



**APPLICATION DEADLINE IS APRIL 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2024**  
**YMCA Fairfax County Reston Triangle Scholarship Award**

Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_

**TRIANGLE AWARD APPLICATION**

Application postmark deadline: April 1st, 2024

**Application Guidelines**

The YMCA Triangle Award Scholarship is presented each year to a high school senior who exemplifies the YMCA core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility. The recipient must have a minimum 2.5 grade point average and be involved in extracurricular activities at their school and in their local community. The \$1,000 scholarship award recipient will be chosen by April 5th and the award will be presented at our Community Fundraising Soirée Event on April 13th.

**To apply: Student must complete applicant information; provide a list of extracurricular activities, awards, honors and work experience; complete a one-page essay; and have an adult offer a character reference.**

Email your completed application (with essay and character reference) to:  
[Bianca.Moskaitis@ymcadc.org](mailto:Bianca.Moskaitis@ymcadc.org)

**Applicant Information**

Last Name	First	Middle Initial
Home Mailing Address		Apartment#
City	State	Zip
Phone	Email Address	





### Work Experience

Describe your work experience during high school (e.g. food server, camp counselor, office work, cut grass, babysit). Indicate dates of employment for each job and approximate number of hours worked each week.

Employer/Position	From (Mo/Yr)	To (Mo/Yr)	Hours/Wk

### Post-Graduation Plan

Please tell us what you plan to do to further your education after you graduate from high school.

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## Outstanding Achievement

Describe in detail one outstanding, non-academic achievement that demonstrated one or all core values of the YMCA: caring, honesty, responsibility, respect. Your achievement may be an activity or project in school, in your community, or at work.

Please be sure to include the following in your essay:

1. Summarize your outstanding achievement in two to three sentences.
2. What challenges did you face? How did you meet those challenges?
3. How did your choices and actions demonstrate core values of caring, honesty, respect and/or responsibility?
4. What impact did your achievement have on you personally? Your family? Your school? Your community?

Essay limit is one page on 8 ½ x 11 paper. If typing your essay, use a 12-point font size. If writing your response by hand, please print legibly. Include your name on your essay, and don't forget to submit it with the application.

## Character Reference

A personal reference must be completed by an unrelated adult who is familiar with your extracurricular activities, community service and overall character. Give the following page of the application to the person who can attest to your achievements and demonstrated character of caring, honesty, responsibility and respect. Be sure to get the information page and reference before the deadline and submit all together. Deadline to submit is April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024.



**To the Reference:**

You have been asked to describe your observations of the applicant's outstanding achievements through extracurricular and community activities.

On an additional sheet(s) of 8 1/2 x 11 paper, please describe how you have witnessed the student's character of caring, honesty, responsibility and respect demonstrated through these activities.

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Reference: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

How long have you know the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

In what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_