

2017 Scholarship Program



ELIGIBILITY

Applicants must:

- Be a graduating high school senior with all the basic credits for college, vocational or technical school.
- Applicants must be a son, daughter or legal ward of an active member in good standing with Wabash Mutual Telephone Company (WMTC).
- Have a Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher.
- Not have received a full tuition scholarship to their school of choice.
- Have their application delivered to Wabash Mutual Telephone Company by **March 1, 2017** in order to be accepted. No applications will be accepted after that deadline.

Terms and Conditions

- All applications will be reviewed, and winner(s) will be selected by a qualified Selection Committee for a scholarship(s) up to \$3,000.
- Qualified applicants are subject to a personal interview by the Selection Committee.
- Winner(s) will be notified by May 2017.
- Award(s) will be paid after submitting first quarter transcript and receipt of paid tuition.
- Scholarship(s) will be awarded on a one-time basis and will not be renewable.
- Scholarship(s) will be awarded without regard to race, ethnicity, national origin, religion, gender or disability.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Complete the scholarship instructions in full. If any information is incomplete, the application may be rejected.

Prepare in your own format an application containing the following criteria:

1. Your name, address, telephone number and date of birth
2. Name of parent(s)/guardian(s)
3. Name of high school
4. Please name the college or accredited technical school that you have been accepted to and specify your major or area of study. If you have not been accepted please list where you have applied.
5. Please list your work experience over the last four years, in chronological order, starting with your most recent job listed first.
6. Please list all school activities in which you have participated in the last four years (i.e., Athletics, Student Government, Clubs).
7. List all non-paid community activities in which you have participated in the last four years (i.e., volunteer efforts, church work).
8. List all awards and honors received in the last four years (including academic awards or honors).
9. Relay any additional information you feel the Selection Committee should consider in the selection process (i.e., family need, hardships overcome, interest in the rural community, interest in telecommunications).
10. Please sign and date your application and have your parent or guardian sign.
11. Include a recent copy of your high school transcript.
12. Submit your completed application and transcript to the address below.
13. Submit at least one letter of recommendation from a high school teacher, coach, employer or any other local community leader. Recommendations must be directly mailed by the author in a sealed envelope to:

*Wabash Mutual Telephone
Attn: Scholarship Committee
6670 Wabash Road
Celina, Ohio 45822*

Application and letter(s) of recommendation must be received at the address above by March 1, 2017.