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United States Deputy Wardens Association

**USDWA COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM
(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE-BLACK INK ONLY)**

Name _____ SS# _____
Last First MI

Address _____ Phone (____) _____
Street/P.O. Box /Rural Route

City, State, Zip

USDWA Member's Name _____

College/University Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip

Major _____ Minor _____

Current Class: Class Status for Fall Term:

High School: Senior ____ Junior ____

College: Freshman ____ Sophomore ____ Junior ____ Senior ____ Graduate Program ____

U.S. Citizen Yes ____ No ____

All information submitted is true and accurate. Further, I authorize the USDWA Executive Board/Scholarship Selection Committee to verify the information contained in this application package.

Name Date

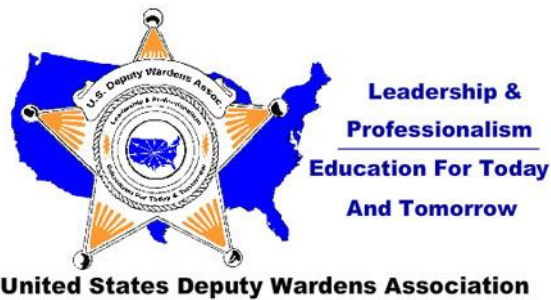
All application packages or questions should be directed to the USDWA Scholarship and Awards

Chairman: USWDA Scholarship Chair:

Mike Thurmer

188 Harmsen Ave.

Waupun, WI 53963



The scholarship will be administered, monitored, reported upon and the recipients chosen through a committee selection process.

Eligibility: Member, spouse, or children living in the household. Member must be an active USDWA member. Recipients are only eligible to receive this scholarship once.

1. The annual scholarships shall be in an amount and number as specified by the Executive Board. The Association's participation is not to exceed \$1,000 annually. Funds are to be used toward tuition and other related academic expenses. This scholarship will be funded from the treasury of the USDWA. The Executive Director will monitor this expenditure and if it becomes necessary, make recommendations to further finance said scholarships.
2. The applicant must be a U.S. Citizen of good reputation and character.
3. Applicant must be pursuing an associate, bachelor or graduate degree.
4. Applicant must be entering his/her freshman, sophomore, junior, senior year or graduate school. Freshman or first year graduate students must be officially accepted at the college or university.
5. The applicant must submit an application form and letter of candidacy attesting to his/her worthiness or need for the scholarship. An application form is attached. Applicant must demonstrate evidence of his/her ability to succeed in collegiate and academic studies while in pursuit of part-time (minimum of 6 credits per semester) or full-time formal education at the undergraduate or graduate college levels. The applicant must provide all required attachments, and submit the entire package to the USDWA Scholarship and Awards Chairman prior to May 1, of the year the Scholarship is to be awarded. Awards are made at the Annual Conference held each summer. Attachments to the application shall include, but are not limited to:
 - A.
 1. Beginning freshmen will submit two (2) letters from high school instructors under whom the student has studied. Stating why they support the applicant's receipt of the scholarship award.
 2. Beginning Freshmen, sophomores, juniors, seniors and entering graduate students must submit two (2) letters of recommendation from professors under whom the applicant has studied, stating why they support the applicant's receipt of the scholarship award.
 - B.
 1. Beginning freshmen must submit a certified transcript of their high school grades to date.
 2. Freshmen, sophomores, juniors, seniors, and entering graduate students must submit a certified transcript of their college courses and grades to date.



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3. Graduate students already enrolled in a graduate program, must submit a certified transcript of graduate courses and grades to date.
 - C. Beginning freshmen and entering graduate students must submit a copy of their official letter accepting them into the college/university.
 - D. Applicant, on a separate sheet (s) of paper, must provide a written narrative supporting/justifying his/her need for this scholarship.
6. Each applicant's need for the scholarship including family size and economic status, commitment to his studies, the application of both his academics and practical learning experiences to his job will be considered in the selection process.

COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS:

1. Scholarship recipients must forward to the Scholarship Chairman a copy of their transcript for the time period the recipient as recipient as received the award.
2. Failure to satisfactorily complete the semester may result in the recipient being required to repay USDWA the full amount awarded. Satisfactory completion means an overall grade point average of "C" or 2.0 on a 4.9 scale for each semester a scholarship was received.

The Scholarship Committee will consist of Scholarship Chairman, Immediate Past President and Board Member (retired position). This Committee will be responsible to determine scholarship eligibility and selection of recipient.

The USDWA reserves the right to audit the progress of the student's expenditure of scholarship funds at the attended college.