



TarTan Gordon Setter Club, Inc Scholarship Program

Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your inquiry about a scholarship and request for an application. This biographical information form, when returned with the four essays, constitutes an application. There is no age limitation for applicants.

DO NOT USE YOUR NAME on any of the four requested essays. We use control numbers and provide your essays to be read “blind” by three judges from the TarTan Gordon Setter Club. Please **TYPE** your essays. We understand your desire to explain your accomplishments, career goals, and current needs, but ask that you avoid “wordiness” and be as direct as possible. Be sure to include the requested information for each essay. Each of the four essays is weighted equally. Grammar and spelling may influence a judge’s perception of you so please pay attention to those areas as well.

DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS IS MAY 31st in the year of entrance for which you are applying. We will notify all applicants of results during the summer. Please return your essays and application to me at the address below.

GOOD LUCK!

Sincerely,

Candice Bell

TarTan Gordon Setter Club, Inc
4 Stepping Stone Drive
Broad Brook, CT 06016

Scholarship Application and Instructions

Control#
(Office use only)
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NAME: _____

RESIDENCE: _____

PHONE#: _____

REG. NAME OF GORDON SETTER: _____

REGISTRY: _____ REG #: _____

OWNER OF GORDON SETTER: _____

Educational Institution or Grad School: _____

Entering Fall of (year): _____

Year Entering This Fall (Circle one): Junior Senior Post Graduate

Other Post High School Institutions Attended: _____

Current Major Field of Study: _____

PLEASE ADDRESS THE FOLLOWING FOUR TOPICS ON FOUR SEPARATE LETTER SIZE SHEETS OF PAPER. THESE SHOULD BE TYPED AND THEY MAY BE SINGLE OR DOUBLE SPACED ON EACH PAGE, BUT USE ONLY ONE PAGE PER ESSAY. PLEASE TITLE EACH PAGE APPROPRIATELY:

ACADEMICS - In this essay please address your current academic interest. List your strong points and weaknesses, and your cumulative grade point average to date. Describe your past and present course load, honors, commendations, and academic achievements. What are your career interests, goals, and potential use of your major?

EXTRA CURRICULAR – In this essay please detail your extra curricular activities, past and present; political, cultural, athletic, social, youth, volunteer, and other activities. Describe leadership positions and account significant events that shaped your life and career choices.

FINANCIAL NEED – In this essay please provide a detailed statement of your financial need, including costs for tuition, room and board, etc. Also, please provide a detailed list of any new or existing scholarships by dollar amount that will aid you in the upcoming year, whether paid to you or the school.

SELF HELP – In this essay, **do not** duplicate the essay on financial need. Describe what you are doing to help pay for your education, past and present. Describe jobs, other work experience, and any college work-study programs. List any student loans you have acquired, or will acquire.