Churchville-Chili Scholarships

Frequently Asked Ouestions

1) O: What qualifies as a Liberal Arts School?

A: A liberal arts college or liberal arts institution of higher education is a <u>college</u> with an emphasis on undergraduate study in the liberal arts and sciences. A university is NOT a Liberal Arts College. When in doubt, check your college website for clarification.

2) O: Should I use my school email?

A: Yes, please use your school issued email address and check it daily for communications regarding any questions we may need clarification on.

- 3) Q: Does Psychology fall under the STEM science major?
 - A: No. Unfortunately, it does not qualify as a science major.
- 4) Q: If I submitted but need to fix something, can I go back in or can it be reopened for me to fix?
 - A: NO you must finish everything before you can submit. Only one submission.
- 5) Q: Is there a certain size font and type for the essays?
 - A: One page double spaced, 12 pt., Times New Roman.
- 6) Q: How do I distinguish what essay is for what scholarship in my upload?
 - A: Be sure to put the name of the specific essay on the top of the page.
- 7) Q: How do I know if I am in the top 10% of the class now that we no longer have ranking on our transcripts?
 - A: You can email your counselor or Mrs. Martin for this information.
- 8) Q: What if students have questions over February recess since the deadline is during it?

A: Email Mrs. DeWald at cdewald@cccsd.org for any questions you have from February 12 until the deadline of February 17.

9) Q: Can I use the same letter of recommendation that I received for my college submission?

A: No, your letters of recommendation for college, specifically speak on entrance into college, not being nominated for a scholarship. Ask a new teacher for a letter specific for scholarship purposes or ask the teacher who wrote your letter for college to "tweak" their wording to reflect the scholarship nomination. REMEMBER, there is not a lot of time to get these letters, so ask someone right away so they have enough time to support your efforts in applying for these scholarships.

10) Q: What if my teacher or recommender wants to keep their letter confidential? How can I upload that into the google doc?

A: Your recommenders have every right to keep their letter confidential and they can send it to Mrs. Martin in the College and Career Center and she will get it to the scholarship committee.