Scholarship
Scholarship Offered in 2020—$500

Areas of Competition

Academic Record—25%
Score to be evaluated on current course of study and overall grade point average.

Community Service—25%
Community service will be scored based on an evaluation of the contributions described by applicant and his/her two references. Community service includes any school or non-school activities that, through the applicant’s efforts, improves her school and community. Examples would be: service clubs, student government, athletic participation, leadership, citizenship activities through church, 4-H, FFA, Grange, Scouts, etc. Any other appropriate activities may be included. Verification will be made.

Personal Interview—25%
Scores will be evaluated on applicant’s performance in response to a variety of questions in a formal interview. The applicant’s knowledge, perception, mental alertness, awareness, articulation, and self-expression are carefully reviewed. This area of competition provides an opportunity for the judges to focus upon the applicant’s sense of values, attitudes, future goals and aspirations, and personality. In addition, score will be evaluated on applicant’s knowledge of the field of business.

Written Skills—25%
A 500 word essay on the applicant’s future goals and aspirations in the field of business will be scored and evaluated for writing skills as well as the understanding of the chosen field of study.

Rules for Entry

1. Application agrees to be bound by the rules and regulation of the Galt District Chamber of Commerce Scholarship and the scholarship will be awarded only according to those rules and regulations.

2. The Scholarship winner shall submit to the Galt District Chamber of Commerce committee a statement that he/she wishes to pursue a degree in a business related field and the name of the institution that he/she plans to attend.

3. Applicant understands that to qualify for said educational scholarship award that he/she must be full or part time student enrolled in an accredited institution of higher education or training.

4. Scholarship awards are to be used for higher education or training, and will not be disbursed in cash.

5. Unless a time extension is granted by the Scholarship Committee, the scholarship funds awarded must be used within a three (3) year period following graduation from high school. Any cancelled or unused portion(s) will revert to the Galt District Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Fund.

6. Scholarship monies are paid upon receipt of statement from universities, colleges or training institutions accredited by organizations recognized by the U.S. Department of Education, according to the following provisions.
A. Tuition fees for academic study or other career training. Tuition fees will not be paid for non-accredited subjects.

B. Scholarships awards may be used for required class textbooks expenses and supplies, upon receipt of statements from universities, colleges, or other institutions of higher education training.

C. Scholarship monies may be used for housing expenses if recipient is a full time student in an approved institution at it’s living on campus.

7. The Galt District Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Committee is not responsible for any expenditures for any purposes beyond the stipulated amount of the scholarship.

All information provided by the Applicant is subject to verification and applicant and/or Applicant’s parent or guardian will authorize the Galt District Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Committee to obtain information necessary to verify information provided by Applicant. Applicant acknowledges that any material misrepresentations of inaccuracies in the information provided by applicant may lead to Applicant’s disqualification.

By my signature below, I hereby agree to abide by all rules and regulations of the Galt District Chamber of Commerce Scholarship.

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Signature                                                  Date

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Signature of Parent or Guardian                                      Date
Galt District Chamber of Commerce
Scholarship Committee

Entries Close: April 16, 2020 at 2:00pm

Applicant: ___________________________________________________________________________________

Social Security No.: ___________________________ Phone Number: _____________________________

Address: __________________________________________ City: _________________ Zip: ______________

Present Age: _______________ Date of Birth: _______________

Parents:

Father’s Name: ________________________________________________

Mother’s Name: ________________________________________________

Honors or awards in School or elsewhere: (List everything. Use additional sheets of paper if necessary. Include any prizes, trophies, scholarships, honorary clubs, etc.)

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Future Career: Describe what you want to do and why. (Use additional sheets of paper if necessary.)

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Hobbies & Interests: (Use additional sheets of paper if necessary.)

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Please return completed application along with all other required documentation to the Galt High School Counseling Office by 2:00pm, April 16, 2020.
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Community Service Outline
(Must Be Typewritten)
Deadline: 2:00pm, April 16, 2020 (No Exceptions)
Galt District Chamber of Commerce
Scholarship

Official Reference Form

Deadline: 2:00pm, April 16, 2020 (No Exceptions) - This form must be completed and submitted to the

Galt District Chamber of Commerce
Attn: Scholarship
P.O. Box 1446
Galt, CA 95632

is an applicant for the Galt District Chamber of Commerce Scholarship. Twenty-five percent (25%) of his/her score will be based on community service and contributions. Please describe your knowledge of the applicant and his/her activities in this regard.

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Signature  Date

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Print Name  Phone Number
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Checklist

What you will need to complete the entry process

1. Read Entry Rules
2. Complete Application Form
3. Typed Community Service Outline and 500 Word Essay
4. References/letters of recommendation
5. School Transcript
6. Turn in all required documentation by 2:00pm, Friday April 16, 2020

Interviews will be scheduled for May, 2020 at the Galt District Chamber of Commerce Office. All applicants will be notified of the time by May 3, 2020. Please call (209) 745-2529 if you have any questions.