**The Real Deal A Family’s Guide To College**

**Book Scholarship Award**

**About the Award**

The Real Deal Book Scholarship is intended to financially assist deserving, qualified high school, college and Graduate Students. The minimum scholarship award is $200 per candidate. Scholarship recipients will be invited to The Real Deal Anniversary Celebration/ Book launch event to be held in late Summer 2022. **The Deadline is May 1, 2022** Three Awards will be given out to the following:

**High School Senior**

 Graduating from high school in 2021.

 Have a minimum cumulative GPA 2.5.

Involvement in sports or extracurricular activities

**Graduate Student**

 Currently pursuing a Masters, ED, JD, or PHD.

 Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0.

Involvement in social, civic or community organizations

**Currently Enrolled Undergraduate Student**

 Currently pursuing a Bachelor’s Degree

 Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5

Involvement in sports, social, civic or community organizations

**Supporting Documents Required** (All Applicants)

 \* Completed scholarship application

 \* 500 word essay (typed & double spaced)

 \* Involvement Form

 \* 1 Recommendation Letter

 \* Official transcript (with seal) documenting the applicable high school or university course work, can be sent directly from school or

 Be included in the application packets, but must be sealed with the school stamped. Applications can be mailed to

 **Lisa Lyons**

**C/O The Real Deal Book Scholarship**

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 **Chicago, IL 60629**

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*Book Scholarship Application*

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Student status: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduating High School Senior

 \_\_\_\_\_ Currently enrolled Undergraduate Student

 \_\_\_\_\_ Graduate Student

Total Credit: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Hours Earned: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Minor: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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*Involvement Form and Essay Prompt*

***Please list all sports, social, civic, and community involvement***

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**Essay Prompt (**Must be typed doubled spaced 500 word essay)

Can you tell us about a time you failed? What did you learn from that experience?

Attach the supporting documentation as requested on page 1.