



## 2017 SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

**\*The purpose of this program is to provide scholarships to local students to advance local, civic, economic, cultural and social activities in the Bloomfield area.**

### RULES/GUIDELINES:

- ❑ Applicant must be a resident of Bloomfield.
- ❑ Have a member of the chamber sponsor you by signing the application. A current member list can be found at [www.BloomfieldChamber.org](http://www.BloomfieldChamber.org) under membership directory.
- ❑ Applicant must have a 3.0 (B) average for the Junior Year. Attach a copy of your Junior Year Report Card and an official transcript.
- ❑ Acceptance at an accredited post-secondary school or post-secondary training program. Attach letter(s) of acceptance, or list of schools applied to with your Guidance Counselor's supporting letter.
- ❑ Provide two letters of references from individuals other than a family member (guidance counselor, employer, mentor, etc.). Reference letters must be on official letterhead.
- ❑ The top finalists agree to a brief interview with the Chamber's scholarship selection committee, the results of which will be taken into consideration when selecting the winner. You will be contacted to schedule your interview during the week of May 9<sup>th</sup>.
- ❑ Applications and all supporting materials must be received by **April 14, 2017**.  
Mail completed applications to:  
Bloomfield Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 938, Bloomfield, CT 06002.  
**Before mailing, check to be sure you include:**
  - \* Your Junior Year Report card and an official transcript
  - \*Letter of acceptance at accredited post-secondary school
  - \*Two letters of reference
  - \*Essay
  - \*Application, including signature by a member of the Bloomfield Chamber of Commerce.
- ❑ **Incomplete applications will be disqualified.**



## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

### PERSONAL INFORMATION (Please type)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EXPECTED DATE OF GRADUATION: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/guardian phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Name of Parent(s) / Guardian(s):

\_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN ADDRESS (if different than yours):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

Member of Bloomfield Chamber of Commerce Reference

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Business Name Address



## Essay Questions:

Please write answers to the following questions in short *essay* form on a separate sheet of paper. Answers should be complete and concise. Be sure to address all of the following topics.

- What are your educational goals?
- What are your professional goals?
- Describe extra-curricular activities (i.e., team sports, internships, community service and part-time employment) in which you have participated. Please include year(s) participated, levels attained and any leadership roles held.
- Discuss an experience that has made a significant impact in your life and what you learned from the experience.
- Why have you applied for this scholarship?
- Attach a copy of your resume.

**ALL RESPONSES MUST BE TYPED**

**Application Deadline: April 14, 2017**

**Scholarship Award Breakfast to be held on Tuesday, June 6, 2017 at 8:30 a.m. at Kaman Corp**