Mission Statement
The mission of the BBB’s Educational Scholarship Program is to provide information and develop resources that promote and build awareness of ethical business practices and marketplace trust to consumers and businesses.

Overview
- The Ethics & Integrity Scholarship Program provides five $1,000 one-year, post-secondary scholarships to graduating high school seniors. Applicants must be employed by or be the child or grandchild of the owner or employees of an Accredited Business. For the purposes of this Scholarship Program a child is defined as a son, daughter, grandson or granddaughter.

- Be a high school senior, with a primary residence in Columbiana, Mahoning or Trumbull County.

- Have plans to attend a college, university, community college or trade school in the year immediately following high school graduation.

- Required materials must be postmarked or emailed by May 1, 2019.

- Be available on June 13, 2019 to receive the scholarship award at the BBB’s Torch Award luncheon.

- Participate in a publicity program supporting the Scholarship Program.
Better Business Bureau®
Ethics & Integrity Scholarship Program
Columbiana, Mahoning & Trumbull Counties

Entry Information
Each applicant is required to submit the following:

- A 500-word essay about the meaning of “ethics” and “integrity” to the applicant.

- One recommendation from the student’s school, community representative or employer providing examples of leadership and community service work and their recommendation for the student to receive the scholarship.

- High school GPA of 3.0 (most recent high school transcript with grades required.)

Judging
BBB’s Executive Committee shall appoint a panel of judges. This panel will be composed of Board Directors and BBB staff. Scholarships shall be awarded based on points awarded by the judges utilizing the following criteria: Leadership Skills, 15 points, Community Service, 15 points, Academic Achievement, 15 points, Essay, 55 points.

Awards
Five $1,000 one-year scholarships will be available to award. The institution that the awardee selects to attend must be accredited by a recognized accreditation organization.

The scholarship money:

- Will be sent directly to the institution that the recipient has been confirmed as attending.

- Must be used to pay for tuition and/or books and other educational materials.

If the student does not attend an institution in the year following the scholarship award, the award is forfeited by that student. The judging panel may direct the scholarship to be awarded to another applicant.

Scholarship winners will be notified by the Community Foundation of the Mahoning Valley on how to submit invoices for payment to their selected educational institutions.
Applicants may printout this page or type the required information onto a cover sheet to include when submitting their application. The required materials must be postmarked or emailed by May 1, 2019 for consideration.

Applicant’s Information

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Required Materials Checklist:
- Completed application
- Letter of recommendation describing leadership/community service
- High school transcript with grades
- Written essay

Please send applications to Better Business Bureau Attn: Scholarship 201 East Commerce St. Suite 137, Youngstown, OH 44503 or email melissa@youngstown.bbb.org.