**2024 Scholarship Application**

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**Post-secondary plans:**

Post-secondary institution(s) (you have accepted/applied to):

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**Process**:

* Complete the application in full
* Attach a copy of your transcript
* Include a recommendation letter of relevance to the scholarship (teacher, coach, volunteer supervisor, etc.)
* Write a 250–300-word essay illustrating the student’s interest in civic activities
* email the application and all necessary materials to **oshsscholarships@gmail.com** with a subject line of **O.S. Democratic Town Committee Scholarship** 2024 by **May 1, 2024**.

Below are some questions that might help you focus in on your essay.

Have you run for office or been appointed to a leadership position and what have you accomplished in that position?

Have you voted, volunteered at the polls, or canvassed for a political candidate?

Are you involved in a local or national organization promoting environmental, human rights, criminal justice or other important issues facing our world today?

Do you shop for an elderly neighbor, volunteer at a local food pantry or work for an animal shelter?

Have you organized a neighborhood cleanup or raised money for a local community organization?

Do your college plans include a degree in public policy or political science, criminal justice, or environmental sciences? If so, include your goals and aspirations for this choice.