

Eau Claire Memorial High School Current Scholarships 2020-2021

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New Scholarships Highlighted in Yellow

Welcome Back to School!

Go Abes!

Please check this link often for new scholarships.

Please be aware of deadlines and read all directions!

Students continue to watch your colleges of interest for school specific scholarship information.



The information listed below are the names and details of scholarships available to Eau Claire Memorial High School students.

Mrs. Lisa Steig, Scholarship Coordinator, posts the scholarship applications as they arrive throughout the school year. Applications and application information is in the scholarship file in Student Services- front counter and on the MHS website-mid center of page.

Many scholarships require ACT and some the SAT scores. Students are advised to take these tests beginning second semester of their junior year. Although many scholarships are based on grades and test scores, some are based on other criteria such as character, extra-curricular activities, volunteer work, and financial need. It is important to note that scholarships are designed for many types of career interests and GPA's vary.

Tips for Winning Scholarships

- ✓ Do not wait until May of your senior year to start applying for scholarships.
- ✓ Choose references that will say good things about you and give them at least a two to three week to write a letter of recommendation for you. Brag sheets are available in Student Services.
- ✓ Transcripts can be requested through *Parchment* and are free of charge.
- ✓ Be very neat and follow directions. When possible, always type.
- ✓ Follow deadlines. Applications submitted after deadlines (dates and/or times) will not be accepted.
- ✓ On a scholarship resume, MORE IS BETTER. Be sure to include everything you have done since ninth grade (ex. activities, work, leadership)
- ✓ Never pay for scholarship information.
- ✓ *There are various FREE searches for nation-wide scholarships. One example is: www.Fastweb.com
- ✓ UW-HELP and SallieMae also have additional FREE resources when looking for scholarship opportunities:
- ✓ <http://uwhelp.wisconsin.edu/paying/scholarships.aspx> www.salliemae.com/collegeplanningtoolbox

***Please contact the post-secondary school of your choice (The Admissions Office and/or the Financial Aid Office) to review any potential scholarships you may be eligible for. ***

Hardcopies of current scholarships can be picked-up in Student Services or emailed to you upon request.

Scholarships to be submitted to other than Memorial High School are **listed in the order they are received** along with information to where the scholarship needs to be submitted. **Please scroll down to see all current scholarships highlighted in yellow.**

Local P.E.O. STAR Scholarship \$2,500.00 Short Application Window-Due Sept 15th

Eligibility Requirements:

- Exhibits excellence in leadership, academics, extracurricular activities, community service and potential for future success.
- 20 years of age or under at the end of the application year
- In the final academic year (Senior Year) of secondary education
- Minimum cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Citizen or legal permanent resident of the United States or Canada
- Plans to attend an accredited U.S. or Canadian post-secondary institution, full or part-time, in fall of the academic year after graduation
- Recommended by P.E.O. Chapter

Scholarship application is available in Student Services.

Important Note: If you are 100% virtual student, please email Mrs. Steig at lsteig@ecasd.us so an application can be scanned and emailed to you.

Due September 15th to Memorial Student Services

Note: Additional scholarships may be found at

- ✓ www.fastweb.com
- ✓ StudentScholarships.org

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