

ELLSWORTH H.S. LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS

EHS seniors may pick up the local scholarships that they are eligible for. Applications can be used for both 4 year colleges and technical colleges unless it specifically states one or the other. Applications for these scholarships are available either in the EHS Counseling office or on the EHS Counseling Website. **The Common Application for several of the local EHS scholarships can be found on the Ellsworth High School website. Once on the website look under the “Ellsworth High School” under Schools. Find “High School Counseling Office” and click on it. Once you are on the Counseling webpage you can click on “Scholarship Resources” which will show the “List of Local Ellsworth Scholarships” and/or “Common Scholarship Application.” Most of the scholarships are due MARCH 22, 2017, however please check carefully for other due dates!!** For more information contact the EHS school counselors at 273-3904.

***if no eligibility criteria are listed after the scholarship name then anyone is eligible to apply.**

Scholarships that use the Common Application Form:

Arthur L. Fischer Memorial Patriotism Scholarship – must be son/daughter/grandson/granddaughter/brother/sister of an active duty service person or a veteran who served in WWII, Korea, Vietnam, Afghanistan, Iraq or current conflict.

Beldenville Old Car Club Scholarship – must be pursuing an auto related field.

Clayton Helmer Memorial Scholarship - preference to a student pursuing careers in the printing industry, business, graphic arts, or journalism.

Ellsworth American Legion Scholarship

Ellsworth Lions Scholarships – open to 2 and 4 year college bound

Ellsworth Masonic Lodge Scholarships

Ellsworth Mason of the Year Masonic Scholarship

Hillcrest Elementary Scholarship- must have attended Hillcrest Elementary

Healing Choices Scholarship – must be pursuing a career in the healthcare field or helping career areas (social work, etc).

Laura Mihleis Memorial Scholarship

Robert and Evelyn Young Scholarship - must have been involved in Sr. High music program for at least one year.

Schumaker Family Scholarship – planning to attend 4 year college

Young Minds Change Lives Educational Scholarship

Scholarships with individual application forms

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Biederman/Pflueger Visual Art Grant- must have a love of art.

Brenda Niedfeldt Memorial/Ellsworth Basketball Association, Inc. Scholarship – must be an active basketball player on the Ellsworth team through their senior year.

Don Monett Wildlife Scholarship – must have a passion for hunting, fishing, and the great outdoors.

EHS Class of 1950/Jack & Janie Swanson Education Scholarship – must be pursuing an education degree.

Ellsworth Education Association Scholarship – must be pursuing an education degree.

Ellsworth FFA Alumni Scholarship – must be present or past Ellsworth FFA member.

Ellsworth Rod & Gun Scholarship – must be planning to study conservation, wildlife management, or biology.

Hiawatha Bank Scholarship – must be planning to study finance or agriculture

The Margaret M. Gruber Memorial Scholarship – must be pursuing a career in either the health care or education areas. Can attend either 2 yr or 4 yr college

Mayo Clinic Health System Auxiliary Scholarship – must live within a 35 mile radius of Red Wing and plan to pursue a health related field at the post-secondary level.

Order of the Eastern Star Chapter #116 Scholarship

Prairie View Scholarship – must have attended Prairie View Elementary

River Falls Area Retired Educators Association Scholarship – must be pursuing an education degree.

River Falls Area Hospital Scholarship - must be pursuing a career in a health related field and have a GPA minimum of an 8.0/12.0 scale.

Rush River Trail Riders Snowmobile Club Scholarship -

St. Francis Scholarship – must be a member of St. Francis Catholic Church

Sharon T. Hines Memorial Scholarship - open to 2 and 4 year college bound

Amy Simon Tri-Sport Scholarship – must have participated (not just lettered) in 3 sports.
Open to male & female students

Thora Tofte/Gustafson Memorial Fund

VFW Post 9060 – must be son/daughter/grandson/granddaughter/sister/brother of service person who served in WWII, Korea, Vietnam, Desert Storm or current conflict.

David B. Walsingham Memorial Scholarship – must plan to attend UW – Eau Claire.

Hints for completing scholarship applications

*When completing the scholarship applications either type them out or print them neatly. Scholarship committees have a difficult time reading applications that are written out quickly and look sloppy.

*Use the on-line “common application” for many of the local scholarships. This one application allows you to apply to several scholarships with the one form. This can be found on the EHS website under High School Counseling office.

*You will find many of these scholarships are similar in the questions that they ask. **It is a good idea to type up an “Activities, Honors, Offices, Accomplishments” resume.** This looks great to the scholarship committee plus it saves you time by not repeating the same questions several times on different scholarship applications. Refer to the scholarship applications to see what you should all include on the sheet.

*Read carefully what the application asks for. If the application states specifically that it wants a “handwritten essay” then make sure that is what you do.

*We appreciate the thought when students put their applications into individual folders or envelopes, however we end up taking them out and throwing the envelopes away. Please save your money and don't submit them in envelopes or folders!

TIP Grant:

EHS seniors that typically would be eligible to apply for a TIP grant would be seniors that receive free/reduced lunch. If your child is planning to attend a 1, 2, or 4 year college in the Fall of 2017 in the state of Wisconsin they should definitely apply for this \$1,800 scholarship with the financial aid office of the college they are planning on attending.