



Rockland Business Women's Network Scholarship Application

PURPOSE:

The purpose of the RBWN scholarship is to provide tuition assistance to a female candidate graduating from high school, subject to eligibility requirements below, and enrolling in an undergraduate program in the fall.

AWARD BENEFITS:

Recipient(s) will be awarded an amount, up to \$1,000 per recipient, to be determined after a review of applications by the RBWN Scholarship Committee.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENT:

Applicants must meet the following eligibility requirements:

1. A completed application must be **received** by close of business (5 PM) Friday, March 19, 2021. Late applications will not be considered. There are no exceptions to this policy.
2. Applicant must be scholastically responsible with a grade point average of "B" (3.0) or better at the time of the application and provide a copy of report card or official transcript for the 2020-2021 academic year to date.
3. Applicant must be accepted to at least one certified undergraduate program for the fall semester immediately following the submission of the application and plan to attend such program.
4. Applicant must be graduating from high school in the spring of 2021 from:
 - a. A high school located in Rockland County, NY

OR

- b. A high school outside of Rockland County, but applicant must live in Rockland County.
5. Applicant must submit **one (1)*** recommendation letter from a **non-family member** and submit a list of extracurricular and community service activities *(additional recommendation letters will not be reviewed).
6. Applicant must submit an essay of **500 words or less describing how a positive female role model has influenced the applicant's life and/or her community** (longer essays will not be considered).
7. Once selected, candidate must submit proof of acceptance for the upcoming academic year by April 30, 2021.
8. Scholarship recipients **must** participate in the RBWN Women of Achievement event, expected to take place in June 2021. The scholarship recipient will be asked to read her essay at this event. The scholarship recipient and one guest will be complimentary guests of RBWN for the event if it is a live event this year. The scholarship recipient will be notified in advance if the event is going to be live or virtual.



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STUDENT/APPLICANT (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Name: _____ Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Address: _____

High School Currently Attending: _____

Institution to be attended in the fall/Institution(s) accepted to: _____

I affirm that I have read and understand the conditions under which the scholarship application is accepted, and agree to adhere to them. I also understand that the awards are granted based on statements made as part of the application, and state that all are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that my name and photo may be released to the media in conjunction with the scholarship. I understand that if I am awarded a scholarship that I must provide proof of acceptance for the upcoming academic year by April 30, 2021.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WITH YOUR APPLICATION

(incomplete applications will not be considered):

1. **Official high school transcript** including report of courses taken for the current academic year.
2. **One** recommendation letter from a **non-family member** (additional letters will not be reviewed).
3. **A 500-word (or less)** essay describing how a positive female role model has influenced your life and/or your community (longer essays will not be considered).
4. A list of extracurricular activities and community service performed during high school.

We must **receive** your application and supporting materials by **5pm on March 19, 2021**. Please send application and supporting materials in **one pdf document** via email to admin@rocklandgives.org.

Emailed application packets will be accepted from students or guidance counselors. Please include applicant's name/RBWN scholarship in the subject area.

Incomplete applications or those not adhering to the requirements will not be considered.

