

\$1000 College Scholarship

The North Aurora Firefighters Association is offering four \$1000 scholarships towards the first year of college tuition for current High School Seniors.

The Firefighters Association is made up of both full and part-time North Aurora firefighters. Throughout the year, the Firefighters Association contributes to several community organizations such as the North Aurora Lions Club, the North Aurora Mothers Club, the North Aurora Baseball Association and the Illinois Fire Safety Alliance.

To be eligible, candidates must:

1. Plan on graduating from an area high school in the spring of 2017.
2. Reside within the North Aurora Fire Protection district boundaries.
3. Plan on attending an accredited college in the fall of 2017.
4. Completely fill out the Scholarship application including a one page essay explaining plans for the future along with how you became interested in the area of study and desired school. Completed applications must be returned **in person** to North Aurora Fire Station #1 at 2 North Monroe Street in North Aurora. The application is available at Fire Station #1 between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday or on the fire department website (www.nafd.org)
5. Have two teachers submit recommendation forms. Both teachers' names must be listed on the application form. Please provide them with a stamped envelope addressed to:

North Aurora Firefighters Association
Scholarship Committee
2 North Monroe Street
North Aurora, IL 60542

Recommendation forms submitted to the Scholarship Committee directly by applicants will not be accepted.

Both the application and recommendations must be returned by 4:30 p.m. on May 27, 2017 for consideration.

Questions may be directed to Firefighter Evan Darger at edarger@nafd.org.

North Aurora Firefighters Association Scholarship Application

1. Personal Information

Name:	
Address:	
Phone:	Age
How long have you lived in North Aurora?	
What high school are you graduating from?	

2. College Choices

1.
2.
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4.
What college is your first choice?
What colleges have you been accepted to?
Intended Major

3. Extracurricular Activities: (Sports and Clubs in School)

(Outside School Activities such as Hobbies, Work, Organizations, etc.)

4. Achievement Information

Current Class Rank:	Current GPA:
List any accomplishments or awards earned during high school:	

5. Teacher References:

Please list two teachers whom will complete and return teacher recommendation forms to the North Aurora Fire Firefighters Association. Provide a stamped, self-addressed envelope for the teachers to return forms.

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6. Personal Essay

Please attach an essay explaining what your future plans and goals are. How did you become interested in the area of study and your school of choice? What was your favorite memory of high school? Please limit essay response to one page.

Student Signature

Date

North Aurora Firefighter's Association Scholarship Recommendation

The information collected will be used by the selection committee to award scholarships. It will not be available to the student. Please complete, and mail to:

North Aurora Firefighter's Association Scholarship
2. North Monroe Street
North Aurora, IL 60542

DO NOT RETURN TO SCHOLARSHIP CANDIDATE!

The application deadline is May 27th, 2017

Student Name: _____

Please rate the student in the following areas. If you have no basis for judgment, please select NB.

4 = Very Strong
3 = Above Average
2 = Average
1 = Below Average

Category	1	2	3	4	NB
Organization	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Self Confidence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Willingness to take risks	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ability to get along with others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Work Ethic	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Creativity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Writing Ability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reading Ability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Oral Presentation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sense of Humor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Concern for Others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reaction to Setbacks	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ability to deal with difficult concepts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Self Discipline	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leadership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Energy Level	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

6. Additional Comments

Feel free to add any comments below:

Teacher’s Printed
Name _____
Contact Number _____
Position: _____
Date: _____

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Teacher’s Signature