



Plains
COMMERCE BANK

Scholarship Application

Name _____ Birthdate _____
Home Address _____ Phone _____
City/State/Zip _____
Parent/Guardian _____ Phone _____
Address (if different from above) _____
Name of School currently attending _____
Graduation Date _____ GPA _____
College or Post secondary school _____
Intended major or area of interest _____

Your application will be evaluated based on the following areas:

1. **Activities/Community Involvement**

Include a typewritten summary, outlining school, extracurricular, civic, religious, volunteer and special interest activities. Briefly describe your involvement in each activity, including amount of time devoted to each activity. List work history, length of employment at each position and number of hours worked.

2. **Character**

Write a brief essay describing yourself, including your goals, values and why you feel you are deserving of this scholarship. Attach two personal recommendations regarding character, dependability and other distinguishing characteristics of the applicant.

3. **Need**

Briefly describe your need for this Scholarship.

4. **Academic**

GPA is not a primary consideration for this scholarship. We encourage all students, regardless of GPA, to apply for this scholarship.

Finalists may be asked to appear for a personal interview.

This scholarship is only available to graduating high school seniors who attend an accredited South Dakota college, university, vocational technical school or community college on a full-time basis.

Student, or their parent(s), must be a customer of Plains Commerce Bank.

All applications must be submitted to your local Plains Commerce Bank by April 1, 2010.