



2016-2017 Student Scholarship

Applications **MUST** be received at the Board of Education Non-Teaching Employees (BENTE) Union Office: **BENTE/AFSCME Local 2419, 1600 Lyell Avenue, Suite One, Upper Level, Rochester NY 14606; (585) 458-8670, Fax: (585) 458-2665**, by Friday, May 19, 2017, and marked **ATTN: Dan DiClemente, President**.

The Board of Education Non-Teaching Employees Union represents 1,200 support staff workers in the Rochester City School District in the areas of Transportation, Clerical, School Safety Officers, Maintenance, Custodial, Occupational and Physical Therapy, Storehouse, Food Service, and Project Workers. *“The Support Staff That Supports Students!”*

BENTE will award two \$500 scholarships to two Rochester City School students in an effort to help him/her to purchase books upon receipt of a college acceptance letter.

All applicants will receive an acknowledgement from the BENTE Union.
Final decision will be made by Tuesday, May 26, 2017.

A rating system of 100 points will be used in determining the winner:

1. Up to 30 points: Academic Performance (must attach transcript)
2. Up to 35 points: Biographical Information and Statement of Need
Applicants Essay/Letter of Career Interest
3. Up to 20 points: Recommendations by Counselors and/or Teachers
4. Up to 15 points: Community/Extra-Curricular Involvement
(Applicant is encouraged to attach a separate sheet and list all activities during his/her high school career.)

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**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION/QUESTIONS, ETC
PLEASE CONTACT DAN DICLEMENTE at 458-8670**

Board of Education Non-Teaching Employees (BENTE)

Scholarship Guidelines

Name _____ Home Telephone Number (____) _____

Home Address _____

FUTURE PLANS

- An applicant for this scholarship must have applied for or been admitted to an accredited vocational school, business school, two year college, or a four-year college with the intention of preparing for a career.
- List schools to which you have applied:

- Have you been accepted? Yes No
- If yes, list school, date of acceptance, and major:

School: _____

Date of Acceptance: _____

Signature: _____

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

In addition to completing this form, please submit the following:

- Official transcript of grades
- Biographical Information and Statement of Need
- A minimum of three (3) counselor and/or teacher recommendations
- Community and extra-curricular activities

**Board of Education Non-Teaching Employees
(BENTE)
STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP
BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION AND STATEMENT OF NEED**

1. Applicant's Name _____
2. Father's Name _____ Mother's Name _____
3. Father's Address _____
4. Mother's Address _____
5. Father's Occupation _____ Mother's Occupation _____
6. Number of dependent siblings and their ages _____
7. Number of dependent siblings/parents also attending college _____
8. Will you have other assistance (social security benefits, etc.)? Yes No
9. Have you received any other scholarships and/or financial aid? If so, please list below:

Source	Amount
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

10. How much additional assistance do you feel you will need to continue your education after graduating from high school? _____
 11. What is your chosen major? _____
 12. What are your career plans? _____
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13. Please check the range of your family's annual income:
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Below \$15,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$25,000-\$29,999 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$40,000-\$44,999 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$15,000-\$19,999 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$30,000-\$34,999 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$45,000-\$49,999 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$20,000-\$24,999 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$35,000-\$39,999 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000 or above |

14. I, the applicant, certify that the above is true and correct.

Signature _____
Date