



## **Fort Mill Rotary Club**

### *Interact Leadership Scholarship 2020*

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**PURPOSE:** This scholarship seeks to encourage active leadership in the Interact clubs at each high school. The Fort Mill Rotary Club desires to support strong student leadership at each club. Strong Interact clubs promote international understanding and goodwill, develop leadership skills and personal integrity, and demonstrate helpfulness and respect for others.

**Applicants should demonstrate their leadership development and involvement to promote and strengthen their Interact Club.**

**ELIGIBILITY:** To be eligible, candidates shall be a graduating Fort Mill High School or Nation Ford High School student which meets the following requirements:

- Have been accepted at an accredited two- or four-year institution of higher learning;
- Any major;
- Have a minimum 2.5 GPA (on either weighted or unweighted scale);
- Provide an unofficial transcript high school course work to date;
- SAT/Act score reported on application;
- Evidence of community service and/or extra-curricular activities;
- Provide a 500 word essay that reflects and demonstrates leadership experience with Interact
- Recommendation by Interact Sponsor and/or Administrator

**SELECTION PROCESS:** A committee composed of a Fort Mill High School/Nation Ford High School administrator, a guidance counselor, scholarship sponsor/family member, and a teacher will review applications and essays select a winner.

**AMOUNT:** One \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior at Fort Mill High School and Nation Ford High School.

**APPLICATION:** Applicants are to complete and submit the application attached. In addition, applicants are to submit a 500 word essay that reflects and demonstrates applicant's leadership experience with Interact. Return the application and supporting material to Guidance no later than **March 1, 2020**.

**DISBURSEMENT:** The scholarship check will be made payable and sent directly to the university or college upon receipt of the Student Scholarship Acceptance Form (provided at award notification). Recipients will be announced at the Fort Mill High School and Nation Ford High School Academic Awards Ceremonies in May.

# Fort Mill Rotary Club Interact Leadership Scholarship Application

Name (print) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone # & Cell #'s \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Names \_\_\_\_\_

School of Study/Curriculum Cluster \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_ SAT/ACT Score \_\_\_\_\_

Extracurricular Activities (list or attach separately) \_\_\_\_\_

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University, College or Technical School You Plan to Attend \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Major \_\_\_\_\_

Career Plans \_\_\_\_\_

I, (the applicant) do hereby attest that to the best of my knowledge the information on the application and associated attachments is true and correct.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

