

 **$500 Chris Gangler Memorial Scholarship Application 2024**

*(One student from each high school will be awarded-One time award)*DUE**: March 15, 2024**

***(Application MUST be typed, or computer generated)***

**Last Name: First Name: Middle Initial:**

**Address:**

**City/Zip Code: Telephone Number:**

**High School: GPA:**

**Date of Birth: Email Address:**

**Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name:**

**Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Occupation(s):**

**Place(s) of Employment:**

**Do you live with your parent(s)/guardian(s)? How many children in your family?**

**Ages of each child:**

**Please list school activities, honors, hobbies, clubs/organizations, talents and community activities. Also, include information about leadership roles you may have had. (You may use additional sheets):**

**Does attending college depend on outside help?**

**Name of School/College you plan to attend:**

**School/College Major:**

**Attach an essay explaining why you are seeking this scholarship, why you want to attend college and your goals for the future. (300 words or less.)**

**Student’s Signature:**

**Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Signature:**

**The application, essay, letters of reference and transcript must be returned to the Citrus County Education Foundation’s Scholarship Committee, Attention: Tiffani King, PO Box 2004, Inverness, FL 34451. Applications MUST be received NO LATER than April 7, 2023. If you have any questions, please call Tiffani King at (352) 726-1931 x4369.**



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**Procedures:**

1. **All applications must be typed or computer-generated and complete.**
2. **All applications must be returned to the:**

**Citrus County Education Foundation Scholarship Committee**

**Attention: Tiffani King**

**PO Box 2004, Inverness, FL 34451**

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1. **The recipient will be announced at the high school academic awards programs.**

1. **The monetary award will be forwarded to the selected post-secondary institution upon documentation (student ID and proof of registered classes) obtained by the student from the school that the recipient is currently enrolled in.**

**Criteria Checklist:**

**\_\_\_\_\_1. The applicant must be a Citrus County resident of at least one year.**

**\_\_\_\_\_2. The applicant must be a graduating senior.**

**\_\_\_\_\_3. Grades: The transcript of the applicant must be submitted. The transcript must include the current GPA and SAT/ACT scores. Students should have taken academically rigorous courses, and must have earned at least a 3.0 GPA.**

**\_\_\_\_\_4. Leadership Activities: Students must also demonstrate leadership in extracurricular activities.**

**\_\_\_\_\_5. Community Involvement: List all contributions to the community and/or work and/or volunteer experience. Evidence of involvement in community activities may help to document a student's leadership skills.**

**\_\_\_\_\_6. It is preferred that the applicant demonstrate an aptitude and interest in political science or photography.**

**\_\_\_\_\_7. References:**

**a. Two (2) letters of reference are required.**

**b. References may come from a teacher, advisor, guidance counselor, school administrator, employer, clergy, a person with whom the student has done volunteer or community work, or any other adult who is aware of the student's leadership skills.**

**\_\_\_\_\_8. Essay (300 words or less): Each applicant must write an essay explaining why the student is seeking this scholarship, why the student wants to attend college and the student’s goals for the future.**