

# Waukegan Township 2016 Scholarship Application



*Since 1999, the Waukegan Township Scholarship Fund has awarded scholarships to Waukegan Township graduating High School seniors and most recently College students, to continue their education at an Illinois College or University. A total of \$48,000 has been awarded to aspiring students.*

**Patricia Jones, Supervisor**

Trustees:  
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## Eligibility Criteria

### Waukegan Township

#### Scholarship Application

To be eligible for a Waukegan Township Scholarship, you must meet all of the following criteria:

- . Currently enrolled college students or any person wanting to further their post high-school education.
- . Must be a U.S. citizen and resident of Waukegan Township.
- . Must have a history of extracurricular activities that demonstrates a willingness to accept leadership responsibilities (student government, club officer, etc.) or a commitment to civic responsibility, social consciousness and a willingness to serve the community (community service projects, volunteer activities with local service agencies or charitable institutions, etc.)
- . Must submit a 500-word essay on *“The Role of Waukegan Township in Today's Society and in the Future.”*
- . Must submit three letters of recommendation from Academic Advisor, Professor, Employer, Coach, Faith Community.
- . Must submit an official high school or college transcript.
- . Must submit a cover letter and completed application form.
- . Must enroll at an Illinois school as a full-time undergraduate student.
- \* Must be a registered voter, providing that you are at least 18 years of age.

## Application Checklist

- Cover Letter.** The student must submit a cover letter requesting consideration of his/her Scholarship Application.
- Scholarship Application.** All sections of this application must be completed. The student must sign and date the Scholarship application.
- Essay.** The student must prepare and submit a 500-word essay on *“The Role of Waukegan Township in Today's Society and in the Future.”*
- Transcripts.** Submit an official high school/college/university transcript indicating your most recent academic work, including Fall Semester 2015.
- Letters of Recommendation.** The student must submit three (3) letters of recommendation.

Please forward your application to:

**Waukegan Township Supervisor's Office**  
**Attn: Scholarship Program**  
**149 S. Genesee Street**  
**Waukegan, IL 60085**

Facsimile transmissions (faxes) and emails will not be accepted.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Your High School/College/University

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score (Composite) \_\_\_\_\_

College you plan to attend in fall 2015: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Circle one: 2-year Institution 4-year Institution

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Major Career Goals

## ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

\_\_\_\_\_  
First Name Middle Name or Initial Last Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip Telephone

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Facebook: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Gender: Male \_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_

Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) or Guardian(s) with whom you live (if applicable):

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

## PERSONAL BACKGROUND

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for applying to Waukegan Township's Scholarship Program.

- . The deadline for this application and required documentation is April 1, 2016.
- . All applications must be **RECEIVED by April 1, 2016, 4:00 p.m.**
- . **Facsimile transmissions (faxes) and Emails will not be accepted.**
- . **Late applications will not be considered.**
- . You must meet all the eligibility criteria (see eligibility criteria on back page).
- . All parts of the application must be typed or be legible in order to be considered.
- . All attachments must contain your full name.

### Application Procedures

Three letters of recommendation, from 3 individuals (i.e. Academic Advisor, Professor, Employer, Coach, Faith Community) are attached.

### REFERENCES

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(If additional space is needed, please attach a separate sheet)

### EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

(Include school and work activities)

A true and correct copy of my high school/College/University transcript, certified by an appropriate school official, is attached.

### ACADEMIC TRANSCRIPT

The required essay (no more than 500 words) is attached:  
*"The Role of Waukegan Township in Today's Society and in the Future"*

### ESSAY