



Young Women's Essay Application Rules

This annual award recognizes 11th grade young women in Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky public high schools who demonstrate their potential leadership ability through their response to the following essay question. Leading Women will host the first; second and third place winners and three guests at our Annual Leading Women, Inc. Recognition Luncheon in March, 2010.

The first place winner will receive a \$1,000 educational award, second place winner a \$750 educational award and the third place winner a \$500 educational award to the college or continuing education facility of their choice.

Scholarship Criteria

1. A one page, typed essay 500 words or less response to the following question will be the criteria for the awards:

“Women have assumed positions of power traditionally held by men. How do you view the importance of the changing roles of women locally, regionally or globally?”

2. Select a woman you consider to be a leader. Please include the leadership skills they exhibit that you admire and why. Your answer can include comments on how women in leadership positions can create new opportunities for young women, like yourself.
3. Your response should include your own educational and/or career aspirations.
4. Only 11th grade young women from Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky public high schools are eligible. There is NO grade point average criteria.

The Young Women's Recognition Committee of Leading Women, Inc. will select the winners. All essays must be faxed, emailed or mailed with this application form to: Leading Women Young Scholars, fax number 513-221-4510, emailed to drjoanjones@aol.com or LACarrComm@aol.com no later than **January 16, 2010 by 5 PM**. Please address questions to Co-Chairs: Joan Jones at 513-769-6557 or to Laura Carr at 513-281-5035. Applications can also be mailed to Leading Women, Young Women's Scholarship, 10155 Kingsport, Cincinnati, OH 45242.

Winners will be notified by February 1, 2010. The winner and two guests will be invited to participate in the Leading Women's recognition luncheon.

**Joan Jones, Chair
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Name _____ Birthdate _____

Parents or Guardian _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____

High School _____ Major _____

Teacher or Counselor's Name and Telephone Number:

STUDENTS: Please write a brief statement about your continuing education goals and attach it to your application.

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