

Council of Chelmsford Schools

2018-2019 Scholarship Application

The Council of Chelmsford Schools will award two scholarships, in the amount of \$1,000 each, to two graduating Chelmsford High School Seniors, who plan to attend a two- or four-year college in the fall of 2019. The Council will also award \$100 to each of the Chelmsford Public Schools staff members who inspire the recipient's essays. Please read through the application instructions carefully. *Failure to follow instructions or meet deadlines can result in ineligibility for scholarship consideration.*

- **Deadline:** Application and essay must be postmarked or date stamped by the administrative office no later than May 1, 2019
- **Notification:** Scholarship winners will be notified approximately May 8, 2019
- **Presentation:** Recipients and their guests, along with the highlighted staff member, will be invited to attend the last Council of Chelmsford Schools meeting of the year in May, held at 7pm in the McCarthy Middle School Library to be presented with the scholarship. Recipients will read their essay at the meeting. Currently this meeting is scheduled for May 15, 2019.

PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING TO MAKE AN APPLICATION FOR THIS SCHOLARSHIP:

- 1) Essay (at least one page) typed and double-spaced. See essay guidelines below.
- 2) Two letters of character reference from a guidance counselor, teacher, employer or a non-related adult.
- 3) Mail or deliver application, essay and character references by the deadline to:
 - Council of Chelmsford Schools Scholarship
 - c/o Ms. Debbie Phillips
 - 230 North Road, Chelmsford MA 01824

PERSONAL ESSAY

On a separate piece of paper, please tell us which Chelmsford Public School staff member (teacher, guidance counselor, coach, etc.) has had the greatest influence on your life. How has he or she guided you academically and/or socially? Give specific examples of their influence and how it affected you.

Note: Failure to follow instructions, to supply requested documentation, or to meet the deadline, may result in ineligibility for the scholarship.

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Eligibility: All graduating CHS seniors planning to attend a two- or four- year college in fall 2019.

Name: _____ Telephone # _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Please answer the following. Attach an extra sheet of paper if necessary.

What school do you plan to attend? _____

Have you been accepted? _____ Major: _____

Work experience. Attach an extra sheet of paper if necessary.

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Employer</u>	<u>Type of Work</u>	<u>Hours/Week</u>
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Volunteer and/or Community Activities (include dates) . Attach an extra sheet of paper if necessary.

School Activities and/or Clubs (year participated)

Honors and Awards (include year received)

I give my permission for the Scholarship Committee to share my essay with the featured staff member. (Please note this permission has no bearing on consideration for the scholarship award. If selected as a winner, the essay *will* be read in public and shared with the featured staff member.):

(circle one): YES NO

I certify that the information given on this application is accurate and is given with our knowledge and approval. Please sign and date below:

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____