

Middleburgh Central School Alumni Association

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

A scholarship of amount to be determined annually by Alumni Association shall be awarded to an eligible candidate planning to further his/her higher education. When awarded, the scholarship will be paid directly to the student. This scholarship may be used concurrently with any other scholarship.

RULES

1. Applicant must be a senior or graduate of Middleburgh Central School.
2. Applicant must be a United States citizen and a resident of New York State.
3. **Application must be received on or before April 20, 2023.**
4. The Alumni Association President will appoint a committee of impartial judges. The judges are members of the Alumni Association. The decision of the judges is final.
5. Scholarship Award to be payable after completion of first semester or term with verification from the accredited institution of higher learning. Verification must be received on or before April 1st following the first semester or term.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Completed application form.
2. An essay of at least 500 to be submitted. The specific topic(s) will be determined annually by the Alumni Association.
3. Two letters of recommendation are needed attesting to the applicant's character in regard to conduct, citizenship and leadership. Letters must be on letterhead or show the identity of the writer for verification purposes. One letter from the principal, guidance counselor or a teacher. One letter from a non-related adult (not school employee).
4. Application must be signed and dated by both the applicant and parent/guardian of applicant.
5. Completed application form, letters of recommendation and essay may be left in the counseling center **on or before April 20, 2023**; and will be picked up by a member of the Middleburgh Central School Alumni Association.

Note: the judges carefully review all submissions, including but not limited to, the rules and application requirements. Errors may result in disqualification.

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Name of Applicant:

Mailing Address:

City: New York Zip:

Home Phone Number: ()

Name and Location of College planning to attend:

Course of Study and briefly explain why

Applicant's Signature:

Date:

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Date:

Middleburgh Central School Alumni Association Scholarship Award for 2022

\$ 300

Essay Topic for 2023:

Looking Back on your MCS Education

In a few months you will be graduating from Middleburgh Central School. The MCS Alumni Association is interested in your personal experience at MCS and how it prepared you for your life after graduation.

Please use your 500 word essay to share your thoughts about your educational experience at MCS. Some questions for you to consider in your essay.

- What are some of your best experiences and what impact did they have on you?
- If you had difficult experiences, how did you handle them?
- What extracurricular activities played a role in your education?
- Was there a school employee who influenced you in your education decisions?
- What changes by you or the school would have been helpful for the future?
- How do you think MCS prepared you for what will follow high school graduation?