



The West Yellowstone Foundation Scholarship Program

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This application will qualify applying student for the scholarships listed below:

- West Yellowstone Foundation Scholarship - \$250
- Siegel Family Scholarship - \$1,000 – or more depending upon funds available
- Cross Charitable Foundation Scholarship - amount will vary each year
- Ventures West, Inc./Povah Family Scholarship- amount will vary each year

These funds are designated to assist students with financial backing for an accredited 4 year university, 2 year college, or trade school program.

This application is for those who are first-time applicants as well as for renewal applicants of the West Yellowstone Foundation Scholarship Program. All information you share with us in this application is confidential, and will only be used by the WYF Scholarship Program. Please read through the entire application, sign where necessary and add documents as requested.

It is the responsibility of the student to submit a new or renewal application yearly by May 1st. All applications are available on our website: westyellowstonefoundation.org

Students Name _____

Date of Graduation from West Yellowstone School District _____

Email _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Mailing Address:

Summer _____

City & State _____

Winter _____

City & State _____

Parent's Name(s): _____

Phone _____

High School Graduates Application

Criteria & Process: To qualify for these awards the student must meet the following standards:

- Have a minimum grade point average of 2.5 or request special approval from the West Yellowstone Foundation Scholarship Committee.
- Have attended West Yellowstone High School for a minimum of two years as a graduating senior.
- Have completed a minimum of 40 hours of community service during the 4 years of high school.

Submit application by mail to the West Yellowstone Foundation, including these documents:

- Your high school transcript.
- Letter from your high school counselor with proof of your required 40 community service hours acquired within the last four years.
- Acceptance letter from your institute of higher education.
- A separate sheet describing your career goals and an explanation of why you chose the course of study you are pursuing.

Please complete this section with information pertaining to the college, university, trade or vocational school you are planning to attend. School year you will be attending: 20__ - 20__

Name of School:

School's Admission Department mailing address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Course of Study: _____

Degree to Receive:

Length of time to complete program (years): _____

Award Procedure: After the selection process, a check will be issued to the institute of higher education credited to the student's account upon verification that the student is indeed in good standing and enrolled in that institution for the **SECOND SEMESTER**. Checks will be mailed to the school after November for 1st year applicants. Returning students checks will be mailed out in August directly to your school.

The student may be eligible to renew this award for each year they are attending up to 4 years, or for the length of program taken. It is the responsibility of the student to submit a renewal application by May 1st. All applications are available on our website: westyellowstonefoundation.org

Scholarship Renewal Application

Criteria & Process: To qualify for renewal of this scholarship the student must be in good standing in the program and enrolled for the following semester. **Important: Please include grades/transcripts for the past year.**

Please complete this section with information pertaining to the college, university, trade or vocational school you are attending. Please include a copy of your grades for the past year.

School year attending 20__ - 20__, your student ID number: _____

Name of School: _____

School mailing address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Course of Study: _____

Degree to receive: _____

Length of time left to complete program (years): _____

Is this the same school and degree program you have attended last year?

Yes

No

Award Procedure: After the selection process, a check will be issued to the institute of higher education, credited to the student's account upon verification that the student is in good standing and enrolled in that institution. Checks will be mailed in August for renewal applicants. Students are eligible to renew this award for each year they are attending up to 4 years.

It is the responsibility of the student to submit a new or renewal application by May 1st. All applications are available on our website. westyellowstonefoundation.org

NOTE: If your scholarship has lapsed and you are seeking re-admittance to the West Yellowstone Foundation Scholarship program, please include an explanation and documentation regarding your absence. The following reasons for leaving the program are grounds for reconsideration:

1. Physical or Mental Health Issues
2. Family Problems
3. Drug & Alcohol Rehabilitation

An absence of more than one (01) year disqualifies the applicant for re-admittance. This policy may be waived with recommendation by the WYF Scholarship Committee.

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I have read the standards and believe I qualify for consideration.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ **Date:** _____

Mail application to:

**West Yellowstone Foundation
Scholarship Application
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