

## Information

Applicant's Name

Address

City/State/Zip

Phone

Email

Parents/Guardian

High School

College you plan to attend

Potential Degree Program

## Background

In 2014, the employees of West Plains Bank and Trust Company decided to support young people interested in pursuing a college degree by establishing a scholarship. This scholarship is funded by employee donations and employees serve on the selection committee. Each year, scholarships are awarded in the amount of \$2,000 to high school seniors in West Plains, Mountain View-Birch Tree and Willow Springs.

## Qualifications and Instructions

1. Applicants must be high school seniors who have exhibited academic achievement, extracurricular involvement and/or economic need.
2. Students should be planning to enroll in a full-time course of study.
3. Applications must be submitted on the scholarship form or a photocopy of the form. Attachments must include an official transcript with ACT scores and a resume of extracurricular activities.
4. The application form ***MUST*** be signed by a school guidance counselor.
5. The scholarship selection committee is the final and binding judge of scholarship recipients.
6. **Applications must be post-marked by April 1, 2021.**
7. **Return completed application to:**

West Plains Bank and Trust Company  
ATTN: Scholarship Committee  
P.O. Box 378  
West Plains, MO 65775

— OR —

**Hand deliver to any branch or Email:**  
information@westplainsbank.com

# Employee Scholarship Fund

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## Deadline

To be eligible, applications must be postmarked no later than April 1, 2021.

## Qualifications

- Applicants must plan to pursue a career in banking or a related field -OR- have a desire to help others/improve their community through their career of choice.
- Applicants must be involved in extra-curricular activities and/or volunteer work.

## Requirements

- Applications must be typed or printed in ink.
- Attachments must include:
  - ◊ Most recent official transcript that clearly lists ACT score(s)
  - ◊ Resume of extracurricular activities
  - ◊ Separate sheet explaining why you feel you should receive the scholarship, listing your extracurricular activities and/or volunteer work and summarizing the most important lesson you've learned in high school and/or the biggest challenge you've overcome
- Signature of a parent/guardian and a school guidance counselor on application

**Other financial aid applied for should be listed below (please indicate if already granted):**

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## Certification

In submitting this application, I certify that the information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Falsification of information will result in termination of any scholarship granted. This application becomes sole property of West Plains Bank and Trust Company.

Signature of student: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of guidance counselor: \_\_\_\_\_ Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Complete and return by hand delivering to any branch, emailing to  
information@westplainsbank.com or mailing to:**

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