Clarksville Sunrise Rotary Study Abroad Scholarship Guidelines

The Clarksville Sunrise Rotary Club supports The Rotary Foundation's ultimate goal of world understanding and peace by establishing a study-abroad scholarship for qualified Austin Peay State University students. The goals of the scholarship are to:

- Increase awareness of and respect for cultural differences by sending APSU students to study in a different country and encouraging students to integrate their experiences into community enrichment programs.
- Encourage students to dedicate their personal and professional lives to improving the quality of life for the people of their home community and country.
- Develop leaders who can address the humanitarian needs of the world community.
- Foster a lifelong association between Rotary and its scholarship recipients.

The scholarship award is a maximum of $1,000 per year.

**Application Deadline:**
Applicants must apply by March 1.

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Student must have a strong academic background and have achieved at least a cumulative 2.5 GPA at the time of application.
- Preference will be given to applicants who have not already participated in a study-abroad experience.

**Application process:**
1. Complete the application for Clarksville Sunrise Rotary Study-Abroad Scholarship (below).
2. Obtain the signature of the coordinator of your study-abroad program.
3. Obtain a **sealed**, official transcript from the Office of the Registrar and attach the sealed envelope to your application.
4. Write a letter detailing your reasons for studying abroad and how you plan to use this experience for the betterment of local and world-wide communities.
5. Write a resume listing any leadership experience, community service activities, special recognitions, and achievements.
6. Drop off the application at Miller Hall, RM 223 or mail the application along with the current academic transcript, letter, and resume to:
   - Austin Peay State University
   - Office of Study Abroad and International Exchange
   - P.O. Box 4485
   - Clarksville, TN 37044
7. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered for awards.
Clarksville Sunrise Rotary Study Abroad Scholarship Application

I: Application

Name ___________________________________ APSU Banner ID # __________________________

Email address: ___________________________ Phone number: __________________________

Major: _________________________________ Minor: _________________________________

Cumulative GPA: ___________ Expected graduation date:________________________

List expected FUTURE study-abroad or exchange program experiences.
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List any PREVIOUS study-abroad or exchange program experiences.
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Is this study-abroad course a requirement for your major? Yes No

Is this study-abroad course a requirement for your minor? Yes No

II: Attachments

☐ Copy of your current official academic transcript in a sealed envelope.
☐ Letter detailing your reasons for studying abroad and how you plan to use this experience for the betterment of local and world-wide communities.
☐ Resume listing any leadership experience, community service activities, special recognitions, and achievements.

I affirm that the above information is true and correct. I understand that in case I fail to enroll and participate in the study abroad program, my award will be withdrawn and I will repay the amount received to the Sunrise Rotary Club Foundation fund.

Applicant’s signature ___________________________ Date ________________

Study-Abroad program coordinator’s signature ___________________________ Date ________________