



**WATERLOO  
COMMUNITY  
FOUNDATION**

**WATERLOO HY-VEE SMILES BEYOND THE AISLES  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

***APPLICATION DEADLINE: March 10, 2022***

*Students from Waterloo East, West, Expo, Waterloo Christian and Columbus may apply.*

Please type or print using blue or black ink.

**STUDENT INFORMATION**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ U.S. Citizen?  Yes  No  
 Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Male  Female  (optional)  
 Student Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parent or Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**SCHOOL INFORMATION**

Name of High School you are currently attending: \_\_\_\_\_  
 What post-secondary schools are you sending applications? Which do you plan to attend? -  
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**EXTRACURRICUAR ACTIVITIES, SERVICE and WORK EXPERIENCE**

List current high school extracurricular and volunteer service activities. (Note leadership positions held, if applicable)

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List work experience and the average number of hours worked per week. \_\_\_\_\_  
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List any scholarships that you have applied for or received: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## **ONE PAGE ESSAY**

Please attach a typed written one-page essay addressing the following:

- ✓ What are your post-secondary educational goals and how do you intend to achieve them?
- ✓ What challenges, if any, would this scholarship help you overcome as you pursue your education?
- ✓ What personal characteristics or experiences qualify you to receive a scholarship?

## **SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY**

To be eligible for the \_\_\_\_\_ Scholarship, a student must meet the following qualifications:

- ✓ Senior attending East High School, West High School, Columbus High School, Waterloo Christian School or Expo.
- ✓ Must be enrolling an accredited public or private 2 or 4 year institution of higher learning within a 20 mile radius of Waterloo as a full or part time student.
- ✓ Minimum grade point average of 2.5.
- ✓ Show involvement in extra-curricular activities, volunteer service, and/or has work experience. Special consideration given to those who have held or currently hold positions of leadership.

## **ATTACHMENTS**

- ✓ Expected Family Contribution from FAFSA
- ✓ One page essay (see above for content requirements).
- ✓ A letter of recommendation emphasizing leadership qualities from a teacher, principal, counselor, church leader, community leader, or employer (not a family member).
- ✓ Copy of your most recent official school transcript.

**Preference will be given to applicants with financial need, as demonstrated in their Free Application for Student Aid Application (FAFSA).**

*I certify that the above information is accurate.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (printed): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## **OTHER**

- ✓ Applications must be received at the Waterloo Community Foundation office by Thursday, March 10, 2022. Late applications will not be accepted.
- ✓ Selection of scholarship recipient based on thoroughness of application, essay, transcript, and letter of recommendation.
- ✓ Send completed application and supporting attachments to:

**Waterloo Community Foundation**  
**425 Cedar Street, Suite 320**  
**PO Box 1253**  
**Waterloo, IA 50704**

Questions?

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**THANK YOU FOR APPLYING!**