



Outstanding Young Women of 2024

Submission Packet Guidelines

Your submission and references must be postmarked no later than Friday, January 12, 2024

Place your name at the top of each sheet you submit.

1. At the top of the first page of your application materials, place the following: your complete name; evening telephone; your parents first and last names; address; email most often read; date of birth; your high school; intended academic focus/career aspiration(s); name and address of local newspaper.
2. We require a copy of your high school transcript to be submitted with your application and references. Please note if your school does or does not rank its students.
3. Briefly list your high school academic accomplishments (include honor societies, academic awards, special achievement tests, advanced placement classes/tests, and academic competitions, etc.). Clearly note any related leadership responsibilities/offices held.
4. Describe in (no more than 150 words) your anticipated course of study and current career interests, including whether and how you plan to be active in volunteer or community organizations. Please provide the word count at the end of your answer.
5. Describe in (no more than 200 words) (a) your leadership experience, and (b) what you find most rewarding or valuable about your participation in these activities. Please provide the word count at the end of your answer.
6. Describe in (no more than 200 words) the activities in which you participate as a volunteer that benefit other causes and any leadership roles you have had in those activities. Please include with these activities a description of any experience in local government, international or other projects. Please provide the word count at the end of your answer.
7. Describe in (no more than 150 words) the activities you participate in which increase your experience, knowledge and understanding of other countries and their different customs. Please provide the word count at the end of your answer.
8. Describe in (no more than 300 words) your experience in empowering women through service and advocacy. Are there any issues which hinder women's empowerment in the country? Describe your ideas for resolving them. Please provide the word count at the end of your answer.

REFERENCES:

Two signed letters of reference are required:

#1 - a high school educator/administrator familiar with your leadership/academic/service/extracurricular accomplishments #2 - an educator/administrator or a personal reference

Both of your reference letters must be submitted at the same time as your application. You may have your guidance counselor proof your application and submit the application for you. **Your application packet must be submitted by or postmarked no later than January 12, 2024.** Packets may be submitted via email or USPS. Packets should be emailed/sent to Christine Jackson, 6811 Steitz Road, Powell, OH 43065, or tjssf@columbus.rr.com.