

Shelby County Tourism & Visitors Bureau Scholarship Honoring Charles M. Kramer

Application Deadline: April 1, 2024

The ShelbyKY Tourism & Visitors Bureau Scholarship is designed to assist a Shelby County student who intends to pursue a postsecondary degree in tourism/hospitality, equine studies, communications or advertising/marketing degree and have a career in Shelby County. The scholarship will be awarded to pay tuition toward a degree at an accredited institution.

The \$10,000.00 scholarship will be awarded to one student to be determined by a committee of the Shelby County Tourism Commission. The scholarship stipends are paid to the institution one time at the beginning of the first term and are non-renewable. The scholarship must be used during the year for which it was presented, or it will be awarded to an alternate applicant.

Eligibility

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

1. The applicant must be a senior.
2. The applicant must successfully be on track to graduate in May of 2024.
3. The applicant must be a Shelby County, KY resident.
4. The applicant must express a desire in obtaining a career in Shelby County following their postsecondary training.
5. The applicant must be accepted into a program at an accredited institution related to their area of study.

Regulations

Each applicant must submit the following:

1. A ShelbyKY Tourism & Visitors Bureau Scholarship Application
2. An official high school transcript
3. A resume (not to exceed two pages) including the following:
 - (a) Personal Information
 - (b) Career Objective
 - (c) School and Community Activities
 - (d) Work Experience
4. A 500-word essay explaining need of scholarship and desire to work in the tourism/hospitality, marketing/advertising, communication/public relations or equine industries.
5. Three signed letters of recommendation (non-family)

Applicants failing to submit the required materials will not be considered.

Procedure

Each application will be reviewed by a panel of judges from the ShelbyKY Tourism Commission & Visitors Bureau Workforce Committee. Selection will be made on the basis of the application, resume and scholastic performance. Winner and alternate(s) will be selected. The completed scholarship application, transcript, and resume must be received or postmarked by **April 1, 2024**. All materials must be submitted in one envelope at the same time or the applicant will be disqualified.

Mail to:

ShelbyKY Tourism & Visitors Bureau
219 7th St.
Shelbyville, KY 40065

Applicant's Name _____

ShelbyKY Tourism & Visitors Bureau Scholarship Honoring Charles M. Kramer

Students Name _____

Phone _____ Email Address _____

Parent(s) or Guardian of Applicant

Address _____

Phone _____ Email Address _____

Father / Guardians Employer _____

Gross Yearly Income _____

Mother's / Guardians Employer _____

Gross Yearly Income _____

Number of Siblings' Living at Home _____ Ages _____

Applicant's Employer (if working)

Address _____

Phone _____

Technical School or College Attending

Address _____

Major Field of Study _____

Financial Aid Receiving (include KEES money):

Scholarships _____ Amount _____

_____ Amount _____

_____ Amount _____

_____ Amount _____

Grants/Loans _____ Amount _____

_____ Amount _____