



\$1,000 Scholarship

Instructions

1. Complete and sign the application.
2. Attach a one-page essay, answering the question: ***What factors influenced your decision to pursue a career in helping special needs children?***
3. Optional: Include recommendation letters.
4. Deliver the application and attachment(s) to **Reaching 4 the Stars Scholarship, PO Box 563 Watertown CT 06795.**

Scholarship information

- Two (2) \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to two (2) twelfth-grade students who reside in Watertown, CT and who wishes to pursue a career in helping children with special needs and a degree in special education, speech therapy, ABA, occupational therapy, art therapy or music therapy.
- Applicants will be selected based on merit with no consideration for gender, ethnicity, religious affiliation, or financial need.
- By signing this application (required), the applicant agrees that scholarship money shall be used for tuition and/or books to meet tax-free criteria.

Criteria

- Applicant must be in the twelfth (12th) grade.
- Applicant has a minimum GPA of 3.0.
- Applicants has applied to a minimum of one (1) institution of higher learning.
- Applicant must complete the entire application.
- Application must be signed by applicant and signed by a parent or guardian if applicant is below the age of 18.

Applicant Information

Name _____
Last First MI

Address _____

E-mail address _____

Phone number _____ DOB _____

Colleges/universities applied to _____

For scholarship consideration, I authorize Sun, Moon & Stars, Inc. (SMS) to review my academic records and share this information with its Board. If selected, I also give permission to SMS to announce this award publicly. If I am below the age of 18, my parent/guardian authorizes SMS to review my academic records and share this information with its Board. If selected, my parent/guardian authorizes SMS to announce this award publicly.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____
(if applicant is under the age of 18)