



2019 Scholarship Application

Volunteerism plays a critical role in the Lemont community, and is the cornerstone of the Lemont Junior Woman's Club. Our organization is comprised of women in the community who are dedicated to raising funds and volunteering for the betterment of Lemont and the surrounding communities. To recognize the efforts of those who demonstrate a commitment to volunteerism, the LJWC is offering **three \$2,000.00** scholarships.

To be eligible for the LJWC scholarships, you must, at time of application, be a resident of Lemont or live within the boundaries of District 210 and be a high school senior or woman returning to school.

Please type directly into this form or print legibly. Please use additional sheets to answer questions if necessary. This application is available in word format at <http://www.lemontjuniorwomansclub.org/>. **Applications due March 27th, 2019.**

Name:
Address:
Phone:
Email Address:
High School:
College Attending:
Major (if known):

References (please have letters of recommendation mailed or emailed directly to the LJWC):

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Volunteer activities:

Activity type or organization	total hours	Notes on what you did, how often, and where if appropriate

Other activities, achievements, and offices held:

Activity type or organization	Notes on what you did, how often, and where if appropriate

Honors and awards:

Honor or award name	Date received	Notes if necessary

Employment Experience:

Employer	Dates of employment	Notes if necessary

Essay question (type in 500 words or less):

"Life's most persistent and urgent question is, 'What are you doing for others?'"
 ~Martin Luther King, Jr.

Consider the quote from Martin Luther King, Jr. If you had an opportunity to sit down and have a conversation with him, how would you answer this question? Why is this so important?

Please submit this application, letters of recommendation, college acceptance letter (if possible), and essay to the address or email below by **March 27, 2019**. We are accepting electronic applications. Scholarship recipients will be notified in late April, and the winning essays may be published in local media. If you have questions, or need further information, please contact the scholarship committee at ljwcphilanthropies@gmail.com

I have submitted this application and hereby state that the answers are accurate and complete. The essay is my own original work. I hereby state that any money awarded will be used for educational purposes only. Signing below also allows the LJWC to publish any portion of my application and essay in local media.

Signature of Applicant Date

Signature of parent or legal guardian (if applicant is under 18) Date

Please Note: This application must be postmarked by Wednesday, March 27, 2019. Letters of recommendation should be submitted directly to the LJWC at the below address or email. All scholarships will be paid directly to the learning institution designated on the applicant's final college acceptance paperwork.

Mail applications to:
 LJWC Scholarships
 PO Box 563
 Lemont, IL 60439

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ljwcphilanthropies@gmail.com