

# **\*\*\*Attention Local Students\*\*\***

Compete for a Post-Secondary Education **Scholarship** of  
**\$2,500**

***How?*** Enter the **Optimist International Essay Contest**

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You must contact the Optimists named above to determine your eligibility, to register for the contest and get the set of rules.

***Essay Topic: "Optimism: How it Connects Us"***

***Number of words? 700-800***

## ***Who Can Enter?***

- Local students under the age of 19 (as of October 1, 2023)
- Who are part of the area served by the Optimist Club of Mitchell and
- Who have not yet completed secondary school or its equivalent

***Following successful registration, deadline to submit essay  
is February 4, 2024.***

***Good Luck!***