

The Kurt M. Chenowith Memorial Foundation  
College Scholarship 2020 Application Packet

Purpose of the Scholarship:

This scholarship was created in memory of Kurt M. Chenowith, a 2003 graduate of Fallston High School. Kurt was a former volunteer at the Fallston Fire Department, and career firefighter with Baltimore County. He was a friend to everyone and the first person to offer help to someone in need. At the time of his death, he was continuing his education at the University of Baltimore. He was a man with many dreams, and we believe that had he been given the chance, he could have accomplished amazing things. These scholarships are designed to offer \$1,000.00 for up to three male and three female students in both Harford and Baltimore Counties. To receive this scholarship you must be selfless, courageous and have a desire to help others.

ELIGIBILITY:

To be eligible to apply for the 2020 Kurt M. Chenowith memorial scholarship a student must:

- Graduate from a Harford or Baltimore County high school with an unweighted GPA between 2.0 and 3.75
- Provide verification of enrollment to an accredited two or four year college or technical school
- Complete the ENTIRE application and personally write the essay
- Be a United States Citizen
- Include a letter of recommendation

**ALL SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS AND ATTACHMENTS MUST ACCOMPANY THE COMPLETED APPLICATION AND BE RECEIVED BY FEBRUARY 14, 2020**

Scholarship application process:

The application process will attempt to have student representation from all Harford and Baltimore County high schools. The competitive process will be based on your essay, resume, and letters of reference. The selection committee will be looking for individuals who have demonstrated themselves to be upstanding members of their community. The committee will review all of the information supplied in the application including the GPA, However of more importance is the weight that is allocated towards the essay portion of the application and the letter of recommendation completed by a peer.

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Your full application will have these completed items:

Complete Application Form

Official High School Transcript

Essay (250-1000 words MAXIMUM)

Please note that proper essay form and grammar is necessary!!!

Student Résumé

Unweighted GPA between 2.0 and 3.75

Letter of Recommendation

Mail all application materials to:

The Kurt M. Chenowith Memorial Foundation

1800 Cosner Road

Forest Hill, MD 21050

Applications can also be e-mailed to [KMCMemorial@yahoo.com](mailto:KMCMemorial@yahoo.com)

\*\* Please note that this mailbox will be checked every day. This is a private residence; please do not deliver anything to the front door

**THE APPLICATION DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 14, 2020. THIS WILL NOT BE EXTENDED FOR WEATHER OR ANY OTHER EVENTS. PLEASE PLAN AHEAD!**

Only the school and/or recipients of the awards will be notified by April 3, 2020. We regret that we will be unable to notify all applicants

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The Kurt M. Chenowith Scholarship Application

Applicants Information:

Name:

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Street Address:

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Current Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female

School Information:

Please list all colleges that you have applied to:

Please list all colleges that you have been accepted to:

Please state your intended major:

Please note, in the event that you are awarded this scholarship the Foundation must receive notice from your chosen school by August 3, 2020.

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Unsung hero: noun, a person who makes a substantive yet unrecognized contribution; a person whose bravery is unknown or unacknowledged

Using proper grammar and in correct essay form, please explain why someone would consider you to be an unsung hero. How have your activities or actions positively influenced your community? This should be 250-1000 words MAXIMUM!

When writing this, please keep in mind what an unsung hero is!

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2020 Résumé

Please list any and all extracurricular activities that you participate in. These do not need to be associated with your school.

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