



**BRENTWOOD BALDWIN WHITEHALL
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
2012 EDUCATIONAL GRANT**

The 2012 Brentwood Baldwin Whitehall Chamber of Commerce Educational Grant will be presented to one student from the Baldwin High School and one student from the Brentwood High School District (a \$1,000 scholarship for each senior student).

Candidates for the grant should demonstrate exceptional accomplishments in a wide range of endeavors both inside and outside of school. This grant is intended to recognize contributions a student has made to the business community and academic achievement. To be eligible for the grant, the student must meet the following criteria:

- Demonstrated achievement in a business or related activity through employment, apprenticeship experiences, entrepreneurial ventures, or voluntary service
- Involvement in community service activities
- Average or above scholastic achievement in school
- Demonstrated commitment to school, business activity, and community service
- Has applied / been accepted to a post secondary school

GUIDELINES TO BE APPLIED IN THE SELECTION PROCESS

- Entries must be in essay form. Judging will consider: focus on content, organization of ideas, style and conventions.

Entries will be evaluated by the Small Business Development Center at the Katz Graduate School of Business, University of Pittsburgh.

Scholarships will be presented at the April 5, 2012 Brentwood Baldwin Whitehall Chamber of Commerce luncheon.



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Complete the following information and submit with your written essay:

Student attends: Brentwood High School Baldwin High School

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-mail address: _____

Please answer the following questions in essay form. Applications for the grant must include this cover sheet and completed essays. Judging will consider: focus on content, organization of ideas, style and conventions. Completed applications should be sent via email to secretary@bbwchamber.com, or mailed to the Brentwood Baldwin Whitehall Chamber of Commerce, 3501 Brownsville Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15227 or delivered to the Brentwood Library to be placed in the chamber mailbox. **Deadline for application is February 28, 2012.**

Please answer the following in essay format:

- Describe how you have demonstrated achievement in a business or related activity through employment, apprenticeship experiences, entrepreneurial ventures, or voluntary service.
- Describe your involvement in community service activities.
- Explain how you have demonstrated commitment to school, business activity, and community service.
- What are your post secondary education plans?