

Town Scholarship Committee 2017

Scholarship Application Requirements



Purpose: To provide up to four (4) One-Thousand dollar (\$1,000.00) scholarships to selected eligible students as well as one (1) One-Thousand dollar (\$1,000) scholarship for an eligible adult applicant based upon the following considerations and criteria;

- 1) The applicant must be a town resident. No "School Choice" students are eligible as this funding is through the West Boylston taxpayers only.
- 2) If not a high school student, the applicant may be of any age but must be accepted at, or presently enrolled beyond the secondary school level at, an educational institution deemed accredited by the committee.
- 3) Prior to monetary disbursement of the scholarship award, each scholarship recipient **must present an official transcript** (or report card) from the accredited institution. The transcript must show passing grades from the summer or fall semester that follows notification of scholarship award.
- 4) The scholarship committee will consider each applicant based upon his/her financial need, character, scholastic record, community service, and extracurricular school activities.
- 5) Application Deadline is **Wednesday, Feb. 22, 2017 by 4 p.m.** Applications will not be accepted or considered if received after this date and time.

Obtain Scholarship Applications at the following four (4) locations:

- 1) West Boylston Town Administrator's Office, 140 Worcester St., West Boylston, MA 01583 (774.261.4012)
- 2) Beaman Memorial Public Library, 8 Newton St., West Boylston, MA 01583 (508.835.3711)
- 3) Guidance Department at the West Boylston Middle/High School, 125 Crescent St., West Boylston, MA 01583 (508.835.4475) (FOR WBHS SENIOR CLASS STUDENTS ONLY)
- 4) West Boylston Website download- www.westboylston-ma.gov

Submit only one (1) application per student. The scholarship is not automatically renewable. You may reapply the following year.

Return applications to:

West Boylston Middle/High School Seniors, please return the application to the Guidance Department at the High School.

Applications for the scholarships that are offered to all other **West Boylston residents**, applications must be returned to the West Boylston Town Administrators Office c/o Nancy Lucier, 140 Worcester St., West Boylston, MA 01583.

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In order to be eligible for this scholarship, the Applicant **MUST be a Resident of West Boylston.**

Name	_____		
Address	_____		
Name of Parent(s) or Guardian(s)	_____		
Cell Phone		E-Mail	
School currently attending	_____		
College or school to attend			No. of Years
Under Graduate	<input type="checkbox"/>	Graduate	<input type="checkbox"/>
Course of Study	_____		
Expected Total Annual School Expense	_____		
Anticipate Financial Hardship	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

Date Application Received

Initials

PROVIDE ATTACHMENTS TO THE FOLLOWING

1. List school related extra-curricular activities and community service involvement in the last four years.
2. List any personal achievements, awards, or honors you have received during the last four years.
3. List any employment during the last four years and the average number of hours worked per week.

ESSAY

4. What lessons have you learned from your involvement in the West Boylston Community?
How will this learning impact your future?



An "OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT" must be attached to this application

THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT (High School Students only)

Rank in Class _____ Number of Students in Class _____

The Town Scholarship Committee and the WBHS are committed to all educational policies and activities without discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, handicap, or gender

Signature of Guidance Official