**MONROE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION**

**2024 – 2025 Scholarship Application Fund**

**$1000.00 Scholarship Award**

**Eligibility Requirements:**

Attend high school within Monroe County with plans to graduate in 2025 and have an interest in pursuing education in a law-related field (i.e.: lawyer, legal assistant or paralegal, court reporter, law enforcement or corrections officer, criminology teacher).

**Application Instructions:**

Please fill out this application completely and legibly. You may fill out this form and enter your information or type your answers on a separate sheet to include as an attachment.

Completed applications with all required information must be received by April 15, 2025. Please email to [admin@monroecountybar.net](mailto:admin@monroecountybar.net). One scholarship will be awarded county-wide.

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| ***Your Name and Address*** | | ***Name of Parent/Guardian*** | |
| **Name:** |  | **Name:** |  |
| **Address:** |  | **Address:** |  |
| **City/State/Zip:** |  | **City/State/Zip:** |  |
| **Telephone:** |  | **Telephone:** |  |
| **E-mail:** |  | **E-mail:** |  |

College, university, or vocational school you plan to attend:

Have you been accepted to the above college, university, vocational school, etc.?

Program/areas of study you intend to pursue:

**Supporting Material:**

***The 2025 Scholarship Theme is “The U.S. Legal System.”*** In a double-spaced essay, 500 words minimum on a separate piece of paper, please address the following:

* Explain, in your own, why you think the legal system is important. What do you think works in our legal system and what do you think can be improved upon?
* Where do you see yourself in the legal system in the future, and what do you hope to achieve?

***Other Information to be Provided:***

1. Please attach a resume listing your extracurricular and community service activities, including leadership positions held and awards earned.
2. Please attach one letter of recommendation from a current or former teacher.

**Academic Information:**

Please list your highest SAT and/or ACT score, as well as your cumulative GPA, and have your counselor or principal verify this information:

Highest SAT Score: Highest ACT Score: Unweighted GPA:

Verification Signature:

Title:

Date:

Applicant’s Signature:

Date: