



Montgomery Chamber of Commerce \$500 Scholarship / Grant Application

Please PRINT all information.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Home

Address: _____

Email address: _____

Future School/Business: _____ Field of Interest: _____

1. Please attach to this application the following:

- a. Two (2) letters of recommendation, ie; letter from teacher, counselor, coach, peer, or other significant individual in your life **who isn't a family member**.
- b. 500-word minimum essay of personal need and how you plan to improve your life as well as the lives of others with this opportunity.
- c. Copy of acceptance letter from accredited university/college/technical school or status of application if your acceptance letter has not yet been received. If applying for business grant, proof of current operations (website/social media, customer testimonials, etc)
- d. Copy of tuition and fees if available.
- e. Contact and mailing address of university/college/technical school.
- f. Email director@mccoh.org with any questions or concerns.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Scholarship decisions are based on academic achievement, community service, leadership, and the essay. The final decision to award the scholarship will be made by the Executive Committee of the Montgomery Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors. The Executive Committee consists of the current officers, the past president, and those appointed by the president.



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ELIGIBILITY:

1. Any high school student attending Sycamore High School or residing in Montgomery.
2. Minimum 500-word essay demonstrating personal need and how you plan to improve your life and the lives of others in your field of study or business.
3. Applicants must provide evidence of acceptance to an accredited post-high school educational institution or present evidence of having a current business (website, social page, testimonials, etc.). Awards will be nullified if acceptance is not granted.
4. Two letters of recommendation.
5. Money must be paid directly to the educational institution for the scholarship. Business grant purchase must be approved by the MCC Board in advance.
6. Total scholarship award can't total more than the tuition.

SUBMISSION:

1. Applications accepted February 23, 2026, through March 20, 2026.
Application, along with essay and reference letters, can be submitted by emailing the Executive Director at director@mccoh.org.
2. Any questions or concerns may be directed to 513.489.7056.

\$500 SCHOLARSHIP/GRANT AWARD IS BASED ON:

1. Essay
2. Recommendation or Reference (2)
3. Combination of academic achievement and community involvement