

The Optimist Club of Frederick Inc.  
**2018 YOUTH APPRECIATION WEEK SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST**

**AWARDS:** \$750 each for the first place young man and woman  
\$250 each for the second place young man and woman  
The award money will be sent to the college or institution that you will attend.

**CONTEST RULES:** The contest is limited to Frederick County Maryland high school juniors and seniors. The scholarship must be used within three (3) years of graduation from high school. The Scholarship Committee, upon written notice, will consider extenuating circumstances regarding the time limitations.

Students must complete the Optimist Club Scholarship Application with the following information inside a report cover or binder:

- School transcript
- School activities list
- Community & Church activities list
- Indicate any awards received and offices held
- Home responsibilities and work experience list
- A paper in paragraph format (not to exceed 300 words) summarizing your life goals

**CRITERIA FOR JUDGING:**

Academic achievements & School activities	25% of total
Community service/Religious activities*	25% of total
Home responsibilities and Work experience*	20% of total
Financial need	30% of total

\*State amount of time dedicated to each activity

**GOAL STATEMENT:** to be evaluated and weighed separately

**SEND APPLICATION TO:**

Jane Martin (Program Chairwoman)  
3926 Wistman Lane  
Myersville, MD 21773  
(301) 293-1707

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Entries must be received by Friday, February 23, 2018

The winners will be notified and, along with their parents, invited to the awards reception on Tuesday, March 20, 2018, 7:00 pm at the Trinity United Methodist Church, 705 West Patrick Street, Frederick MD 21701. The scholarships will be awarded at the reception, so please reserve the date and time.

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2018 Youth Appreciation Week  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

(Responses to this application must be typed)

NAME:

AGE:

ADDRESS:

TELEPHONE NUMBER:

HIGH SCHOOL:

JUNIOR: \_\_\_\_\_ SENIOR: \_\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS LIVING IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD:

To assist the judges, all applications must be typed. If you wish to generate your own computer version then use this format.

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MALE \_\_\_\_\_ FEMALE \_\_\_\_\_

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT and SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

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COMMUNITY SERVICE and RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES (Include the amount of time dedicated to each activity):

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AWARDS RECEIVED and OFFICES HELD:

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HOME RESPONSIBILITIES and WORK EXPERIENCE (Include the amount of time dedicated to each activity):

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Financial need section:

Name and address of college(s) to which you have applied:

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Will you or have you applied for any type of scholarship or grant? Have you been offered any type of college scholarship or grant? Please list their names and indicate the type of funding as full, half, or partial funding.

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How will you pay for your college expenses? (example: student loan)

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Will your parents be taking out an education loan?

What percentage of your college cost will probably be funded by loans?

Optional:

Is there any other information you would like to share about your financial need?

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Your goal statement section (not to exceed 300 words):

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