

#### S.A.V.E. ENVIRONMENTAL LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP

# **Organization:**

S.A.V.E. is the acronym for Science Alliance for Valuing the Environment, INC. It is a 501 c (3) non-profit organization founded in 1990 as an educational consortium for environmental sustainability. Our mission is to foster a personal awareness and respect for the interrelatedness of ecology, spirituality and sustainability. (<a href="https://www.sciencealliancesave.org">www.sciencealliancesave.org</a>)

## **Scholarships:**

A scholarship is a merit-based monetary amount awarded to students based on their academic achievements, extracurricular activities field of study and more. This S.A.V.E. scholarship is awarded to students who have an intense interest in the environment and protecting our Earth for future generations. In alignment with S.A.V.E.'s Mission, the linking of ecology, spirituality and sustainability are key points considered when judging the student's material.

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**Amount**: \$500.00 offered as a one-time award per student.

**Number**: 2 Scholarships per year

#### **Purpose:**

The S.A.V.E Environmental Leadership Scholarship awards \$500 to each of two high school seniors to use during their first year at an accredited college or university of their choice. The scholarship may be used for tuition, books, and fees. The purpose of this scholarship is to encourage students to follow a life path committed to working for the environment making life better for future generations.

## **Qualifications:**

- Must be a graduating senior in Northwest Ohio or Southeast Michigan.
- Must be enrolled in an accredited college or university in 2024.
- Has an educational plan to major in an environmental studies program, an environmental science program, or any course of study in which the environment and care for the Earth plays an integral part such as art, religion, sociology etc.

Applications Accepted: Beginning Friday, February 9, 2024

Application Deadline: Friday, April 12, 2024

### **Requirements:**

• Submit a 500-word essay in #12 font addressing the following question:

"What do you see is the greatest environmental concern today and what would you like to do about it?"

- Complete and submit the Application Form for this Scholarship seen on the S.A.V.E. website.
- Submit a letter of recommendation by an administrator or faculty member.
- Must provide proof of college/university enrollment before receiving funds.

**<u>Committee Selection</u>**: Qualified S.A.V.E. members will judge the entries.

### Deadline:

- Complete Application Packets are due at the S.A.V.E. Office by Friday, April 12, 2024.
- Awardees will be notified on Friday, May 3, 2024.

#### **Student Awards**:

- Awardees will receive a check for \$500.00.
- Awardees will receive a certificate and a one-year S.A.V.E. membership.
- Awardees will be invited to the S.A.V.E. Awards Night on May 14, 2024.