



Crested Butte – Mt. Crested Butte Rotary Club

The Crested Butte/Mt. Crested Butte Rotary Scholarship

The Crested Butte/Mt. Crested Butte Rotary Scholarship program recognizes and supports outstanding high school seniors who have shown a strong dedication to making a positive difference through service to others. This program places significant emphasis on the core Rotary value of “Service Above Self” and seeks to reward students who embody this principle.

The primary selection criterion for these scholarships is a proven and meaningful track record of service to community or to the wider world. Applicants should have actively engaged in service projects, generously volunteered their time, effort, and skills, and demonstrated a sincere commitment to addressing societal needs.

By providing financial assistance to such students, the Crested Butte/Mt. Crested Butte Rotary Club hopes to show appreciation for selected students and to encourage them to adopt service to others as a lifelong priority.

Award description: Scholarship awards will help support the first year of education after high school at an accredited school of higher education (university, college, or other training school). The award will be paid directly to the post-secondary institution that student attends. The amount awarded will be decided by the Rotary scholarship committee.

Applicant requirements:

1. High school senior either attending CBCS or home-schooled
2. Must begin post-secondary education by the fall term immediately following high school graduation
3. A demonstrated record of participation in service activities
4. A demonstrated record of academic and extracurricular merit

Application procedures:

1. Applicants should neatly complete the attached application form.
2. Submit the following, printed single-sided and with your name printed at the top of every page:
 - a. Your completed application form, below.
 - b. Two letters of recommendation. Recommendations should be from a teacher, coach, employer, counselor, community service supervisor, clergy or a personal acquaintance and should address the selection criteria above.
 - c. A copy of your high school transcript.



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Application procedures (continued):

- d. A copy of your resume (be sure it includes your extracurricular, work, and volunteer experience).
 - e. A copy of your college application essay (state what the prompt was).
 - f. A personal letter, maximum of one page, telling the committee:
 - i. Your goals and objectives for the future.
 - ii. Why you feel you should be awarded this scholarship.
 - iii. In a short paragraph, describe one very important/memorable activity that you were most proud of during high school.
- 3. Hand deliver your completed application materials to Jennifer Read at the CBCS Counselor's office by February 28th.**
4. Attend a personal interview conducted by the scholarship committee members.
 5. Scholarships will be awarded at the annual CBCS Awards Breakfast.



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Student Name: _____

Scholarship Application Form

The information on this form will be treated as **confidential**.

Name: _____
Last First Middle

Mailing address: _____

Father's name: _____ Mother's name: _____

Are there any special financial or personal circumstances that your family faces at this time that you think are relevant to the evaluation of your application?

Names and locations of any university, college or vocational/technical school that you may attend and expected expenses for tuition, housing and meals for each:

1. _____ \$ _____

2. _____ \$ _____

3. _____ \$ _____

Expected major field of study: _____

Your cumulative grade point average (GPA) Weighted: _____ Unweighted:



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Student Name: _____

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