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Deadline: February 24, 2012

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# New England District of Key Clubs



## Scholarship Awards

### For Four-Year Institutions

*To the Candidate:* You have been nominated by your fellow Key Club members to receive the New England District of Key Clubs Scholarship Award. This nomination, based on your financial need, academic standing, leadership, service abilities, and accomplishments, should be considered one of the highest honors that a local Key Club can place on any of its members. Accordingly, we hope that you will fill out this form completely and accurately and then turn it in to your GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT and SCHOOL PRINCIPAL. It should be postmarked no later than **February 24, 2012** and sent to the address above. The winners will be selected by an Adult Scholarship Committee and will be announced at the New England District Key Club Conference to be held **April 13, 14, and 15, 2012** at the Marriott Hotel in Springfield, MA.

*To the Guidance Department:* We ask that you attach to this application a transcript of the applicant's high school record, including results of recent ability, achievement, and aptitude tests, accompanied by a brief letter of recommendation for scholarship recognition.

*To the High School Principal:* Please fill out the necessary sheet about this applicant. Furnish a letter of recommendation, in which you discuss the applicant's character, financial need, and academic ability.

**This form may be duplicated.**

# *New England District of Key Clubs*

To: Key Club President  
Key Club Faculty Advisor

Re: New England District Scholarship Awards

I am please to announce that our New England District of Key Clubs, aspiring to more fully fulfill This year's Key Club International Theme of "**How can the average Key Clubber bring a global campaign, such as the Eliminate Project, to their school and local community?**", will award two academic scholarships of \$400 each. These awards will be presented at the District Key Club Conference, April 13, 14, and 15, 2012 at the Marriott Hotel in Springfield, MA. Awards will be given based on the following requisites:

1. The candidate shall be a senior Key Club member who shows financial need, outstanding service, leadership qualities, and achievements as a Key Club Officer or Key Club District Officer or as a truly outstanding Key Club member;
2. The Candidate's academic ability and achievement'
3. The Candidate's character;
4. The Candidate's need for financial assistance;
5. The Candidate's sincere dedication to Key Club and the ideals for which it stands;
6. The Candidate's outstanding abilities and achievements in other areas of endeavor;
7. The Candidate's nominations by his club for this scholarship award.

On behalf of the New England District of Key Clubs, we urge your Key Club to be represented in this endeavor. Enclosed you will find one scholarship form, to be given to your candidate for the scholarship award.

As part of the form to be filled in by the candidate, it is necessary to prepare a summary of not more than 200 words. We are asking the officers of your local Key Club, in conjunction with your adult advisors, to prepare this summary giving your reasons for nominating this individual and the ways in which he has lived up to both the 2010-2011 Key Club Theme, "**How can the average Key Clubber bring a global campaign, such as the Eliminate Project, to their school and local community?**"

We urge you to complete this process by sending the completely filled form to the address on the front cover, postmarked no later than February 24, 2012.

We are looking forward to meeting you and many of your Key Clubbers at our New England District Conference this spring.

Sincerely yours,

Cody Hopkins  
Governor

**Personal Information**

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Number of Persons dependent on parents (include parents and self): \_\_\_\_\_

List in Descending Order of Age all children in Family:

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|----------|------------|----------|------------|
| 1. _____ | Age: _____ | 5. _____ | Age: _____ |
| 2. _____ | Age: _____ | 6. _____ | Age: _____ |
| 3. _____ | Age: _____ | 7. _____ | Age: _____ |
| 4. _____ | Age: _____ | 8. _____ | Age: _____ |

I estimate that I shall have the following funds available for college: \_\_\_\_\_

List the colleges to which you have applied and indicate the estimated average expenses for each school. Check the box if you have been accepted.

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| 1. _____ | Est. Expenses: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. _____ | Est. Expenses: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. _____ | Est. Expenses: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. _____ | Est. Expenses: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |

How much of the annual average expenses are your parents/guardians prepared to assume: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you currently hold a part-time job? \_\_\_\_\_ What type of work do you do? \_\_\_\_\_

How much do you earn weekly? \_\_\_\_\_ Monthly? \_\_\_\_\_

What field(s) do you think you may major in at college: \_\_\_\_\_

What occupational goal(s) do you have in mind: \_\_\_\_\_

**Extracurricular Activities**

I am a member in good standing of the Key Club of \_\_\_\_\_

High School in \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
City State

I have been in Key Club for \_\_\_\_\_ years.

List all Key Club Offices (local, District, International) you have held and list the years:

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List all other school activities, offices held, and athletics, in which you have participated in the order of importance to you and indicate the year and varsity letter(s) or honor(s) earned:

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List all other activities outside of school, offices held, hobbies, or jobs according to their importance to you and the amount of time spent in each:

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What have you done to better yourself, your family, or your community in the past three summers?

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List honors, awards, and prizes that you have received in these extracurricular activities. Supply any other pertinent information which you think will assist the committee in making its decision:

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**References:** Three persons, not relatives, who know you and your family's general financial condition, should be asked to write a letter of recommendation for you. These letters should be submitted with this application in sealed envelopes.

I have read the answers to all the questions on this application. They are complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. I, the undersigned, understand that the falsification of any information submitted by me on this application automatically disqualifies me as an applicant.

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

Parent/Guardian's Signature

***Must  
Be  
Signed***

In the space below, and in your own handwriting, please write a brief essay, not to exceed 100 words, about what Key Club has done for you as a person.

**Notice to Applicant:** Once you have completed this section of the form, please give all of the form to your Key Club Advisor, so that the following 200 word essay may be furnished by your Key Club Officers and Board of Directors.

*(For Key Club Officers and Board of Directors)*

You have nominated this young man/woman for the New England District of Key Clubs Scholarship Award. Please submit the following: In 200 words or less, please state in what ways your candidate has contributed to his/her home, school, and community, through Key Club activities. What has this service done for him/her and how has it developed him/her as a person?

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Date

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Signature of Key Club President or Secretary

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Date

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Signature of Key Club Faculty Advisor or Kiwanis Advisor

***Must  
Be  
Signed***

**Candidate:** Please fill in the necessary information and give this to your principal.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Name of High School \_\_\_\_\_

Other Secondary Schools attended with dates:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Name of High School Principal or Headmaster: \_\_\_\_\_

**Notice to Candidate:** Have your parent/guardian sign the following statement to release the necessary information to support your scholarship application. Then give this form, accompanied by all other information requested, to your school principal.

To the Principal and/or Guidance Counselor:

I authorize \_\_\_\_\_ to release to the New England District of Key Clubs Scholarship Committee  
High School  
(a) transcript of academic record, (b) results of CEEB tests, (c) Personality Ratings of this candidate to accompany this scholarship application.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signature of Parent/Guardian

**FOR SCHOOL OFFICE USE ONLY**

Rank in class: \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ graduating seniors.

General Statement on School Attendance:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

General Statement on Conduct:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

- Please provide
- (a) Transcript of Academic Record or letter supporting reasons for not providing transcript.
  - (b) Results of CEEB tests or letter supporting reasons for not providing results.
  - (c) Letter of Recommendation from Principal.
  - (d) Letter of Recommendation from Guidance Counselor

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Date

Signature of School Principal

### FOR THE PRINCIPAL

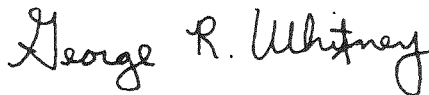
Dear Principal:

In order to make a fair and equitable decision in awarding scholarships, it is necessary that we have certain records with which to judge applicants. These awards are of substantial monetary and honorary value and they are presented to outstanding individuals based on his/her academic standing, financial need, leadership ability, service activities, and achievements in Key Club. The above named Key Clubber has been nominated by his fellow Key Club members. In order to process these nominations fairly, our District Key Club Committee on Scholarships requires pertinent information about each candidate. We would greatly appreciate your sending us the requested information on this candidate. This information will be kept in strict confidence by our adult scholarship committee and will be destroyed upon the awarding of scholarships.

If there is any reason that this information may not be supplied by you, we would appreciate a letter of explanation from you and your providing what information it is possible for you to provide. Your letter of explanation will suffice where you are not permitted to provide school records.

If you have any suggestions to make to more easily facilitate this application process in the future, we are most happy to receive your suggestions.

Sincerely yours,



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District Administrator