



® Optimist International of Reno, Nevada

## Education Excellence Scholarship 2020

Optimist International of Reno is proud to announce the Education Excellence 2020 Scholarship Opportunity for eighth grade students. Five \$1600 scholarships will be awarded to students in the northern Nevada schools who are recognized for their educational achievements and their overall demonstration of optimism in their school and community.

### Applicants must:

- Be thirteen (13) years of age
- Be legal citizens of the fifty (50) United States or the District of Columbia
- Be currently enrolled in a Nevada middle school in the 8th grade

### Student Applications must include:

- Scholarship Application
- Recommendation letter from teacher or school administrator
- Student 200-500 word essay on the importance of education excellence
- Official Copy of School Transcript
- Resume of Awards, Extracurricular Activities and Services
- School Picture



### Application Deadline:

February 21, 2020 at 11:59 pm Pacific Standard Time

### Reference: Optimist International Scholarship Application

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### Awards: To be announced in March 16, 2020

All decisions are final. Students applying must have the consent of their parents and recommendation of at least one member of the teaching staff.



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## 2020 Scholarship Application Form

*Print and use this cover page for the application package.*

<b>First and Last Name</b>		<b>Date:</b>	
<b>Mailing Address</b>			
<b>Date of Birth</b>			
<b>School Name</b>		<b>Website</b>	
<b>Middle School Principal Name</b>		<b>Phone</b>	
		<b>Email</b>	
<b>Recommending Teacher Name</b>		<b>Phone</b>	
		<b>Email</b>	
<p>By signing this scholarship application, parent agrees to submit this information, provide a press release and photo to acknowledge the student achievement, and support Optimist International of Reno in a recognition session with all students. Scholarships and distribution methods are subject. Scholarships may be rescinded if student elects not to pursue post secondary school training or college. Terms and conditions for receiving scholarship will be provided upon scholarship decision and notification of award.</p>			
<b>Guardian or Parent Signature</b>		<b>Student is US Citizen and legal citizen</b>	<b>Yes ____ No ____</b>
<b>Approve Photo and Press Release Parent Address</b>		<b>Grade</b>	
<b>Parent Phone</b>		<b>Parent Email</b>	

**Check List:** Initial all verified and completed attachments.

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- \_\_\_\_\_ Student Picture, authorized and released for publication