



## Scholarship Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone(s): Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Names/Phone (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation year from High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Institute(s) you have applied to/or are attending:

\_\_\_\_\_

Dates of volunteer service at the Library: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Library Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Activity(ies) you enjoyed as a volunteer: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

I affirm that I have read and understand the conditions under which the scholarship application is accepted and agree to bind myself to them. I understand that the award is granted based on my statements made as part of this application and state that they are all true and all my own ideas (unless otherwise attributed) to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please return all application materials to:*

**Friends of the Library Scholarship Committee  
C/O Ogden Farmers Library  
269 Ogden Center Road  
Spencerport, NY 14559**

**BY APRIL 6th**

*This scholarship is offered by the Friends of the Library (FOTL) and  
the recipient will be determined by a committee of the Friends.*



## Scholarship Application Guidelines

Amount of scholarship(s): \$1,000 per year per person  
One (1) scholarships will be offered this year.

All qualified applicants will have:

- been employed or volunteered at the Ogden Farmers' Library.
- an OFL library card in good standing.
- been accepted to or attending a college or trade school before receiving the money.

**Scholarship monies will only be used for valid college or trade school expenses.**

*College or trade school attendance may be subject to verification.*

To apply for the scholarship, all applicants must completely fill out the application, write an essay (as described below), and attach a resume which includes leadership roles, extracurricular activities, volunteer experiences, internships and jobs held.

Essay Criteria:

- In the scholarship essay we ask you to investigate an idea (such as, what your relationship with the library has meant to you), include evidence to support this idea, expand upon it and draw a conclusion for the idea in a clear and concise manner.
- The audience to whom the essay is directed is the Friends of the Library.
- The essay should be between 500-1000 words long.
- Spelling, grammar and essay structure will help determine the recipient.
- The essay must be well-developed.

The theme of the essay needs to include the following:

- How your library volunteer experience has impacted your life and your educational/career goals.
- How your experience at college and/or your course of study will help you make a positive impact on the world.

*We strongly recommend that you have your essay edited prior to submission.*

**The Scholarship Recipients will be announced in late April and awarded at the June meeting of the Friends of the Library at 7 pm at the Ogden Farmers Library.**

*All Scholarship Application materials are due in the library by **April 6<sup>th</sup>**.  
**Ogden Farmers Library closes at 5 pm on Fridays.***

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