

Scholarship America Dollars for Scholars®

Community Volunteer Service Award

SCHOLARSHIP AMERICA DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS® IS PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THE 2012 COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD APPLICATION.

THIS AWARD ENCOURAGES AND REWARDS **COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER SERVICE**, WHILE ALSO APPLAUDING AND SUPPORTING **ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- Applicants must be enrolled in or planning to enroll in an undergraduate program of study.
- Applicants must be enrolled in or planning to enroll full-time at an accredited two- or four-year college, university, or vocational-technical school for the first time.
- Adult students entering or resuming a postsecondary program of study are also eligible
- Past recipients of the award are eligible to apply again.
- Full-time study is defined as full-term enrollment for the entire upcoming academic year.

SELECTION CRITERIA:

- Level of volunteer community service over the past four years measured by hours.
- Academic achievement measured by GPA
- Work experience measured in hours
- School activities measured by amount of different activities and hours
- A statement of goals.

RECIPIENTS RECIEVE:

- A \$500 nonrenewable scholarship award
- The top 10 applicants nationwide will be automatically submitted for the Student of the Year competition. The recipient of the Student of the Year award will receive an additional larger scholarship.

APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE THROUGH YOUR LOCAL DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS CHAPTER WEBSITE, OR AT [HTTP://SCHOLARSHIPAMERICA.ORG/OPEN SCHOLARSHIPS.PHP](http://scholarshipamerica.org/open_scholarships.php)

The scholarship program opens February 1, 2012 and closes March 15, 2012. Recipients will be notified in May.