

St. John Fisher College
2012 Service Scholarship Application

Instructions to the Candidate:

1. Please save this blank scholarship application to your desktop by clicking “file”, “save as”, with following naming procedure: ***Your Last Name, Your First Name, Service***
Example: Doe, John, Service. Close the PDF form and exit the website.
Then, open the saved scholarship application from your desktop and complete the form.
2. Email the completed form as an attachment to servicescholarships@sjfc.edu by January 15, 2012. Remember to keep a copy for your records.
3. All candidates for the Fisher Service Scholars Program must also file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by February 15, 2012. The Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) Application (NY State residents only) should be filed as soon as it is received by the student from New York State Higher Education Services Corporation.
4. Finalists will be contacted for an interview. Recipients will be notified no later than March 31, 2012.

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

High School: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Intended College Major: _____

Please enter the total number of community service hours you have performed in your freshman, sophomore and junior years, as well as the total number of community service hours you expect to perform in your senior year. Community service is defined as service to non-profit organizations (school, town, church), where a volunteer activity is performed for no compensation to satisfy a need. Club or youth group meetings, music practices, and department office work ***do not*** count for community service hours; events resulting from the above ***do*** count for service hours. At least 50 hours per year are recommended.

Overall Total # of Service Hours in Freshman year: _____
Overall Total # of Service Hours in Sophomore year: _____
Overall Total # of Service Hours in Junior year: _____
Overall Total # of Service Hours in Senior year: _____

Please answer each of the following questions in the spaces provided. Each answer should be no more than 500 words.

1. Why are you involved in community service? Briefly describe 2 or 3 of your community service activities (be specific). Explain why you consider these activities to be meaningful. What effect did the activity have on the organization, and how did the service work impact you?

2. Based on your previous service experiences, what contributions will you make to St. John Fisher College and to the service scholars program? What will your legacy be after four years in the service scholars program? (Answer to Question 2 should be different than your answer to Question 1.)