



## Malcolm Ritzer Memorial Scholarship Application

### Description

Malcolm was a history teacher and coach at Clackamas High School for twenty-seven years. This scholarship is intended for a graduating CHS senior with a 2.5 GPA or higher, who wants to attend community college, a four-year college or university or technical school and demonstrates financial need.

### Purpose

Malcolm loved his years teaching and mentoring his students. Compassion, kindness, empathy and willingness to go above and beyond to help others not as fortunate are qualities Malcolm admired most in his students.

This scholarship is aimed at students who have struggled early in their high school experience but showed growth and a desire to pursue higher education.

### Application Process (for high school seniors)

Applicants must submit as two separate documents:

- 1) A Counselor Recommendation Form
- 2) A document answering the following questions:
  - a. Applicant's Name
  - b. Applicant's Home Address
  - c. Applicant's Phone Number
  - d. Applicant's Email
  - e. Name of High School
  - f. High School Student ID Number
  - g. Cumulative GPA
  - h. List any other scholarships you have applied for or received and their amounts.
  - i. What institutions are you likely to attend? – for each, list the school and its location.
  - j. What is your intended area of study?
  - k. Please write a short essay explaining any previous struggles in high-school and how you came to the decision to pursue further education (approximately 500 words).
  - l. Please write a short essay describing a time you have helped someone in need of support (approximately 500 words).

Letters of reference are encouraged but not required.

All required forms are located at [nc-foundation.org/applications](http://nc-foundation.org/applications)

Applications are due according to the date listed on website and should be filled out electronically or submitted to [ncefscholarships@gmail.com](mailto:ncefscholarships@gmail.com)

Contact [ncfoundation@nclack.k12.or.us](mailto:ncfoundation@nclack.k12.or.us) with any questions.