

## *Chautauqua Fallen Heroes Fund Scholarship*



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### Application Process

1. Interested students should complete application and submit to their Guidance Departments by April 1st.
2. Student must meet eligibility requirements.
3. If multiple applications are received within a district, the Guidance Department should forward to the Heroes Committee the one application that best meets the criteria below. Only one application per district will be accepted and reviewed by the Heroes Committee.
4. Each Guidance Department should forward one application to the "Chautauqua Fallen Heroes Fund Committee" c/o NCCF, 212 Lake Shore Drive West in Dunkirk (14048) by April 15th.
5. Of the applications received by the deadline, two (2) recipients will be selected.
6. Guidance Departments & recipients will be notified by July 1st.

### Who is eligible to apply?

1. Student must be graduating from one of the school districts within Chautauqua County
2. Student must be pursuing higher education in one of the three areas:
  - a. Law Enforcement (including corrections officer),
  - b. Firefighting,
  - or c. Emergency Medical Services.

### What are the criteria for selecting the recipients?

1. Chances of success in chosen field
2. Essay (quality, neatness and sincerity)
3. Volunteer service
4. School Record



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# Scholarship Application

## CHAUTAUQUA FALLEN HEROES FUND

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

School District: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Guidance Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_

Chosen field of study: \_\_\_\_\_

School you plan on attending: \_\_\_\_\_  
(include address)

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\_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted:  Yes  No

Volunteer Activities: \_\_\_\_\_

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★ Essay:

*In 500 words or less, please write an essay explaining why you have chosen the career path you have. Please attach your essay to this application form.*