

Chestnut Ridge Education Foundation

CREF Scholarship Application For Non-Traditional Students



2017

Guidelines for CREF Scholarship

1. The scholarship committee will consider the following:
 - a. Your application for its completeness, neatness and the extent to which you followed directions while filling it out.
 - b. Your essay for its completeness, neatness and the extent to which you followed directions while writing it.
 - c. Your financial need for this scholarship.
2. The applicant must be a resident or graduate of the Chestnut Ridge School District.
3. The deadline for application is Monday, July 17, 2017.
4. This scholarship is worth \$1,000 and is awarded to a non-traditional student.

Return completed application to the address listed below:

Chestnut Ridge Education Foundation
c/o Debbie Price
Chestnut Ridge High School
2588 Quaker Valley Road
New Paris, PA 15554-8612

1 Applicant Data

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Social Security Number _____

Date of Birth _____

2 High School Data

Name _____

Address _____

3 Post-High School Data

Name _____

Address _____

_____ 4 year college

_____ 2 year college

_____ Vo-Tech

_____ Other

Major _____

Anticipated Date of Graduation _____

Please provide a copy of one of the following:

- Your acceptance letter to the college or trade school at which you plan to graduate.
- A letter from the registrar of the college or trade school proving your enrollment for the fall semester.

4 Community and Volunteer Services

List all community and volunteer activities in which you have participated without pay. Include all special awards and honors. List all leadership positions and offices held.

5 Work Experiences

In two or three sentences, describe your work activities and responsibilities.

6 Financial Need

Indicate your household's adjusted gross income from last year's tax return.

- _____ under \$15,000
- _____ \$15,000 to \$20,000
- _____ \$20,000 to \$25,000
- _____ \$25,000 to \$30,000
- _____ \$30,000 to \$35,000
- _____ \$35,000 to \$50,000
- _____ over \$50,000

Total number of household members living at your home: _____

Number of dependents in your household, including yourself: _____

Number of children: _____

Their ages: _____

Number attending college: _____

- Are there other financial considerations you are facing which need to be noted? Explain.

- Have you applied for other sources of financial assistance? _____ Yes _____ No
If so, where?

7 Essay

On a separate sheet of paper, write a brief essay (100-200 words) on your goals as they relate to your education, career, motivation and financial need.

8 Scholarship Committee Expectations

We are requesting, and would appreciate, that recipients of the CREF Scholarships participate in CREF functions and/or be a CREF committee member.

9 Signature

I hereby certify that the information on this form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's Signature

Date