



## 2026 Scholarship Application & Questionnaire

### Eligibility & Application Notes

- Qualifying applicants must be a graduating senior from School District 108 who either works for a Norwood Young America Chamber Member or one of their parents is employed by a Chamber Member Business.
- Qualifying applicants must be pursuing a post-secondary education.
- Two scholarships in the amount of \$300 each will be awarded to two qualifying students.
- Scholarship winners will be announced at the District 108 Awards Ceremony in April 2026.
- Scholarship winners will receive the monetary award after presenting the NYA Area Chamber with their transcript showing the successful completion of their first semester or quarter of school with a GPA of 2.5 or higher.
- The check will be payable directly to the school the scholarship winner is attending.
- If there are no students who adequately demonstrate the selection criteria, the Chamber may choose not to award the scholarship.

### Applicant Information

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

### Qualifying Chamber Member/Business Information

Individual Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

### Application Questions \*Please give a complete response to each question below.

- 1) Describe the one thing that you feel is your greatest accomplishment in the last three years.
- 2) Describe your work experience in the past two years.
- 3) Detail any community volunteering (without pay) you have done in the last three years.
- 4) List the school activities you have participated in the last three years.
- 5) What school do you plan to attend and what field of study do you wish to pursue?
- 6) Has anyone or anything inspired or encouraged you to pursue this field?
- 7) Once you have finished your educational goals, do you have any interest in starting or running your own business?
- 8) Would you be interested in pursuing your career in your Hometown Community?

### Final Step

Applications must be received by mail or by email no later than April 15, 2026: [Info@nyachamber.org](mailto:Info@nyachamber.org)

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