

**Mission Statement:** Connecting businesses to strengthen community.

**2025 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**Deadline: April 8, 2025**

The Woodbury Area Chamber of Commerce will award seven $1,000 scholarships to 2025 high school graduates from the Woodbury area.One of the scholarships will be awarded to a student who is either employed by or has a parent employed by a Woodbury Area Chamber of Commerce business member.A second scholarship will be awarded to a student pursuing a certificate or two-year degree.

**Criteria:**

* Student must be a 2025 graduating high school senior who is either a resident of the Woodbury areaor graduating from a Woodbury Area High School.
* Student must be pursuing post-secondary education for a certificate to four-year degree at an educational or vocational institution in the summer or fall of 2025.

**How to Apply:**

1. Answer the following essay questions (typed, single sided, no more than 500 words each):

(a)  When you think about the work you have done to build or improve your community (volunteer position, job, school), which experience makes you proud? Please describe the experience and why it is significant for you.

(b) Beyond your vocation, how will your future lifestyle (vocation, community involvement, volunteerism) improve or positively impact the community in which you live?

1. Complete applicant information below and include this page with essay question responses.

Email, mail or deliver application materials to the Chamber Office by April 8. 2025:

**WOODBURY AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

**700 Commerce Drive, Suite 285, Woodbury, MN 55125**

**michele@woodburychamber.org**

**Notification:**

* Only students selected to receive the scholarships will be notified in early May. Recipients are asked to volunteer at the June 2, 2025 Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament from 10am-Noon at Prestwick Golf Course.
* Scholarship payment will be submitted directly to the educational institution. It is the recipient’s responsibility to provide the chamber with name and address of the educational institution as well as proof of registration.

**Applicant Information**

**Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Home Address\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**City \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Zip \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Parent/Guardian Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Business Name if Student or Parent Employed by Chamber Member\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Higher Educational Institution Attending (if known) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**