

# OPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL ESSAY CONTEST

## **ELIGIBILITY:**

- Grade 10, 11 or 12.
- Must be under age of 19

### **CRITERIA:**

- Complete application
- Write an original essay on the topic: "How My Acts of Service Help Me Understand What My Community Means to Me"
- Essay must be between 700 800 words.

#### **VALUE:**

- \$2500.00
- Cash prizes

### **DEADLINE:**

• January 10, 2026

**Applications are Available on Student Services D2L** 

**Shell OR at:** <a href="https://www.optimist.org/member/scholarships3.cfm">https://www.optimist.org/member/scholarships3.cfm</a>

Send completed applications to:

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