

scholarship application



Mediacom[®]
WORLD
CLASS SCHOLARS
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM



Just like most families, the Mediacom family believes in the importance of higher education. As a corporation with strong community roots, we want to support the higher education of our customers.

For this reason, we formed World Class – The Mediacom Scholarship Program to help graduating high school students with their college expenses, such as tuition and books.

Through the World Class program, Mediacom awards \$1,000 scholarships to winning applicants.

Scholarship Application Checklist

Before you send in your application materials, please make sure you have included the following:

- Completed application with your signature and the signature of your school guidance counselor.
- A copy of your high school transcript.
- Your essay of no more than 500 words, typed and double spaced.
- The references of one educator at your school and one community member, using pages 9 and 10 of this application.
- Mail all application materials postmarked on or before January 31, 2024.



Retain a copy of the above documents for your records. Incomplete packets will be rejected automatically.

The selection of scholarship recipients is based on:

Leadership: based on self-reliance, initiative, problem-solving and creative ability in school and out, as reflected in the applicant's personal essay.

Essay prompts include:

- Explain a time you stood up for what you believe in.
- Write about your experience achieving a personal accomplishment that is unrelated to academics.
- Describe a unique family circumstance you may have encountered and how it affected you.
- Talk about a person (nonrelative) in your life who has helped you understand yourself better.
- How did you work through a crucial time in your life? And how did your perspective on life change after it?
- If you could have one superpower, what would it be and how would you use it?
- Write a story about what it would be like to have an animal sidekick in real life.
- You find a message in a bottle with very specific directions. Write about the adventure you embark upon.
- Create an essay of your own preference.

Additional determining factors include:

- Participation in school activities.
- References from one school educator and one from someone in your community.
- Participation in community activities.*

*Including any volunteer opportunities, clubs, organizations, or part-time jobs in your community.

Completed application materials should be postmarked on or before January 31, 2024, and sent to:

Mediacom
World Class – The Mediacom
Scholarship Program
3737 Westown Parkway, Suite 2A
West Des Moines, IA 50266

Questions may be sent to:

scholarship@mediacomcc.com.

A PDF file of the application may be downloaded at www.mediacomworldclass.com.

Eligibility requirements:

Children of directors, officers, employees or agents of Mediacom are not eligible.

Applicants must be legal residents of a community that is being served by Mediacom (see list on pages 6-8).

Scholarship awardees may attend any accredited two-year or four-year college, university, technical or vocational school within the United States.

Applicants must intend to pursue a course of study at a qualified post-secondary institution.

Applicants must be accepted by the qualified post-secondary institution prior to actually receiving a scholarship.

Applicants must commence their post-secondary education or training in the first academic year following their senior year of high school.

Applicants must be in their senior year of high school, must be high school graduates or persons who have achieved equivalent certification. If an applicant is awarded a scholarship while in his or her senior year of high school and does not graduate at the end of his or her senior year, he or she is no longer eligible to receive a scholarship.

Students completing high school in fewer than the normal four years are eligible to apply.

Students entering a qualified post-secondary institution in the middle of their senior high school year are permitted to apply the following year.

All scholarships will be awarded without regard to race, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, political affiliation or social or economic status.

Scholarships are not renewable.

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PLEASE READ THIS SECTION ON IMPORTANT TIPS BEFORE GOING ANY FURTHER.

- Use the correct application – photocopies are allowed. Do not use an application from a previous year.
- Print neatly or type your application as clearly as possible.
- Make sure to include city, state and zip code. Do not use abbreviations in regard to your city.
- Supply an active email address or phone number, including area code, where you can be reached in case of questions.
- Put your full name on the top right hand corner of every page of every item in the packet.
- Fill in all blanks on the application. If it does not apply to you, use N/A (not applicable).
- References must be made using the reference forms. Must have two references. Additional letters of reference will be accepted.
- Make sure all required items are included. If any part is missing, you may be disqualified.
- Make a copy of your completed application packet for your records.
- **USE AT LEAST A 9" X 11" ENVELOPE. DO NOT FOLD THE APPLICATION.**
- **DO NOT USE STAPLES.** You may use paper clips.
- **DO NOT PUT THE APPLICATION IN A BINDER OR FOLDER.** This will be removed and disposed of before going to the judges.
- **DO NOT INCLUDE A PHOTOGRAPH WITH YOUR APPLICATION.** This will be removed and disposed of before going to the judges.
- **Send your application to:**

**Mediacom
World Class – The Mediacom Scholarship Program
3737 Westown Parkway, Suite 2A
West Des Moines, IA 50266**

How much is the scholarship?

- \$1,000

Who is eligible?

- High school seniors who are graduating in 2024 and live in the areas served by Mediacom are eligible.

How can I be sure if I live in an eligible area?

- If your community is served by Mediacom, you are eligible. There is a list of the towns we serve in the application. A copy is also available online at www.mediacomworldclass.com.

The application says to get two references. Who should I ask for these?

- The school reference should come from teachers, coaches, sponsors, tutors, counselors or anyone who works or worked with you on a day-to-day basis and can vouch for you and your abilities. If you are home schooled, anyone who works with you in an educational, community, church or employment capacity will be accepted as a reference.
- The community reference should come from someone who oversees your volunteer or employment activities, someone from church, or anyone who is aware of the awesome things you do outside of school.

Do I have to use the reference sheets in the application or will letters of recommendation be okay?

- Yes. The reference sheets provided must be filled out.
- You may also include letters of reference in addition to the reference sheets.

Does the copy of the transcript have to be certified?

- If possible, yes, but it does not have to be sealed in a separate envelope. If, however, your school requires a sealed envelope, make sure it is included in the packet you send us. **DO NOT SEND IT SEPARATELY.**

What are you looking for in the essay?

We are looking for a narrative that reflects on your growth as a human being. It should be an interesting story that shares what you have learned and how you use those lessons to help others.

- Avoid making a list of accomplishments, with every sentence starting with "I did..." or "I went..."
- Be creative. Write something that will capture the judges' attention.
- Speak to personal experience(s). This is your story!

Is there anything else I can send that may be helpful to the judges?

- You may also include a list of achievements, awards, accomplishments and school clubs to which you belong. This can be included with the list of community events and organizations with which you are involved. Remember to keep this list separate from your essay.
- You may include a resume listing job experiences and abilities.

What do you mean by community events and organizations?

- This would include church groups, civic groups, volunteer work, Boy or Girl Scouts, Special Olympics, etc., any organization outside of school with which you are currently or have been involved.

What is the deadline for the application?

- The application and all other materials must be postmarked no later than January 31, 2024.

I plan to go to a vocational school. Am I still eligible?

- Yes. Any type of secondary training is eligible.

I will be a sophomore in college next year. Am I eligible?

- Only if you earned your college credits while still in high school.

Is the scholarship renewable?

- No. The World Class Mediacom Scholarship is a one-time, non-renewable award.

My parent works for Mediacom. Am I eligible?

- No.

When will the scholarships be awarded?

- The scholarships will be announced March 1, 2024.

If I am awarded a scholarship, what do I have to do to get the money?

- If you are selected for a scholarship, the committee will notify you by letter. The letter will contain further instructions.

How will the scholarship money be paid?

- The money will be given directly to the students to use as they need for their college expenses. This may be done by mail, or area Mediacom offices may choose to present them. More information will be available after recipients are chosen.

If you have any other questions concerning World Class – The Mediacom Scholarship Program, please contact us at scholarship@mediacomcc.com.

application

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY OR TYPE THE INFORMATION BELOW

Completed application materials should be postmarked on or before January 31th, 2024.

SECTION ONE: *PERSONAL INFORMATION*

Applicant Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone Number _____ Email Address _____

SECTION TWO: *ACADEMIC INFORMATION*

Current School _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone Number _____ Anticipated Graduation Date (Month/Year) _____

Name and signature of high school guidance counselor verifying the academic information above:

Name (please print) _____ Email _____

Signature _____ Date _____

SECTION THREE: *ESSAY*

As part of this application, we ask that you write and attach an original essay of no more than 500 words (typed and double spaced). The essay prompts on page 2 may be used to describe or reflect on events which have led to your personal growth or your desire to use your skills to help others. Be creative! A separate list of honors, awards and accomplishments that you have achieved may be included.

SECTION FOUR: *COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT*

Please list the community events and organizations in which you participate. Include any employment. (attach a separate sheet if needed).

SECTION FIVE: *REFERENCES*

- Make photocopies of the forms on pages 9 and 10. Give a copy to one educator and one member of your community. Once these forms are completed and returned to you, send them with the rest of your application materials.
- Remember to make a copy of all application materials for yourself. The materials you send will not be returned to you. Winners will be posted on the World Class Scholarship website March 1, 2024.

SECTION SIX: *TO BE READ AND SIGNED BY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT*

I hereby declare that all information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge.

The essay is my own work. I also agree to abide by all scholarship policies as detailed in this document.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

communities served

YOU ARE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A SCHOLARSHIP IF YOU LIVE IN A COMMUNITY LISTED BELOW

ALABAMA

ANDALUSIA
ANTIOCH
ARDMORE
ATMORE
AXIS
BABBIE
BALDWIN
BARNWELL
BAY MINETTE
BAYOU LA BATRE
BREWTON
CAMDEN
CAPSHAW
CAROLINA
CITRONELLE
CREOLA
DAPHNE
DOZIER
E. BREWTON
EVERGREEN
EXCEL
FAIRHOPE
FISH RIVER
FOLEY
FORT MORGAN
FRISCO CITY
GANTT
GRAND BAY
GREENSBORO
GULF SHORES
HARMONY
HARVEST
HEATH
HUNTSVILLE
IRVINGTON
JACKSON
KINSTON
LIBERTYVILLE
LINDEN
LIVINGSTON
LOXLEY
MCINTOSH
MCKENZIE
MOBILE
MONROEVILLE
MT. VERNON
ONYCHA
OPP
ORANGE BEACH
PERDIDO BEACH
RED LEVEL
RED OAK
REPTON
RIVER FALLS
ROBERTSDALE
SANFORD
SARALAND
SATSUMA
SEMMES
SILVERHILL
SPANISH COVE
SPANISH FORT
STAPLETON
STRAUGHN
THOMASVILLE
YORK

ARIZONA

AJO
APACHE JUNCTION
GOLD CANYON
NOGALES
QUEEN CREEK
QUEEN VALLEY
RIO RICO
ROCK SHADOWS
SAN TAN VALLEY

CALIFORNIA

BODFISH
CHINA LAKE NAVAL
CLEARLAKE
CLEARLAKE OAKS
INYOKERN
ISABELLA

KELSEYVILLE
KERNVILLE
LAKEPORT
MENIFEE
PAUMA VALLEY
RIDGECREST
SAN PASQUAL
SUN CITY
VALLEY CENTER
WELDON
WOFFORD HEIGHTS

DELAWARE

ANGOLA BY THE BAY
BAYARD
BETHANY BEACH
CLARKSVILLE
DAGSBORO
FRANKFORD
GEORGETOWN
LEISURE POINT
LEWES
LOVE CREEK
MARINERS COVE
MIDDLESEX
MILLSBORO
MILLVILLE
OCEANVIEW
ROXANNA
SELBYVILLE
SOUTH BETHANY

FLORIDA

ALLIGATOR POINT
APALACHICOLA
BAKER
BONIFAY
CAPE SAN BLAS
CARRABELLE
EAST MILTON
EASTPOINT
GADSDEN
GREENSBORO
GRETNA
GULF BREEZE
HAVANA
LANARK VILLAGE
MEXICO BEACH
MILLIGAN
MILTON
PACE
PENSACOLA BEACH
(ESCAMBIA CO)
PORT ST JOE
SANDESTIN
SOUTHPORT
ST GEORGE
ST. GEORGE ISLAND
VERNON
WEWAHITCHKA

GEORGIA

ADEL
ALAPAHA
ALBANY
AMERICUS
ASHBURN
BAINBRIDGE
BROOKS
CAIRO
CAMILLA
CECIL
COLUMBUS
CORDELE
CUTHBERT
DAWSON
DECATUR
DODGE
DONALSONVILLE
EASTMAN
EDISON
ELLAVILLE
ENIGMA
FITZGERALD
HAHIRA
HAZELHURST

HELENA
LAKELAND
LEE
LEESBURG
LENOX
LOWNDES
LUMBER CITY
MC RAE
MEIGS
MITCHELL
MOULTRIE
NASHVILLE
OCILLA
OMEGA
PEARSON
PELHAM
POULAN
RANDOLPH
RAY CITY
REMERTON
SCHLEY
SCOTLAND
SEMINOLE
SHELLMAN
SPARKS
SUMNER
SUMTER
SYCAMORE
SYLVESTER
TELFAIR
TERRELL
THOMAS
THOMASVILLE
TIFT
TIFTON
TURNER
TY TY
VALDOSTA
VIENNA
WILLACOOCHIEE
WORTH

ILLINOIS

ABINGDON
ALBANY
ALEDO
ALEXIS
ALTAMONT
ALTONA
ALTOPASS
ANCHOR
ANDALUSIA
ANDOVER
ANNAWAN
APOLLA ACRES
APPLE RIVER
ARCOLA
ARGYLE
ARTHUR
ASHMORE
ATKINSON
ATLANTA
ATWOOD
AVON
BAYLES LAKE
BAYVIEW GARDENS
BELLFLOWER
BEMENT
BENSON
BIG ROCK
BLOOMINGTON
BRACEVILLE
BRADFORD
BRIMFIELD
BRUCE
BUDA
BUFFALO
BULPIT
BUREAU
BUSH
CALEDONIA
CAMARGO
CAMBRIA
CAMBRIDGE
CANDLEWICK LAKE
CANTRALL

CAPRON
CARBON CLIFF
CARBONDALE
CARTERVILLE
CARTHAGE
CASEY
CERRO GORDO
CHADWICK
CHAMPAIGN
CHAPIN
CHARLESTON
CHATSWORTH
CHEMUNG
CHENOA
CHILLICOTHE
CLARK
CLEARLAKE TRAILER
CLEARLAKE VILLAGE
CLEVELAND
CLINTON
COAL VALLEY
COBDEN
COLES
COLFAX
COLONA
COLP
CORDOVA
CORNELL
CORTLAND
COULTERVILLE
CRAINVILLE
CRAWFORD
CRESCENT CITY
CULLOM
DAKOTA
DALLAS CITY
DANVERS
DAVIS
DAVIS JUNCTION
DAWSON
DE LAND
DEER CREEK
DELAVAN
DESOTO
DEWEY
DOWELL
DOWNS
DUNLAP
DURAND
DWIGHT
EAGLE
EARLVILLE
EAST BROOKLYN
EAST DUBUQUE
EAST MOLINE
EDGEWOOD
EDINBURG
EFFINGHAM
ELBURN
ELDORADO
ELIZABETH
ELKHART
ELKVILLE
ELMWOOD
ELPASO
EMDEN
ENERGY
ERIE
ESSEX
EUREKA
FAIRBURY
FAIRVIEW
FAR HILLS
FARINA
FARMER CITY
FARMINGTON
FAYETTE
FISHER
FORREST
FRANKLIN
FULTON
FYRE LAKE
GALENA
GALVA
GARDEN PRAIRIE
GARRETT

GAYS
GENESEO
GERMAN VALLEY
GERMANTOWN
GIBSON CITY
GIFFORD
GILBERTS
GLASFORD
GODLEY
GOOD HOPE
GOODFIELD
GRANT PARK
GRANVILLE
GREEN ROCK
GREEN VALLEY
GREENUP
GREENVIEW
GRIDLEY
HAMILTON
HAMMOND
HAMPSHIRE
HAMPTON
HANNA CITY
HANOVER
HARRISBURG
HARTSBURG
HARVEL
HEBRON
HECKER
HENDERSON
HENNEPIN
HENRY
HERRIN
HEYWORTH
HILLSDALE
HINCKLEY
HINDSBORO
HOOPPOLE
HOPEDALE
HOPEWELL ESTATES
HUDSON
HUMBOLT
HURST
HUTSONVILLE
IPAVA
IVESDALE
JACKSONVILLE
JEISYVILLE
JO DAVIESS
JOHNSON CITY
KANEVILLE
KANGLEY
KANSAS
KINCAID
KIRKLAND
LACON
LAKE SARA
LAKE SUMMERSET
LAMPLIGHTER
LANARK
LELAND
LENA
LEROY
LEXINGTON
LITTLE SWAN LAKE
LOAMI
LODA
LOMAX
LONDON MILLS
LOUISVILLE
LUDLOW
LYNDON
MACKINAW
MAHOMET
MALTA
MANLIUS
MANSFIELD
MAPLE PARK
MAQUON
MARION
MARK
MARSEILLES
MARSHALL
MARTINSVILLE
MATTOON
MCCONNELL

MCLEAN
MECHANICSBURG
MELVIN
METAMORA
MIDDLEGROVE
MIDDLETOWN
MILAN
MILLEDGEVILLE
MINERAL
MINIER
MINONK
MOBET
MOLINE
MOMENCE
MONROE CENTER
MONTICELLO
MORRISON
MORRISONVILLE
MOUNDS
MT AUBURN
MT. CARROL
MURPHYSBORO
NAPLATE
NAUVOO
NEOGA
NEPONSET
NEW BERLIN
NEW HOLLAND
OAK GROVE
OAK PARK EST
OAKLAND
OBLONG
ODELL
OQUAWKA
ORANGEVILLE
ORION
OSCO
OTTAWA
OTTER CREEK
PALESTINE
PALMER
PAXTON
PEARL CITY
PECATONICA
PESOTUM
PIERSON STATION
PONTIAC
PONTOOSUC
POPLAR GROVE
PORT BYRON
PRAIRIE CITY
PREEMPTION
PRINCEVILLE
PROPHETSTOWN
RANTOUL
RAPIDS CITY
READING
RED BUD
REYNOLDS
RICHMOND
RIDOTT
RINGWOOD
RIVER OAKS
ROANOKE
ROBINSON
ROCK CITY
ROCK ISLAND
ROLLING MEADOWS
ROSEVILLE
ROYALTON
RUTLAND
S JACKSONVILLE VIL-
LAGE
SAN JOSE
SANGAMON CITY
SAUNEMIN
SAVANNA
SAYBROOK
SCALES MOUND
SECOR
SHABBONA
SHANNON
SHEFFIELD
SHELDON
SHERIDAN
SHERRARD/FYR

communities served

YOU ARE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A SCHOLARSHIP IF YOU LIVE IN A COMMUNITY LISTED BELOW

SHIPMAN
SIBLEY
SIGEL
SILVIS
SMITHTON
SMITHVILLE
SOMONAUK
SOUTH WILMINGTON
SPARLAND
SPRING BAY
SPRING GROVE
ST AUGUSTINE
ST DAVID
ST. ELMO
STANDARD
STANFORD
STEWARDSON
STOCKTON
STOY
STRASBURG
STRAWN
STREATOR
STRONGHURST
SUGAR GROVE
SULLIVAN
TAMPICO
TAYLOR RIDGE
TEUTOPOLIS
THOMASBORO
THOMSON
TILDEN
TIMBER RIDGE
TIMBERLANE
TOLEDO
TOLONO
TOLUCA
TOULON
TOVEY
TOWANDA
TUSCOLA
VARNA
VILLA GROVE
VIOLA
WALNUT
WAPELLA
WARREN
WASHBURN
WATAGA
WATERMAN
WATSEKA
WAYNESVILLE
WELDON
WENONA
WEST FRANKFORT
WESTFIELD
WHITEASH
WHITESIDE
WILLIAMSFIELD
WINDSOR
WINNEBAGO
WINSLOW
WOLFE ROAD
WOODLAND
WYOMING
YATES CITY
ZIEGLER

INDIANA
ADAMS LAKE
ALBION
ANGOLA
ARGOS
ASHLEY
AUBURN
AVILLA
BLUFFTON
BOURBON
BREMAN
BROOK
BUTLER
CHURUBUSCO
CLEAR LAKE
COLUMBIA CITY
CROMWELL
CULVER
DECATUR

DEERFIELD APTS
DEWART LAKE
FRANCESVILLE
FREMONT
GARRETT
GOODLAND
GRABILL
GROVERTOWN
HAMILTON
HOWE
HUDSON
INDIAN LAKE
KENDALLVILLE
KENTLAND
KNOX
KOONTZ LAKE
KOSCIUSKO
KOUTS
LACROSSE
LAGRANGE
LAKEVILLE
LAOTTO
LAPAZ
LEESBURG
LEO-CEDARVILLE
LIGONIER
MALDEN
MARSHALL
MEDARYVILLE
MILFORD
MONROE
MONROEVILLE
N. JUDSON
N. LIBERTY
N.MANCHESTER
N.WEBSTER
NAPPANEE
NEW DURHAM
NORTH MANCHESTER
NORTH WEBSTER
PIERCETON
PONETO
ROME CITY
ROSEWOOD MANOR
SAN PIERRE
SCHNEIDER
SKINNER LAKE
SOUTH WHITELY
ST. JOSEPH
SYRACUSE
TIPPECANOE
TOCSIN
TRI LAKES
UNIONDALE
VERA CRUZ
WALKERTON
WANATAH
WARSAW
WATERLOO
WESTVILLE
WHEATFIELD
WOCOTTVILLE

IOWA
ACKLEY
ADEL
AGENCY
ALBIA
ALGONA
ALTA
ALTOONA
AMANA
AMES
ANAMOSA
ANKENY
APLINGTON
ARNOLDS PARK
ASBURY
ATALISSA
ATLANTIC
AUDUBON
AVOCA
BANCROFT
BARNUM
BEACON
BEAMAN

BEDFORD
BELLE PLAINE
BELMOND
BERTRAM
BETTENDORF
BLOOMFIELD
BLUE GRASS
BONDURANT
BOONE
BOONEVILLE
BRITT
BUENA VISTA
BUFFALO
BUFFALO CENTER
BURLINGTON
BURT
BUSSEY
CALHOUN
CALMAR
CAMANCHE
CARLISLE
CARLISLE
CARROLL
CARROLL
CEDAR FALLS
CEDAR RAPIDS
CENTERVILLE
CERRO GORDO
CHARITON
CHARLES CITY
CHARLOTTE
CHEROKEE
CLARINDA
CLARION
CLAYTON
CLEAR LAKE
CLINTON
CLIVE
COLFAX
COLUMBUS CITY
COLUMBUS JUNCTION
CONRAD
CORALVILLE
CORNING
CORDON
CRESCO
CRESTON
CUSHING
DAKOTA CITY
DALLAS
DALLAS CENTER
DANVILLE
DAVENPORT
DECATUR CITY
DECORAH
DELOIT
DENISON
DENVER
DES MOINES
DESOTO
DEWITT
DEXTER
DIKE
DUBUQUE
DUNCAN
DURANT
DYERSVILLE
DYSART
EAGLE GROVE
EARLHAM
EDDYVILLE
EDGEWOOD
ELDON
ELDORA
ELDRIDGE
ELGIN
ELK RUN HEIGHTS
ELKADER
ELMA
EMMETSBURG
EPWORTH
ESSEX
ESTHERVILLE
EVANSDALE
FAIRBANK
FAIRFAX

FAIRFIELD
FARLEY
FAYETTE
FLOYD
FOREST CITY
FORT DODGE
FORT MADISON
FREDERICKSBURG
FREDONIA
FT. ATKINSON
GARNAVILLO
GARNER
GARWIN
GILBERTVILLE
GILMORE CITY
GLADBROOK
GLENWOOD
GLIDDEN
GOOSE LAKE
GRANGER
GREEN MOUNTAIN
GREENFIELD
GRIMES
GRINNELL
GRUNDY CENTER
GUTTENBERG
HAMILTON
HAMPTON
HARLAN
HARPER'S FERRY
HARRIS
HAZELTON
HARTFORD
HIAWATHA
HILLS
HUDSON
HUMBOLDT
HUXLEY
INDEPENDENCE
INDIANOLA
IOWA CITY
IOWA FALLS
JANESVILLE
JASPER
JOHNSTON
KALONA
KELLERTON
KENSETT
KEOKUK
KEOTA
KESWICK
KIRON
KNOXVILLE
LAKE CITY
LAKE PARK
LAKESIDE
LAKOTA
LAMBS GROVE
LAMONI
LANSING
LAPORTE
LAURENS
LE CLAIRE
LE GRAND
LELAND
LEON
LIME SPRINGS
LINN
LISBON
LONE TREE
LONG GROVE
LOVILIA
LOW MOOR
LUCAS
LYNNVILLE
MADRID
MANCHESTER
MANLY
MANSON
MAQUOKETA
MARENGO
MARION
MARQUETTE
MARSHALLTOWN
MASON CITY
MAYNARD

MCCAUSLAND
MCGREGOR
MELCHER
MERSERVEY
MIDDLETOWN
MILES
MITCHELLVILLE
MONROE
MONTICELLO
MONTROSE
MORNING SUN
MOUNT JOY
MT AYR
MT PLEASANT
MT VERNON
NEVADA
NEW ALBIN
NEW HAMPTON
NEW HARTFORD
NEW LONDON
NEW SHARON
NEWHALL
NEWTON
NORTH ENGLISH
NORTH LIBERTY
NORTH TWIN LAKES
NORTHWOOD
NORWALK
NORWAY
OELWEIN
OKOBOJI
ORLEANS
OSAGE
OSCEOLA
OSKALOOSA
OSSIAN
OTTUMWA
OXFORD
OXFORD JCTN
PANORAMA PARK
PARK VIEW
PARKERSBURG
PELLA
PEOSTA
PERRY
PLEASANT HILL
PLEASANT VALLEY
PLEASANTVILLE
POCAHONTAS
POLK CITY
POMEROY
PRAIRIE CITY
PRESTON
PRINCETON
RANDALL
RAYMOND
RED OAK
REDFIELD
REINBECK
RIVERDALE
RIVERSIDE
ROCKWELL
ROCKWELL CITY
RUTLAND
SABULA
SAC CITY
SAGEVILLE
SCHALLER
SCOTT
SHEFFIELD
SHELD AHL
SHELL ROCK
SHENANDOAH
SHOREWOOD ACRES
SHUEYVILLE
SIGOURNEY
SLATER
SOLON
SOUTH ENGLISH
SPENCER
SPILLVILLE
SPIRIT LAKE
STORM LAKE
STORY CITY
STRAWBERRY PT
STUART

SULLY
SUMNER
SWEA CITY
SWISHER
TAMA
TIFFIN
TIPTON
TOLEDO
TRAEER
TRUESDALE
TWIN LAKES
UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS
UNIVERSITY PARK
URBANDALE
VAN METER
VENTURA
VILLISCA
VINTON
WAHPETON
WALCOTT
WAPELLO
WASHBURN
WASHINGTON
WATERLOO
WAUKEE
WUKON
WUKON JCT
WAVERLY
WEBSTER
WEBSTER CITY
WELLMAN
WESLEY
WEST BRANCH
WEST BURLINGTON
WEST DES MOINES
WEST LIBERTY
WEST OKOBOJI
WEST POINT
WEST UNION
WESTWOOD
WHAT CHEER
WILLIAMSBURG
WINDSOR HEIGHTS
WINTERSET
WOODBURN
WOODWARD
WRIGHT
WYOMING

KANSAS

ALTOONA
BALDWIN CITY
BURLINGAME
BURLINGTON
CARBONDALE
EDGERTON
EUREKA
GALENA
GRIDLEY
HAMILTON
LEBO
LEROY
LYNDON
MADISON
MULBERRY
NEW STRAWN
OSAGE CITY
OSWEGO
SCRANTON
THAYER
TORONTO
WELLSVILLE

KENTUCKY

ALBANY
BARREN
BIG CLIFTY
BONNIEVILLE
BROWNSVILLE
BRECKENRIDGE
BURKESVILLE
CADIZ
CALLOWAY
CALVERT CITY

communities served

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CANEYVILLE
CRITTENDEN
CROFTON
CUMBERLAND
EDMONSON CITY
EDMONTON
ELKTON
FORDSVILLE
FREDONIA
GAMALIEL
GUTHRIE
HARDIN
HENDERSON CITY
HOPKINSVILLE
MADISONVILLE
MARION
MARROWBONE
MARSHALL
MILLWOOD
MORGANTOWN
MUMFORDVILLE
NEBO
NORTONVILLE
OAK GROVE
PARK CITY
PEMBROKE
PRINCETON
SALEM
SONORA
ST PAUL
SUMMERSHADE
TOMPKINSVILLE
TRENTON
TRIGG
UPTON
WHITESVILLE

MARYLAND

BERLIN
OCEAN PINES
PITTSVILLE
WILLARDS

MICHIGAN

ALMENA
ANTWERP
MATTAWAN
OSHTEMO

MINNESOTA

ADAMS
APPLETON
ARLINGTON
ATWATER
AURORA
BEAVER BAY
BELGRADE
BELLE PLAINE
BIRD ISLAND
BIWABIK
BLOOMING PRAIRIE
BROOTEN
BROWNSDALE
BROWNSVILLE
BROWNTON
BUFFALO LAKE
BUHL
BUTTERFIELD
CALEDONIA
CALUMET
CANNON FALLS
CANTEBURY ESTATES
CANTON
CARLTON
CHANHASSEN
CHATFIELD
CHISHOLM
CHOKIO
CLARA CITY
CLEVELAND
CLINTON
CLONTARF
CLOQUET
COHASSET
COOK
COLERAINE

COSMOS
CREDIT RIVER
DAKOTA
DANUBE
DARWIN
DAWSON
DEEPHAVEN
DODGE CENTER
DOVER
ELKO
ELLSWORTH
EVELETH
EXCELSIOR
FAIRFAX
FAYAL
FLORENCE
FOUNTAIN
FRANKLIN
FULDA
GAYLORD
GIBBON
GILBERT
GRACEVILLE
GRAND MARAIS
GRAND RAPIDS
GRANITE FALLS
GREENWOOD
GROVE CITY
HADLEY
HAMBURG
HANCOCK
HASSAN VALLEY
HAYFIELD
HECTOR
HENDERSON
HERMANTOWN
HIBBING
HOKAH
HOUSTON
HOWARD LAKE
HOYT LAKES
HUTCHINSON
INDEPENDENCE
IVANHOE
JANESVILLE
KASOTA
KEEWATIN
KENYON
KINNEY
LAFAYETTE
LAKE BENTON
LAKE CITY
LAKE CRYSTAL
LAKE JEFFERSON
LANESBORO
LAPRAIRIE
LE SUEUR
LEROY
LESTER PRAIRIE
LITCHFIELD
LONG LAKE
LONSDALE
LORETTO
LOWER SIOUX
LUVERNE
LYLE
MABEL
MADISON
MANTORVILLE
MAPLE PLAIN
MARBLE
MAYNARD
MCKINLEY
MEDINA
MILFORD
MINNETRISTA
MINNETONKA
MONTGOMERY
MOOSE LAKE
MORRIS
MORTON
MOUND
MOUNTAIN IRON
MOUNTAIN LAKE
NASHWAUK

NEW MARKET
NICOLLET
NORTH REDWOOD
NORWOOD
OLIVIA
ORONO
PAYNSVILLE
PEMBERTON
PETERSON
PIPESTONE
PRESTON
PRIOR LAKE
PROCTOR
REDWOOD FALLS
RIVERSIDE TERRACE
RUSHFORD
SAVAGE
SHOREWOOD
SILVER BAY
SILVER LAKE
SLAYTON
SLEEPY EYE
SPRING GROVE
SPRING LAKE
SPRING PARK
SPRING VALLEY
SPRINGFIELD
ST BONIFACIUS
ST JAMES
ST. CHARLES CITY
ST. PETER
STARBUCK
STEWART
STURGEON LAKE
SUNBURG
SUNRISE VILLA
TACONITE
THOMSON
TONKA BAY
TROSKY
TWO HARBORS
TYLER
VESELI
VICTORIA
VIRGINIA
W.CONCORD
WACONIA
WALDORF
WALTHAM
WASECA
WAYZATA
WEBSTER
WELLS
WEST CONCORD
WHEATON
WINDEMERE
WINNEBAGO
WINSTED
WINTHROP
WOODLAND
WORTHINGTON
WYKOFF
YOUNG AMERICA

MISSOURI

AIRPORT DRIVE
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ALBANY
ANDERSON
APPLETON CITY
ARCHIE
ASH GROVE
AVA
BATTLEFIELD
BETHANY
BILLINGS
BRUNSWICK
BUTLER
CABOOL
CALLAWAY
CAMERON
CARL JUNCTION
CARROLLTON
CARUTHERSVILLE
CASSVILLE

COLUMBIA
CRANE
CRYSTAL LAKES
DIAMOND
DUENWEG
DUQUESNE
EVERTON
EXCELSIOR ESTATES
EXCELSIOR SPRINGS
EXETER
FORSYTH
GOLDEN CITY
GOODMAN
GRANBY
GREENFIELD
HAYTI
HAYTI HEIGHTS
HENRIETTA
HERMANN
HOLTS SUMMIT
HOMESTEAD VILLAGE
JASPER
JEFFERSON CITY
KIMBERLING CITY
LAWSON
LIBERAL
LOCKWOOD
LOWERY CITY
MANSFIELD
MARCELINE
MARSHFIELD
MILLER
MT VERNON
NECK CITY
NEWTONIA
NORBORNE
ORONOGO
OSCEOLA
PURCELL
PURDY
RICHMOND
ROGERSVILLE
SALISBURY
SARCOXIE
SEYMOUR
SPRINGFIELD
STARK CITY
STRAFFORD
WALNUT GROVE
WILLARD
WOOD HEIGHTS

MISSISSIPPI

BAY ST LOUIS
JORDON RIVER SHORES
LUCEDALE
MARCELLUS
MENDON VILLIAGE
PEARLINGTON
WAVELAND
WIGGINS

NORTH CAROLINA

ARROWHEAD
CAMDEN
CHOWAN BEACH
COLERAIN
COLUMBIA
CONWAY
CRESWELL
CURRITUCK
EDENTON
HERTFORD
JACKSON
JAMESVILLE
KELFORD
LEWISTON
PLYMOUTH
POWELLSVILLE
RICH SQUARE
ROPER
ROXOBEL
SEABOARD
SEVERN
TYRRELL

WASHINGTON
WINDSOR
WINFALL
WOODLAND

OHIO

ANTWERP
HICKSVILLE

SOUTH DAKOTA

ARLINGTON
AURORA
BROOKINGS
BRUCE
CASTLEWOOD
COLMAN
DE SMET
EGAN
ELKTON
ESTELLINE
FLANDREAU
HAYTI
LAKE NORDEN
LAKE PRESTON
VOLGA
WHITE

TENNESSEE

ARDMORE
BIG ROCK
DOVER
ELKTON
HUNTLAND

WISCONSIN

ALBANY
ARGYLE
BLANCHARDVILLE
BELMONT
BENTON
BOSCOBEL CITY
BRIDGEPORT
BROOKVIEW
BROWNTOWN
CAMP DOUGLAS
CASHTON
CHASEBURG
COON VALLEY
CRAWFORD CITY
CUBA CITY
DARLINGTON
DESOTA
DESOTO
EAST DUBUQUE
EASTMAN
ELKHORN
ESSMAN & ABLE
FENNIMORE
FERRYVILLE
FOOTVILLE
FORT MCCOY
FREMONT
GAY MILLS
GERMANTOWN
GRANT CITY
GREENFIELD
HAZEL GREEN
HUSTLER
IOLA
LA FARGE
LA CROSSE
MAUSTON
MONTICELLO
MT STERLING
MUSCODA
NECEDAH
NEW LISBON
NORWALK
ONTARIO
ORFORDVILLE
POTOSI
PRAIRIE CITY
PRAIRIE DU CHIEN
READSTOWN
SCANDANAVIA
SENECA

SHELBY
SHULLSBURG
SOLDIERS GROVE
SOUTH WAYNE
STODDARD
SUGAR CREEK
TENNYSON
VIOLA
VIROQUA
WESTBY
WILTON

school references

SCHOOL REFERENCE FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT

The school reference should come from teachers, coaches, sponsors, tutors, counselors or anyone who works or worked with you on a day-to-day basis and can vouch for you and your abilities. If you are home schooled, anyone who works with you in an educational, community, church or employment capacity will be accepted as a reference.

Please print the information below:

Name of Applicant _____

Your Name _____

Your Relationship to the Applicant _____

Please provide a few words of recommendation of the applicant (*we will also accept an attached letter*):

I hereby declare that the above information is accurate to the best of my knowledge and/or opinion.

Signature of Person Completing This Form _____ Date _____

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.



community references

COMMUNITY REFERENCE FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT

The community reference should come from someone who oversees your volunteer or employment activities, someone from church, or anyone who is aware of the awesome things you do outside of school.

Please print the information below:

Name of Applicant _____

Your Name _____

Your Relationship to the Applicant _____

Please provide a few words of recommendation of the applicant (*we will also accept an attached letter*):

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Signature of Person Completing This Form _____ Date _____

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past scholarship winners

2024 Winners

ALABAMA

Nailah Kanyonyo – *Madison*
Finley Ryan – *Richardson* – *Saraland*
John Rice – *Mobile*
Emma Harvell – *Grand Bay*
Katie Davis – *Andalusia*
Arwen Higginbotham – *Monroeville*
Michelle Bossard – *Fairhope*

ARIZONA

Giselle Dominguez – *Apache Junction*

CALIFORNIA

Joseph Gentle – *Kelseyville*
Nancy Alejandra Ruzicka Medina – *Lakeport*

DELAWARE

Bryan Cabrera Icte – *Dagsboro*

FLORIDA

Olivia Yve Lambert – *Pace*
Madalyn Chavarria Service – *Gulf Breeze*
Jacob Herrera – *Navarre*

GEORGIA

Jayden Keaton – *Albany*
Hannah Palmer – *Columbus*
Sophia Hall – *Leesburg*

IOWA

Wilkinson Octa Fuller – *Pella*
Lejla Mehmedovic – *Cedar Falls*
Lilly See – *Mount Vernon*
Elizabeth Thalacker – *Fairfax*
Marii Bell – *Nevada*
Roland Rhomberg – *Mount Vernon*
Elijah Bell – *Granger*
Mason Shepherd – *Ottumwa*
Iqra Rahim – *Ames*
Daelinn Garcia Duran – *Denison*
Lauren Munson – *Shell Rock*
Karina Quetzecua Rubio – *Waterloo*
Emma Deppe – *Winterset*
Harper Mchroy – *Charles City*
Katherine Prichard – *Charles City*
Jack Martin Mendoza Ortiz – *Eagle Grove*
Allison Stick-Mueller – *Long Grove*
Cenady Soenksen – *Goose Lake*
Braedon Pauls – *Maquoketa*
EllaAnna DeSollar – *Peosta*

ILLINOIS

Braden Nuttall – *Clinton*
Mark Wagner – *Toulon*
Fiona Campbell – *Le Roy*
Anlynn Dykstra – *Morrison*
Corynn Holmes – *Moline*
Corinne Francis – *Ottawa*
Sheila Navarrete – *Rantoul*
Bryan Gonzalez – *West Frankfort*

INDIANA

Kaden Manth – *Albion*

KENTUCKY

Rachel McClung – *Princeton*
Kyndra Winters – *Princeton*

MINNESOTA

Elizabeth Schwint – *Sleepy Eye*
Brennan Muhich – *Eveleth*
Colton Mattson – *Hoyt Lakes*
Mari Ryberg – *Buffalo Lake*
Lilia Johnson – *Excelsior*
Adam Thorsen – *Winthrop*
Trishana Maharaj – *Dawson*

MISSOURI

Chapel Dobbs – *Holts Summit*
Brandon Wheeler – *Cameron*

NORTH CAROLINA

Davesha Sutton – *Edenton*

WISCONSIN

Dominic Kreiling – *La Crosse*
Garron Brandt – *New Lisbon*

2022 Winners

ALABAMA

Amberleigh Gibbs – *Loxley*
Zaria Gulley – *Livingston*
Malik Cooper – *Frisco City*
Alex King – *Madison*
Telly Nguyen – *Jackson*

ARIZONA

Maggie Allyn – *Apache Junction*

CALIFORNIA

Bailey Rodriguez – *Lakeport*

DELAWARE

Makenzy Marvel – *Frankford*

FLORIDA

Sage Hall – *Gulf Breeze*
Ruby Tilghman – *Southport*

GEORGIA

Bailee Musgrove – *Valdosta*
Graham Spires – *Lumber City*
Michael Miller – *Bainbridge*
Shantavia Ross – *Ocilla*
Cameron Fonteneaux – *Columbus*
Whitman Shepard – *Nashville*

IOWA

KC Maxalee Keller – *Maquoketa*
Ellie Rickertsen – *Clinton*
Jaide Kueter – *DeWitt*
Anthony Houselog – *Dubuque*
Preston Gaskill – *Spirit Lake*
Jacob Leerar – *Algona*
Nathan Anderson – *Waterloo*
Kendall Jorgensen – *Ankeny*
Mooka Shaw – *Des Moines*
Kyra Lester – *Mitchellville*
Jennifer Leong – *Urbandale*
Uma Dukle – *West Des Moines*
Emma Sperfslage – *Monticello*
Araceli Tapetillo – *Ottumwa*
Kunyu (Kimi) Du – *Cedar Falls*
Lilou Beachy – *Wellman*
Bryan York – *Atlantic*
Lia Scharnau – *Marion*

ILLINOIS

Savannah Smith – *Mahomet*
Anna Garcia – *Galena*
Jovian Pham – *Galena*
Max Hardiek – *Effingham*
Elaine Grant – *Chillicothe*
Peyton Cheek – *Pontiac*
Zainab Maiyaki – *Rock Island*

INDIANA

Kaitlyn Ray – *Kendallville*
Heidi Wilhelm – *Angola*
Jackson Stover – *Leesburg*

KENTUCKY

Alex Shaverin – *Benton*

MINNESOTA

Isaac Enrgrave – *Gaylord*
Alec Langerud – *Worthington*
Kaden Anderson – *Luverne*
Isabella Gallardo – *Wells*
Aaliyah Orso – *Eveleth*
Lydia Jennings – *Caledonia*
Maya Nelson – *Sleepy Eye*

MISSOURI

Logan Mathews – *Jefferson City*
Lauren Reimer – *Carrollton*
Lauren King – *Ava*

NORTH CAROLINA

Aliah Spencer – *Edenton*

SOUTH DAKOTA

Bella Koolmo – *Brookings*

WISCONSIN

Bianca Witzig – *Fennimore*
Stephen Munson – *Soldiers Grove*
Thomas Greany – *LaCrosse*

2021 Winners

ALABAMA

Abigail Boles – *Mobile*
Ashton Haygood – *Daphne*
Chandler Pyron – *Opp*
Chloe Frame – *Huntsville*
James Jeter – *Red Level*
Kathryn Raybon – *Jackson*
Molly Walding – *Fairhope*
William McCrary – *Huntsville*
Zachary Potter – *Monroeville*

ARIZONA

Brianna Bogart – *Apache Junction*

CALIFORNIA

Adelle Priest – *Valley Center*
Quinn Wynacht – *Lakeport*

DELAWARE

Margaret Dawson – *Lewes*

FLORIDA

Katharine Ballard – *Navarre*
Lonni Moorer – *Gulf Breeze*
Rebecca Murphy – *Milton*

GEORGIA

Mary Margaret Tarpley – *Valdosta*

IOWA

Abigail Herrick – *Adel*
Alexa Munsinger – *Shenandoah*
Amelia Sullivan – *Knoxville*
Britta Elsbernd – *Mason City*
Callan Randall – *Norwalk*
Charlotte Barnes – *Bettendorf*
Dallas Blackburn – *Dysart*
Ellen Austin – *Amana*
Ellie Lago – *Storm Lake*
Ethan Hoefler – *Epworth*
Grace Burrett – *New Hampton*
Jaci Webb – *Ankeny*
Julie Cagnard – *Cedar Rapids*
Katelyn Humiston – *Vinton*
Laurel Jenks – *Pleasant Hill*
Lauren Butler – *Fort Dodge*
Natalie Kehrl – *Manchester*
Paige Bily – *Indianola*
Rianne Anderson – *Cherokee*

ILLINOIS

Addison Roberts – *Lena*
Alexander Riley – *Rantoul*
Ethan Garard – *Gibson City*
Grace Engler – *West Frankfort*
Hannah Bauch – *Mt Carroll*
Malia Bierman – *Marion*
Natalie Cutler – *Murphysboro*
Ruchi Patel – *Tuscolah*

INDIANA

Catherine Reynoso – *Bremen*
Mya McClure – *Monroe*

KENTUCKY

Allie DeWeese – *Edmonton*
Ethan Morgan – *Benton*
Jacob Perry – *Henderson*

MARYLAND

Rafe Parsons – *Berlin*

MINNESOTA

Ainslie Robinson – *Luverne*
Austin Hiles – *Winthrop*
Carter Amland – *Madison*
Megan Nelson – *Waseca*

MISSOURI

Sydney Stundebeck – *Salisbury*
Sydney Shepard – *Excelsior Springs*

WISCONSIN

Eden Winga – *La Crosse*
Greta Hein – *Prairie du Chien*
Jaiden Hart – *New Lisbon*
Kendall Laridaen – *Mauston*

2020 Winners

ALABAMA

Anna Racine – *Robertsdale*
Haven Collins – *Thomasville*
James Brazell – *Ardmore*
Lauren Montgomery – *Grand Bay*
Lillie Yazdi – *Daphne*
Lydia Mims – *Frisco City*

ARIZONA

Brooke Gordon – *Apache Junction*

CALIFORNIA

Alessandra Diaz – *Hidden Valley Lake*
Christian Kramer – *Ridgecrest*
Kimiko Walker – *Menifee*

DELAWARE

Madison Johnson – *Selbyville*

FLORIDA

Allison Linkous – *Gulf Breeze*
Erin Ennis – *Pace*

GEORGIA

Clark Cousins – *Midland*
Emily McClure – *Leesburg*
Jared Lawlor – *Valdosta*
Lilah Widner – *Bainbridge*
Logan Seagroves – *Fitzgerald*

IOWA

Abigail Kelly – *Des Moines*
Abigail Wedeking – *Charles City*
Allison Nuss – *New Hampton*
Amelia Balk – *Davenport*
Ashlin Young – *Algona*
Ashton Snarr – *Davenport*
Aubrey Schmidt – *Dysart*
Aubri McClung – *Altoona*
Aurora Vansickel – *Mt Pleasant*
Cal Watson – *Urbandale*
Clara Droessler – *Dubuque*
Eliana Hornbuckle – *Nevada*
Erica Johnson – *Marshalltown*
Hasya Joshi – *Ottumwa*
Joseph Wickman – *Mason City*
Juan Carlos Oropeza – *Des Moines*
Justin Yem – *Marion*
Noah Westhoff – *Dyersville*
Paisley Kintigh – *Greenfield*
Sidney Ringgenberg – *Sac City*
Sullivan Tighe – *Oskaloosa*
Tyler Adams – *Arnold's Park*

ILLINOIS

Alexander Feller – *Hanna City*
Anna Sipes – *Charleston*
Erin Henze – *Shannon*
Joseph Lenz – *Lena*
Kadyn Stevens – *Watseka*
Lena Luebbering – *Heyworth*

INDIANA

Allyson Stuckey – *Auburn*
Cole Bergman – *Garrett*

KENTUCKY

Cameron Walker – *Madisonville*

MINNESOTA

Devon Schwarzrock – *Gibbon*
Malli Ryberg – *Buffalo Lake*
Valerie Messner – *Hancock*

MISSOURI

Abbey Kussman – *Marceline*
Emma Ricketts – *Salisbury*
Grace Shockley – *Cabool*

NORTH CAROLINA

Kenan Harrell – *Edenton*

SOUTH DAKOTA

Casey Stegeman – *Arlington*

WISCONSIN

Gabrielle Toberman – *Prairie du Chien*
Kyra Saylor – *Necedah*
Liberty Foht – *Benton*



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