APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS for 2019 Oswego Scholarship

1. Fill out the application form completely and sign
2. Complete essay portion in 500 words or less, clearly answer the 5 questions. Essay must be typed double spaced.
3. All forms must be completely filled out and turned in by **Wednesday, April 3. 2019** to the Oswego Chamber of Commerce, **73 W. Van Buren St., Oswego**. *Applications may not be emailed!*
4. Please include **2 letters of recommendations** – one must be from a teacher/school counselor. Family members are not eligible to write a letter of recommendation

Oswego Chamber of Commerce

73 W. Van Buren St.

Oswego, IL 60543

630-554-3505

[angie@oswegochamber.org](mailto:angie@oswegochamber.org) for questions only.

**Do not submit application electronically**.

**APPLICANT INFORMATION – 2019 Oswego Area Chamber of Commerce Scholarship**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ First Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Best time to call: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Gender: Male \_\_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**COLLEGE INFORMATION**

What colleges/universities have you applied to?: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Which college/university is your 1st choice and why?

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Colleges/universities you’ve been accepted to: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Have you decided on a specific college/university?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

What other, if any, financial aid have you received to date? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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What is your major? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

What is your minor? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**HIGH SCHOOL ACADEMIC INFORMATION**

High School you will graduate from (OHS or OEHS): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Clubs you are involved in: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Community Service you have done: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Sports you are/were involved in: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Music/Drama groups you are/were involved in:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Awards/recognitions you’ve received in High School:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**FAMILY INFORMATION**

Father: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Size of family at home including: Brothers \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sisters \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_

Number of siblings/parents in college or technical school: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are there any special financial considerations? (How are you paying for school)?

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**ESSAY** – In 500 words or less, **typed - double spaced** clearly explain:

**1**. Why do you feel that you should be considered for a scholarship?

**2**. What significant events that have helped to shape your life?

**3.** Who are you and what do you hope to become?

**4**. Where do you see yourself in 5 years, 10 years, long-term?

**5**. What is your ideal job?

Please initial the statements below, sign and date.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that an impartial selection committee will evaluate all the data submitted, and that the decisions of the committee will be final in the selection of the scholarship winners.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ If I am selected, I understand my picture will be in the Chamber’s newsletter, in a press release to the local papers and on the Chamber’s Facebook page.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ If I am selected, my parents & I will be invited guests at the Chamber’s Annual Dinner held on Thursday, April 25th at Whitetail Ridge Golf Course.

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_