The Rotary Club of Marco Island Sunrise provides scholarships to graduating seniors from Collier County high schools. In order to apply for a scholarship the standard Collier County Public School (CCPS) Scholarship Application is used, CCPS Financial Information Form, a part of that application, must be completed and a copy of the most recent 1040 tax return attached, as in part scholarships are need based.

The applications are reviewed by the scholarship committee who focuses on grades, test scores, and outside activities to determine if an applicant’s goals are reasonable and also what schools they are applying for and have been accepted to. Sunrise Rotary has awarded local high school graduates over $600,000 in scholarships over a number of years. Scholarships usually range from 4 years of up to $10,000 total to 2 years of $2,000. The number of scholarships awarded is based on the amount of funds available in a given year and the applicant pool. While in college a student is expected to carry not less than 13 credits per semester and have grades that show reasonable progress toward their goal. We have funded students in Vo-Tech schools as well. Applications are submitted thru your school guidance counselor. Applications are due April 13rd.