



DUNEDIN YOUTH GUILD. INC.

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Dunedin Youth Guild Inc., P.O. Box 1453, Dunedin, FL 34697

VOCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Information for Graduating seniors

Deadline for Applications: February 15, 2021

To be considered for a Dunedin Youth Guild, Inc. Scholarship, you must

1. Graduate from Dunedin High School and/or live in Dunedin (if you attend a high school outside of Dunedin)
2. Graduate in the current year 2021
3. Have a grade point average of at least 2.5 and plan to enroll in a vocational program that is at least one year in duration.
4. Possess traits of character which are recognized as admirable. This will be indicated by information on your application, specifically your references as well as your volunteer efforts in both school and community.
5. Exhibit need of financial assistance. This is documented in the following ways: financial information on the FASFA, tax returns, other family and/or personal circumstances documented in your application

Information for Continuing College Students

To be considered for a Dunedin Youth Guild Continuing Scholarship you must

1. Be a recipient of a Dunedin Youth Guild Scholarship in a previous year.
2. Submit the following information to Dunedin Youth Guild by June 15th of each year you request continuing funds:
 - a. Your Fall and Spring Transcripts
 - b. A letter requesting continuing scholarship funds

****Note- All scholarship awards are paid directly to the college/university**



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VOCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Complete this page and submit it with your packet

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name: _____
(LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE)

Address: _____

Social Security Number: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Cell phone number if different: _____

Email address: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION:

Name of Father/Guardian: _____

Address: _____

Employer: _____ Job Title: _____

Name of Mother/Guardian: _____

Address: _____

Employer: _____ Job Title: _____

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL INFORMATION: I have applied to the following schools

I have been accepted by: _____

School I plan to attend: _____

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**** Important – Signature of parent/guardian and student must be included at the bottom of this page.**

ACADEMIC INFORMATION:

Intended area of study: _____

Grade Point Average: Weighted: _____ Unweighted: _____

Why do you want to further your vocational education?

How are you planning to finance your education?

List any other scholarships for which you have applied.

Are you eligible for additional financial aid, including Pell Grants?
If so, what is the amount you are eligible to receive?

Give the names and ages of all of your siblings and the schools they attend or their employment.

Please explain any circumstances which you feel the scholarship committee should take into account when reviewing your application (i.e. unusual medical bills, expenses, unemployment, major home repairs, divorce, etc.)

We certify that all of the information given to the Dunedin Youth Guild as part of this application is true.

Date: _____

(SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN)

(SIGNATURE OF STUDENT)

****Additional page: Respond to the questions on the following page:**

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Please answer the following **2 questions** in 2 paragraphs or less.

You may hand-write your paragraphs below or submit your paragraphs on a separate sheet. Attach additional pages if needed.

(1) What person or event has influenced your life?

and

(2) How do you see yourself contributing to your community?

The following information and/or documents must be included in order for your application to be complete.

1. Complete application in its entirety. All questions must be answered and all other requested material must be supplied with your application. All information that you supply is held in a confidential nature and all applications are shredded at the end of the process to insure the confidentiality of your information.

2. A personal interview will be required. Interviews will be scheduled by school counselors.

3 Please attach the following:

- An official transcript from the high school you currently attend.
- At LEAST two letters of recommendation, including,
 - a. One from a member of the faculty at your school; and
 - b. One from another adult not related to you (friend, clergy, doctor, etc.).
- Copy of your FAFSA **AND** SAR (Student Aid Report. **Not** your confirmation page) **OR** your parents' current and complete income tax (the income tax form is not required if you submit a copy of your FAFSA). If you send your FAFSA report, it should be the report that includes parental income information that was filed as tax return. If the form has "filed with IRS" in the blanks for parent income, you can write in the amounts.
- Photograph of yourself (this can be a copy of a photograph – it does not have to be an actual photo as long as the copy is current and is a clear copy).
- Resume' that provides information related to school, community, and church activities in which you have participated and awards or recognitions received
- Reminder: Page 2 of the application requires both parent/guardian **and** student signatures.



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