

## 2026 Scholarship Application

This application cover sheet is to be attached to the front of your 2026 Rotary Scholarship application. All applications and materials must be received by Rotary or postmarked no later than April 22, 2026, for consideration. All materials submitted will not be returned and will become the property of Rotary. Please print or type all information very clearly. All materials must be the applicant's own work. Alternatively, you may use the Cle Elum-Roslyn High School general scholarship application format by visiting the high school counselors.

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ (email address must be clear enough to read)

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ High School: \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Colleges, Universities, or Technical Schools applied to: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred College, University, or Technical School: \_\_\_\_\_

We recognize that an out-of-state school may offer a unique program of study, so we accept all applications. However, preference is given to applicants planning to attend in-state, public schools.

If attending CWU, would you like to be considered for the "Tuition Full Ride" Scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_  
(See *Information for Applicants* for more information about a limited number of four-year scholarships that cover 100% of CWU published cost of tuition for full-time, in-state students.) **Students interested in the "full ride" scholarship must apply for both the Rotary Club and the Rudy and Patti Hein Memorial Scholarship.**

All other CWU scholarship recipients will be eligible to have their Rotary Scholarship Funds matched by The CWU Foundation up to \$2,500 per year, for a total scholarship of up to \$5,000 per year for four years.

Name of Parent(s) or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Contact Phone and/or Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Attach the following documents behind the application form. Explain if any items are incomplete or not provided:**

1. **Transcript:** attach copy of current high school transcript showing courses taken and performance
2. **Service Activities:** Please attach additional page(s) indicating service activities in which you have been involved. Include your role, position(s) held and service projects accomplished. Include formal and informal service activities (formal would be Interact Club; informal would be helping elderly neighbor on a regular basis with

household chores, shoveling snow, etc.). Be sure to include the number of hours and period of time served (e.g., 20 hours fall/spring 2022). School-sponsored activities must be signed by the activity's school advisor.

3. **Employment History:** List all employers (including part-time), positions held, and dates of employment.
4. **Extracurricular Activities:** Describe your participation, role, and accomplishments in school-organized non-curriculum activities that are not service activities you have already discussed in 2 above.
5. **Awards / Honors / Accomplishments:** List, if not captured above, awards, honors, and/or accomplishments for which you have received recognition.
6. **Future Plans, Objective(s) and Goals:** Please describe your educational objectives and how they will help you achieve your career and personal goals. **In as much detail as possible**, tell us what you will study, where you will enroll (or where you have applied), what degree or certificate you will receive, and what career your degree will prepare you to enter. We understand it is difficult to predict the future, but we want to understand how your education will help you achieve success in life.
7. **Financial Need & Plan:** Please describe your need for this scholarship **as well as how you plan to pay for and complete your college or vocational education, including living expenses. This is an important part of your application – be detailed and specific!** Please list all other scholarships and financial aid for which you have applied or already received funds.
8. **Essay:** You must write an essay on the following topic. Please attach at least one page of between 300 and 500-words for your essay:

**Tell us three things about yourself that many other people really don't know but will give the committee greater insight into your values, character, and goals. Explain fully.**

9. **Letter of Recommendation:** Include at least one letter of recommendation from someone who is not a relative.
10. **Other:** (OPTIONAL) Attach any additional materials you feel would give the selection committee greater insight into your character, interests, and goals, or identify any unique or special circumstances in your life.
11. Please note: The **organization, presentation, and clarity** of all the above information will be considered as part of the scoring of your application for the award of scholarship money.
12. **Submission:** For Cle Elum-Roslyn students, submit through the school's general application process. For all other students (Easton, Swiftwater, and Homeschool), mail to: UKC Rotary, Box 1035, Cle Elum, WA 98922.
13. Questions regarding applications that cannot be answered by school guidance counselors can be addressed to [Scholarship@UKCRotary.org](mailto:Scholarship@UKCRotary.org) or to the Rotary Scholarship Chairperson, Rob Wilson, at [robu77@hotmail.com](mailto:robu77@hotmail.com).