# Scholarship Application Form for High School Students

Postmarked Deadline of May 1 in any given year

Please read the following information and ensure you meet all of the eligibility criteria before completing this application.

The Rockport-Fulton Chamber Foundation awards scholarships on the basis of a competitive process that may consider financial need, academic and athletic achievement, demonstrated volunteer commitment to the community, personal statement of what the student has learned, and how has this prepared them for college. Scholarships are awarded based on Scholarship Committee review recommendations. Scholarships are not renewable. All students must reapply if interested in a second, third, etc. scholarship. Preference will be given to a high school student that works in the hospitality industry.

## **Scholarship**

The Rockport-Fulton Chamber Foundation provides scholarships at \$200 each for three students. (This may vary according to the response and student interest)

#### **Eligibility Criteria**

To be considered for a new scholarship/award, all students must meet the following eligibility criteria:

- Be enrolled as a senior and a current student at Rockport-Fulton High School
- Be a U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen.
- Must be planning to enroll in a four-year college or university in the fall as a full-time, degree-seeking, first-year student."
- Must work in the hospitality industry. The student must submit a letter from their current employer.
- Completed and submitted application materials by the postmarked deadline date.

#### Instructions:

Submit only responses to questions below. Respond to each applicable field.

<b>Personal Information:</b> Student first, middle initial and last name (ex. J	ohn D. Smith)
Mailing address:	
Cell phone (ex. 000-000-0000)	Second Cell phone:
Email address:	Date of birth (ex. mm/dd/yyyy)
College/university you will be attending for the	school year 2015-2016:
Date of anticipated college graduation (ex. mm	/yyyy):
In what ways have you volunteered your time t	to support in your community, school and/or family? Describe your

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Please prepare in your own words, a typed essay answering the following question: What have you learned by participating in sports, and how has this prepared you for college?

- Print the completed application, sign and date. Place in ONE envelope, along with:
- Official Rockport-Fulton High School Transcript through fall semester grades for senior year, including GPA or GPA equivalent
- Any two letters of recommendation from people in the community.
- Copy of complete Student Aid Report (SAR) from the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Application and required materials must be postmarked by May 1st.

Send or drop off to:

### **ATTN: Scholarship Processing**

Rockport-Fulton Chamber Foundation 319 Broadway Rockport, TX 78382

The information provided in my application is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and accurate. I understand that false statements on this application may disqualify me from receiving a scholarship.

Student signature:	Date:
Signature of parent or legal guardian:	Date: