

WESTERN KIWANIS FOUNDATION of KENOSHA INC.

2026 Academic Scholarship Program

The Western Kiwanis Foundation of Kenosha Inc. is pleased to announce the availability of five scholarships in its annual scholarship program. These scholarships will be awarded to senior high school students who, upon graduation, plan to attend an accredited two- or four-year college, university or technical school. The Scholarships vary in amount: \$2,500, \$2,250, \$2,000, \$1,750, and \$1,000.

The application deadline is March 6, 2026.

Eligibility

1. High School senior graduating by August 2026.
2. High School senior must have a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or better (on a 4.0 scale).
3. Scholarship awards may be used for any two-or four-year accredited, post-secondary program. The Harvey Elmer \$1,000 scholarship is reserved for a two-year technical college.
4. Must be enrolled as a student at one of the following High Schools: Mary D. Bradford, Christian Life, Harborside Academy, Indian Trail, Kenosha E School, Lakeview Academy, Reuther Central, St. Joseph Academy, Shoreland Lutheran or Tremper.
5. At least one of the four scholarships will be awarded to an active member of a High School Key Club sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Western Kenosha. Another scholarship will be awarded to a student pursuing a degree in Engineering.

How to Apply: Obtain an Application from your High School Counselor or our Website

<http://kiwanisclubofwesternkenosha.org/>

Complete this 3-page application. **DO NOT SUBMIT MORE THAN THESE 3 PAGES!!!** Make sure this cover letter is separate.

- The two-page application form
- The one-page recommendation form from high school counselor familiar with your academic performance

Applications must be completed and received by e-mail or postmarked no later than **Friday, March 6, 2026**. Your application and counselor recommendation should be completed in Times New Roman, font size 12, printed and mailed to: **Kiwanis Club of Western Kenosha, P.O. Box 602, Kenosha, WI 53141** **OR** the **application and recommendation** can be completed and submitted electronically to: **westkenokis scholarships@gmail.com**.

Award Disbursement

1. Notice of scholarship award will be e-mailed to successful candidates during April 6, 2026.
2. The recipient's school of choice will administer the scholarship funds.
3. Failure to continue with post-secondary education plans will result in the award reverting to the Foundation.
4. Applications will be reviewed by the Foundation Board of Trustees in April, and awards will be presented at our Kiwanis Club meeting, at noon, **Thursday, April 23, 2026**, at The Stella Hotel & Ballroom. Scholarship recipients are encouraged to attend along with a parent or guardian.

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1. Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
2. Address: _____
3. Telephone Number: _____ E-mail: _____
4. High School Attended: _____
5. Graduation Date: _____

6. In the spaces provided below, list the important details concerning the following activities. **DO NOT** attach transcripts or other documents to this application, to do so will result in your application being withdrawn from consideration. (This does not include the Counselor's recommendation.)

A. Scholastic Achievements (honors, awards received):

B. Extracurricular Activities (school clubs-including offices held and examples of leadership):

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C. Community Service (participation in clubs, projects or volunteer work):

D. Educational Plan and Occupational Goals:

E. Plans for Finishing Your Education (indicate financial needs):

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Information and Recommendation from High School Counselor

DO NOT attach any additional information to this form or alter it in any way!

The Kiwanis Foundation must receive recommendations by **Friday, March 6, 2026.**

Student's Name: _____

Scholastic Achievement: Rank in Class _____ of _____ students.

Test Scores (e.g. ACT, PSAT, SAT, TASK):

Name of Test: _____ Score: _____ Percentile: _____

Maturity and motivation of candidate seeking scholarship:

Honors and awards achieved:

Recommendation by Counselor:

Signature of School Counselor: _____

Name of School Counselor: _____ Date: _____

Phone Number of Counselor: _____

E-Mail Submission Option: westkenokiwscholarships@gmail.com