[Your Name] [Your Address] [City, State, Zip Code] [Email Address] [Phone Number] [Date] [Scholarship Committee Name] [Scholarship Program Name] [Organization/Institution Name] [Address] [City, State, Zip Code] Dear [Scholarship Committee Name/Specific Name if known], I am writing to express my sincere interest in the [Scholarship Program Name] and to formally request consideration for this merit-based scholarship. I am currently a [your year, e.g., sophomore] pursuing a degree in [your major] at [your institution], and I have demonstrated strong academic performance, leadership skills, and a commitment to community service throughout my educational journey. As a [briefly describe your academic achievements, e.g., GPA, honors, relevant coursework], I have worked diligently to maintain a high standard of excellence in my studies. Additionally, I have taken on leadership roles in [describe extracurricular activities, organizations, or projects], where I have developed crucial skills such as [mention skills related to leadership, teamwork, etc.]. I am particularly drawn to [include a reason related to the scholarship program or the organization's values/goals] and believe that this scholarship would greatly assist me in achieving my academic and career aspirations. It would not only alleviate financial burdens, allowing me to focus on my studies, but also enable me to [mention any specific goals related to the scholarship, such as contributing to the community or advancing in your field]. Enclosed are my academic transcripts and letters of recommendation from [mention who the letters are from, e.g., teachers, mentors] that speak to my qualifications and character. I appreciate your consideration of my application and look forward to the possibility of being awarded the [Scholarship Program Name]. Thank you for your time and support. Sincerely, [Your Name]