



## Adams County Chamber of Commerce Scholarship

### About the Chamber:

Established in 1989 with the mission of encouraging the improvement, conservation, and development of the physical and economic environments of the county. The Chamber of Commerce acts as a community business advocate and the staff continually searches for sources that can benefit its members. The Adams County Chamber of Commerce is a member-driven organization that represents the business community in the county.

### Our Mission

The mission of the Adams County Chamber of Commerce is to enrich and support the business community.

This will be accomplished by:

- Providing strategic leadership, tools, and resources for business success;
- Supporting planned, sustainable development and continuing economic growth; and
- Advocating and promoting the interest of business.

### Eligibility Criteria:

- Must be a senior graduating from a high school in Adams County (includes homeschooling) in the Spring of 2024.
- Minimum grade point average of 2.5.

### Essay Prompt:

Compose a 500-word essay: "What are your career aspirations, and how do you see your involvement with your local Chamber of Commerce aligning with these goals?"

### Required Documents:

- Complete transcript of grades OR letter from guidance counselor stating GPA.
- Two letters of reference (cannot be from parents, family members, or guidance counselors).

### Submission Deadline:

Applications and supporting documents must be submitted to the Adams County Chamber of Commerce by May 6th at 5 p.m. by emailing the application and supporting documents to [info@adamscountyohchamber.com](mailto:info@adamscountyohchamber.com) or by mailing the application and supporting documents to the Adams County Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 849, West Union, OH 45693. Mail applications must be postmarked by May 6th.

### Acknowledgment

Winners will be notified by email and a phone call from the Adams County Chamber of Commerce on May 7<sup>th</sup>. The Adams County Scholarship Dinner will take place on May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6:00 p.m. at the Adams County Training and Business Center located at 107 E. Walnut, West Union, Ohio 45693 and scholarship winners must be present to attend for their award. Recipients will receive 4 general admission tickets to the scholarship dinner.



**Scholarship Application**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**High School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**GPA:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please list Extra Curricular activities (including Employment) and awards:**

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**College or Trade School you will be attending in the Fall of 2024:**

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**Area of Study:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Authorization for Applicants Under the Age of 18:**

For applicants who are under the age of 18, both the applicant and their parent(s) or legal guardian(s) must sign below. By signing, you grant permission for the Adams County Chamber of Commerce to use your likeness in marketing campaigns and release the Chamber from any liability that may arise from such use.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_