



2026
Plain City Business Association
Scholarship Application

Application:

Section 1: Personal Information

Name:
Address:
City, State, Zip:
Phone:
E-mail:
School you currently attend:
College you plan to attend:
Expected major/field of study:

Section 2: Essay

Please answer the following question with a typed, double-spaced essay, and no more than 500 words.

- What does leadership mean to you, and how do you envision yourself leading in the future?

As the Plain City Business Association's 2026 theme centers on *Creating Positivity and Connectivity* within the business community, please also describe how you have fostered positivity and meaningful connections in your life — and/or how you plan to cultivate them moving forward.

Section 3: Video

Please submit a video, no longer than one minute, introducing yourself. Feel free to share your interests, hobbies, community involvement, and future plans. Let us get to know you!

Section 4: Guidelines

Eligibility:

- Entrants must be graduating in the 2026 year from Jonathan Alder High School, Fairbanks High School, Shekinah Christian School or Tolles Technical Center; one scholarship submission per entrant.
- You do not need to be a Business Major to apply.

Submission Details:

- All parts of the application must be completed.
- The essay question must be answered with no more than 500 words.
- The video should not be longer than one minute.
- All submissions will be evaluated on grammar, composition and content.
- **Return your completed application form, essay and video by April 24th to Tonya Woodruff, Union County Chamber of Commerce, at twoodruff@unioncounty.org.**
- You will receive a confirmation email upon receipt of your application.

Liability:

- The Plain City Business Association is not responsible for any lost submissions.

Disqualifications:

- The Plain City Business Association has the right to disqualify any applicant(s) who do not follow the scholarship application guidelines and eligibility.

Award Details:

- One applicant will receive a \$1000 scholarship. The funds will be granted to the scholarship winner in a check made payable to you or the school of your choice.
- If possible, attend the Plain City Business Association meeting on May 27th to receive your award.

Judging Details:

- Successfully completed applications received by the deadline will be reviewed by the Plain City Business Association board based on how well they have addressed the essay question and information provided on the video. Winners will be notified by email and/or phone no later than May 15th.