PURPOSE:  The Clive Chamber of Commerce scholarships are provided to give financial aid to assist a graduating high school senior to further his/her education above the high school level.

REQUIREMENTS:  Must be a graduating 2019 High School Senior in the West Des Moines or Waukee School District planning to further his/her education at an accredited vocational technical college, a community college or a 4 year university. Submit a letter of recommendation from an educator or community representative. It is required that the applicant has a relative who is a Clive Chamber of Commerce Member, or a relative who works for a Clive Chamber Member in good standing. (A complete list of members can be found online: www.clivechamber.org under Directory)

DEADLINE:  The completed application must be submitted to the Clive Chamber of Commerce no later than January 15, 2019 at 5 pm.

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name: _______________________________________________________________________________
Address: _____________________________________________________________________________
Email: _______________________________________________________________________________
Phone: _______________________________________________________________________________
Chamber Member’s Name or Business you are associated with: _________________________________
_____________________________________________________________________________________

High School: _________________________________________________________________________
College/University planning to attend: _____________________________________________________
Major: _______________________________________________________________________________

Educator or Community Recommendation Letter written by: _________________________________

Applicants for the Clive Chamber of Commerce scholarships are evaluated based on the following. Please attach your short essay answers.

School Activities/Service:
Name school services and activities in which you have been involved.

Community Service:
Name community service activities in which you have been involved.

Leadership Experience:
Name and describe leadership and activity positions, both in and out of school, where you have participated.

Future Plans:
Write a 200 word essay on your plans for the future, after completing your education.
Submit:
Submit your application and accompanying documentation to the Clive Chamber of Commerce, Scholarship Committee, 1900 NW 114th Street, Clive, IA 50325 or email to info@clivechamber.org on later than January 15, 2019 at 5 pm.

Awards:
The Clive Chamber of Commerce will award two $1000 scholarships. Scholarships are presented at the Chamber’s Annual Dinner which will be held on Wednesday, February 27, 2019.

Certification and Permission to release “Recipient Information” to announce scholarship winners:
In submitting this application, I certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Falsification of information will result in the termination of any scholarship monies granted.

I agree that when I am offered and accept an award from the Clive Chamber of Commerce it may use my name, photograph or likeness, the name of my community, the name and address of my school, the amount of the award, and the name of the postsecondary institution I will attend (my “Recipient Information”) in press releases, public announcements, and other fundraising and promotional materials in all media, to advance nonprofit objectives of the Clive Chamber of Commerce.

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For more information regarding this scholarship application, please contact Kristy Schmidt, Executive Director at the Clive Chamber of Commerce directly at 515-222-5295 or by email at kschmidt@clivechamber.org.