

**ROXBURY SCHOOLS PTA'S**  
**ELLA WINK DILLON SCHOLARSHIP**

**CRITERIA:**

1. One or more scholarships are offered dependent upon available funds. Applicants must be a current resident, a graduate of **Eisenhower Middle School**, and be a member of the current Roxbury High School graduating class.
2. The scholarship is awarded on the basis of the qualities of character, leadership, scholastic ability, participation in school and community extra-curricular activities and financial need.
3. The scholarship committee is comprised of PTA members representing all Roxbury Elementary Schools and is chaired by Eisenhower Middle School PTA.
4. To be considered, an application **MUST** include the following:
  - A fully completed application. Please type or print legibly and answer as honestly and accurately as possible. (All applications remain confidential)
  - The applicant's official high school transcript
  - The applicant's response to the essay question. Your response must be your own original work and follow the guidelines set out in the application form.
5. Semifinalists will be expected to attend one further interview session TO BE ANNOUNCED AT A LATER DATE.

**DEADLINE:** Your application must be in the Guidance Office on or before **MARCH 22, 2010.**

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**A. School/Career Information**

Probable Major \_\_\_\_\_ Career Goal \_\_\_\_\_

<u>Name and location of School/College</u>	<u>Accepted</u>	<u>Total Cost/year (check catalog)</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> . _____	_____	_____
2 <sup>nd</sup> . _____	_____	_____
3 <sup>rd</sup> . _____	_____	_____

Please provide reason for selecting your first choice of school or college: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Financial Information**

List other scholarships or grants that you have applied for:

<u>Name of Scholarship/Grant</u>	<u>Amount Applied For</u>	<u>Amount Granted</u>
1. _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
2. _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
3. _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

Expenses:

Calculate total expenses for the first year for the school or college you are most likely to attend.

(Include tuition, fees, room & board, transportation, etc.) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**C. References**

Provide the name and phone number of two references, **excluding** members of your family.

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If you had home responsibilities which prohibited you from working, please explain.

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**F. List members of your household excluding you and your parents/guardians. DO NOT USE NAMES**

Relationship	Age	School Attending (if any)
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Describe any family circumstances or financial problems which might be important to the scholarship committee.

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**G. Essay Question**

***“If you had the authority to change your school in a positive way, what specific change(s) would you make?”***

Please attach your response to the above question to your application. **PLEASE DO NOT EXCEED ONE TYPED PAGE, DOUBLE SPACED.** Any essays over one page will not be considered!