

2008 – 2009

Grand Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce

Scholarship

FOR AREA SENIORS ONLY!



This year the Grand Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce will be giving out a total of TWO \$500.00 scholarships. All qualified area seniors are encouraged to apply

Who may apply?

Applicants who have applied and have been accepted in a 4 - Year College with plans to attain a B.S. or B.A. degree

OR

Applicants pursuing a two – year degree or certification in a vocational/technical industry needed locally

If you need another copy of this scholarship for any reason

Go to our website www.grandmn.com

Click on “Chamber Updates” in the left hand upper corner

Click on “Chamber downloads” in the left hand upper corner

Click on “2008-2009 Chamber Scholarship”

Remember to download both parts!

GOOD LUCK!

***Grand Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce 2008/2009 Scholarship Awards
(2008/2009 Funding Provided by the Grand Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce)***

❖ **Grand Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce Scholarship**

Applicants must have applied and been accepted in a 4 year college with plans to attain a B.S. or B.A. degree. In two pages or less, discuss the future needs of the area and how the Grand Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce can address those needs.

Applicants must be willing to participate in an interview selection process if requested.

Application submission date: **March 16th 2009.**

- **In two pages or less discuss the future needs of the Grand Rapids Area and how the Grand Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce can address those needs. (Applicants must be willing to participate in an interview selection process if requested.)**

Please attach to application

❖ **Grand Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce
Vocational/Technical Scholarship**

Applicants must be pursuing a two-year degree or certification in a vocational/technical industry needed locally. Provide a short summary on how your field of intended study may be used to contribute to the growth of this community.

Applicants must be willing to participate in an interview selection process if requested.

Application submission date: **March 16th 2009.**

- **Provide a short summary on how your field of intended study may be used to contribute to the growth of the community. (Applicant s must be willing to participate in an interview selection process if requested.)**

Please attach to application

Attach essay, statements, or letters of recommendation. On a separate sheet, please provide any additional information you think would be helpful to the selection committee.

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❖ Name

❖ Address

❖ Telephone

❖ City/State/Zip

❖ School District
❖

❖ Parent/Guardian

❖ **Technical college, community college, or four-year college planning to attend: (List more than one if applicable)**

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Have you been accepted? _____yes _____ no

Intended field (s) of study

- 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.
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❖ **State why you have chosen the field (s) of study?**

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- ❖ **State your experience. List any jobs that you have held and describe what you have learned.**

- ❖ List activities in which you have been involved both in school and out of school: church, other organizations, and community service.
(Indicate offices if applicable.)

❖ Describe an individual or an event that has had an impact on your life.

❖ **References:**

Name:

Address:

Phone Number:

Name:

Address:

Phone Number:

Name:

Address:

Phone Number:

Student Signature _____

Date: _____

- ❖ **Make sure this is filled out correctly**
- ❖ **Did you include all that is required?**

Questions may be brought to the attention of Kerry Larsen, Membership & Tourism Coordinator, Grand Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce at (218) 326-6619 or email kerry@grandmn.com

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For office/ counselor use only!

Name of student: _____

School

Name: _____

GPA _____ **ACT/SAT Score** _____

Class Rank _____ **Out of** _____ **students**

Comments:

Signature of Counselor

(Please print) _____

Phone number: _____

(This number should be **accessible** incase we have any questions that need to be answered about the applicant)