

KENNEWICK EDUCATION ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCEDURE

The Kennewick Education Association sponsors seven scholarship awards as a memorial to Kennewick School District Educators. The award was initiated in 1993 in memory of Sherry Meilleur and expanded in 1994 in memory of Betty Pratt. Awards are currently in the amount of \$500.00.

GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Applicants must be a dependent of a **KEA member** (active, retired or deceased).
2. Applicants must be a high school senior or a college student.
3. Applicants must plan to attend an accredited post-secondary college, university, technical/vocational institute or trade school.
4. Applicants must have at least a 3.0 GPA.

RESTRICTIONS:

1. The scholarship award may be used for tuition, course textbooks, lab materials or course equipment.
2. The scholarship award will not be awarded until the second quarter or semester of attendance.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

1. Complete the Scholarship Application.
2. Obtain two (2) current **and dated** confidential letters of recommendation. **(One must be from a teacher/professor at school currently attending and one from a community member.)**
3. Obtain an **official** high school transcript or current college grade sheet.
4. Submit the above to:
Kennewick Education Association
Scholarship Review Committee
7403 W. Grandridge Blvd.
Kennewick, WA 99336

BASIS OF AWARD:

1. Meet all general qualifications.
2. Application process complete and submitted by deadline.
3. Selections will be made based on responses to questions, legibility, appropriateness of letters of recommendation, and completeness of application.
4. Consensus by committee members that applicant exemplifies a commitment to excellence and life long learning.

DEADLINE:

Applicants must have on file in the KEA office all required documents by **April 10, 2018**. Selections will be made and written notification presented to the recipient. All applicants will be sent a letter of appreciation.

AWARD ACCESS:

The amount of each scholarship will be presented to the business office of the accredited post-secondary college, university, institute or trade school the applicant is attending in the student's name and released upon proof of enrollment during the second quarter or semester.



KENNEWICK EDUCATION ASSOCIATION
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM
Refer to Scholarship Application Procedure Sheet

NAME _____ DOB _____

NAME OF KEA MEMBER PARENT _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE# _____

POST-SECONDARY INSTITUTION YOU PLAN TO APPLY TO

1) Please describe your educational goals.

2) Describe activities in which you have been involved that have been instrumental in setting your goals.

3) Describe how your past school experiences have influenced your decision to seek further training beyond high school.

4) Describe any academic awards or honors you have received and any academic activities you participate in regularly.

5) List any sports/other awards or honors you have received and any activities you participate in on a regular basis.

(Signature of applicant)

(Date)

LIST TWO REFERENCES (**one high school teacher or college professor and one community member**) FOR RECOMMENDATIONS: (Letters of recommendation shall match references). **These must be from the current year and be dated.**

NAME _____
PHONE# _____

THEIR ASSOCIATION WITH YOU

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<u>Check List</u>	
___	Application Complete
___	Letter of recommendation- high school teacher or college professor
___	Letter of recommendation- community member
___	Official transcript or college grade sheet