

Friends of the Andover Library

Scholarship Application

The Friends of the Andover Public Library Scholarship is open to any junior and senior in high school, who plans to continue their education at an accredited college or trade school. You must have demonstrated community involvement by volunteering or working at the Andover Library. If all information is turned in by February 28, 2025, you may be eligible for the one \$500 scholarship. The Friends of the Andover Public Library has the right to choose none, one or maybe more recipients from the qualified entries received.

Name _____

Address: _____

Applicant's Phone Number _____

Hours you volunteer at the Andover Public Library: (mark all that apply)

Freshman _____ Sophomore _____ Junior _____ Senior _____

Total Volunteer Hours at the Andover Library: _____ What grade are you in? _____

Timeframe when you worked at the Andover Library: _____

Requirements to Complete the Application:

1. Complete this application, please sign and date.
2. Attach a reference letter completed by someone not associated with the Library or a family relative. The letter must include name and telephone number of the reference letter author.
3. Attach an essay on the following topic. **Essay Topic** – Please include reasons for pursuing your volunteer experience. How will this experience enhance your future personal and professional development? What makes the best applicant for this scholarship? Please type the essay for easier evaluation.
4. To be considered or eligible for the Friends \$500 scholarship – please return this completed application, your reference letter and your completed essay, all in a sealed envelope to the library front desk. If you are selected, the library staff or Friends board member will notify you.

X _____

Applicant signature

Date

For office use: Volunteer Appraisal completed by the Volunteer Coordinator _____

Date rec'd: _____ Hours verified: _____ Meet all requirements: _____

Notes: _____
