

TOWN OF WILLIAMSTOWN SCHOLARSHIP

BRIEF HISTORY:

The Town of Williamstown Scholarship is offered by the Town of Williamstown and made available to town residents to support their achievements and further their education . The scholarship was established in 2003.

WHO IS EIGIBLE:

To be considered, the applicant must be a graduating Senior and have been a resident of the Town of Williamstown for two full years (i.e. residency must have started prior to January of their sophomore year) during their high school career prior to being eligible to complete the scholarship application. Successful applicants must provide proof of residency to the scholarship committee.

AMOUNT OF SCHOLARSHIP:

Two one thousand dollar (\$ 1000.00) scholarships will be awarded each year (\$ 1 ,000 dollars to each selected student).

HOW PAID:

One half of the scholarship (\$500) is paid at the beginning of each semester upon verification of enrollment. To provide verification, the student must provide the following items:

1. a class schedule signed by the student's advisor (first and second semester)
2. proof of registration signed by the registrar's office (first and second semester)
3. an official transcript (second semester)

Mail your verification to the Town of Williamstown at the address below. Payment will be made after the Town Board reviews your documents.

HOW TO APPLY:

Application forms are available on the Williamstown website at www.williamstown-wi.com or may be requested through your school guidance office.

Prepare a packet of materials containing:

- Application form found at Williamstown-wi.com
- HAND WRITTEN Essay that answers the question: What positive opportunities have been presented to you because you're a Town of Williamstown resident?
- High School Transcript
- Three reference letters detailing how they know you and why they think you should get this scholarship
- Proof of residency: First Semester Sophomore report card addressed to Parents or Williamstown Real Estate Tax Bill/Assessment from your Sophomore year.

You or your Guidance Office may mail the completed packet by **February 28th to:**

**Town of Williamstown
Clerk
W3275 County Road TW
Mayville, WI 53050**

SELECTION:

Selection is made by a committee appointed by the Board of the Town of Williamstown during a review of packets received from eligible candidates.

Questions? Contact the Clerk at tnwille@gmail.com