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Soroptimist International of Helena New Adventures Educational Scholarship Instructions and Application

Soroptimist International of the Americas was founded October 3, 1921, in Oakland, CA. From the beginning, it has grown to the world's largest classified service organization consisting of professional and businesswomen with members in 120 countries around the world. SI of Helena intends to award up to two \$1,000 New Adventures Educational Scholarships.

Payment of Scholarship:

The scholarship will be disbursed directly to the institution in one lump sum. Winners will need to provide Soroptimist International of Helena the name of the school you will be attending and your student ID or other documentation to substantiate your enrollment, within 30 days of receiving notification of scholarship.

Step 1: Determine if you are eligible

This award is open to a senior high school woman who:

1. Resides in the tri-county area of Lewis & Clark, Broadwater, and Jefferson counties
2. Is enrolled or has been accepted to a vocational/skills training program or similar non-traditional career program, or 2-year degree program
3. Is motivated to achieve your education and career goals
4. Has NOT previously been the recipient of a Soroptimist International of Helena award
5. Is not a Soroptimist member or immediate family member

Step 2: Tell us about yourself

Fill out the scholarship application telling us about yourself. Your information will be kept confidential and shared only with the evaluators.

Step 3: Ask people to tell us about you

You will need two different people – who are not related to you – to provide references. The references are to be returned with your application.

Step 4: Submit your application

Mail your application and two references to the address listed below postmarked by January 31st. Incomplete applications, applications received without references, and applications received after the deadline will not be considered.

SI of Helena
Attn: New Adventures Educational Scholarship
PO Box 1216
Helena, MT 59624

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PART 1: Basic Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

PART 2: What Are Your Education and Career Goals?

- A. Name of School or training program you are attending or have been accepted to.

- B. What are you studying? (Ex: Auto Mechanics, Carpentry, Massage Therapy or another non-four-year career.)

- C. When will you complete your studies (month and year)?

- D. Briefly please tell us about your career goals. Give specifics about how your education and training supports these goals and how this scholarship will help you achieve your educational goals.

- E. Tell us about your financial situation. This scholarship recipients are chosen in part based on financial need. Please share basic information about your monthly income and expenses. What scholarships or financial aid have you applied for or received. Please be as exact as you can.

PART 3: Agreement

Please read the following information carefully. When you type your name below, you are agreeing to what you have read.

- I certify that all the information provided in this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I will notify Soroptimist International of Helena (SI) if there are any changes.
- I certify that this is the only application I have made in any format or to any address this year for a New Adventures Educational Scholarship.
- I understand that my application may be submitted electronically for evaluation.
- I understand that my application becomes the property of SI of Helena. The application will be considered confidential unless the applicant grants SI Helena written permission to release personal information for the purpose of publicizing the award.

By typing or signing your name below, you adhere to the above requirements.

Signature of applicant

Date

How did you hear about the New Adventures Educational Scholarship?

Check all that apply:

____ A local Soroptimist club

____ A friend, relative, or co-worker

____ A career counselor or advisor at my school

____ Social media

____ A flyer posted in my community

____ Internet search

____ Searchable database of scholarships: _____

____ Other: _____





Soroptimist is a global volunteer organization that provides women and girls with access to the education and training they need to achieve economic empowerment.

Soroptimist Media Consent Form

I hereby grant permission to Soroptimist International of Helena to use my name, likeness and or voice for all publicity purposes and in any media format. Media formats include but are limited to various print, digital, video & social media outlets.

Name (print) _____

If above person is under 18 years of age:

Parent/Guardian Name (print) _____

Signature _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Date _____
