

WOMEN'S DIVISION OF THE OSHKOSH AREA

Graduate Scholarship

P. O. Box 3401

Oshkosh, WI 54903-3401

SCHOLARSHIP 2012-2013

1. The Women's Division of the Oshkosh Area is offering a ONE YEAR SCHOLARSHIP in the amount of \$1,500.00. The Scholarship is open to all Oshkosh School District High School Seniors or any High School Senior who's home address is Oshkosh and is continuing their education in a 1 or 2 year associates, or four year plus accredited program. Applications are also available on line at winnebago-county-scholarships.org or missoshkosh.com/womens_division. Only the 2012-2013 version of the application will be accepted.
2. The Women's Division Graduate Scholarship Committee will be looking for students with a minimum cumulative G.P.A. of 2.5. (generally we seek the student with a lower G.P.A. who may not be considered by other scholarships based on high G.P.A.) **AND** great financial need.
3. The Scholarship is awarded to assist students with the cost of tuition, fees and books. The Scholarship is paid in 2 payments of \$750.00 each semester. Recipient must notify the Scholarship Chairperson prior to starting the first semester, to state the college they are enrolled in. For the second semester the recipient must submit a transcript of grades (2.5 minimum GPA) to the Scholarship Chairperson for the 2nd semester payment to be issued.
4. **All interested students should complete the Women's Division Application (including all requirements indicated) and the Women's Division Financial Questionnaire by Tuesday March 5, 2012. Failure to provide completed documents with all requested information will result in your application not being considered.**
5. The Criteria for selection will be based on information obtained from the application, letters of reference and personal interviews. Cumulative 2.5 G.P.A. is required and financial need.
6. The Scholarship will be acknowledged at the High Schools May Awards Ceremony. The Scholarship recipient will be invited to the July meeting of the Women's Division of Oshkosh Area. The Scholarship will be mailed to the college in which the recipient is registered for the 2012-2013 school year.

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2012-2013 APPLICATION FOR WOMEN'S DIVISION SCHOLARSHIP

****REQUIREMENTS**** ALL information is required to be filled in. This application must be accompanied by the "Women's Division Financial Questionnaire" **AND** two letter of reference.

NAME: _____
First Middle Last

Complete
Address: _____
Street City
State Zip

Ph# _____
Home #
Best # to reach me at

Parents: _____
Mothers Name Fathers Name

Mothers address (if different) Fathers Address (if different)
Mother's employer _____ Father's Employer _____

Cumulative G.P.A. _____
GPA is required to be considered for Scholarship College Attending 11-12

Anticipated Major/Minor _____

EMPLOYEMENT HISTORY

Company Name Job Title

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VOLUNTEER INVOLVEMENT _____
(use an additional sheet if needed) _____

Please describe on the back of this form or on an additional page, the reason you are applying for the Women's Division Scholarship. Please supply two letters of reference – 75 words or less. Family members are not accepted as references. Comments should be regarding your academic performance, leadership, citizenship, career potential and any other comments regarding your worthiness of this award.

WOMEN'S DIVISION FINANCIAL QUESTIONNAIRE FOR 2012-2013

REQUIRED: If you are a dependent student, please also have your parents complete this form using information from their most recent IRS Tax Return. You are a dependent student if you are under age 24 years of age. If you are 18 or under, you may claim independent status only if you (1) are a ward of the courts, or (2) have served in the military (3) are married living away from your parents or (4) have not been claimed by your parents for two consecutive years and have earned at least \$4,000.00 in each of those two years.

	<u>Student</u>	<u>Parents</u>
1. Income earned from work by self	\$ _____	\$ _____
2. Adjusted Gross Income—required to be considered for Scholarship	\$ _____	
3. Total U. S. Income tax paid	\$ _____	\$ _____
4. Untaxed income & benefits (child support, AFDC, AADS, SSI, etc)	\$ _____	\$ _____
5. Medical/dental expenses (not covered by insurance)	\$ _____	\$ _____
6. Cash, Savings, stocks, bonds, CD's, etc.	\$ _____	\$ _____
7. Net value of real estate holdings not Primary residence	\$ _____	\$ _____
8. Total number of family members	# _____	
9. Total number of family members attending college at least half-time during the next academic year.	# _____	

CERTIFICATION

I certify that all the information on this form is true and complete to the best of my (our) knowledge. If asked by any authorized official of the Oshkosh Women's Division, I (we) agree to give documentation for the information given on this form. I (we) realize that this proof may include a copy of U. S. tax returns and/or state income tax returns. I (we) realize that failure to comply with a request for further information may prevent the applicant from receiving any financial aid.

Applicant signature _____ Date _____

Parent signature _____ Date _____