## 2025

## JEM BROWN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

**

**WATER WORKS**

**AND**

**LIGHTING COMMISSION**

**221 16th Street South**

# Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494

**715.423.6300**

**Deadline:**

**April 1, 2025 - 12:00 Noon**

Water Works and Lighting Commission provides scholarship opportunities for those electing to attend an accredited Wisconsin or contiguous-state college or university for continued education. Scholarship award will be for $1,000 per year, renewable each year the recipient meets the requirements, up to 4 years. One scholarship will be available per year. Recipient(s) will be given consideration for summer employment.

# Eligibility

**Any full-time traditional or non-traditional student who is a current WW&LC customer or any dependent of a current WW&LC customer attending post-secondary education are eligible to apply. Children of current WW&LC employees are also eligible to apply for this scholarship.**

# Application Procedure

* **Complete the attached scholarship form.**
* **Attach a copy of your high school and/or college transcript.**
* **Attach a letter of recommendation.**
* **Mail or deliver completed forms to:**

Water Works and Lighting Commission

**Attn: Scholarship Committee**

**P.O. Box 1508**

**221 16th Street South**

**Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54495-1508**

### Selection Procedure

**The scholarship award recipient decision will be made by the Water Works and Lighting Commission. Award will be given to recipient after verification of continuing education GPA.**

# Academic Standards

**Student must be a full-time (12 credits) student and maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.7 for scholarship money to be awarded and continue at an annual basis, depending on the length of degree, e.g. Wisconsin or contiguous state four-year degree at a university or college would receive four years of scholarship money. A two-year technical degree would receive two years of scholarship money.**

# Deadline

**All scholarship applications must be received by 12:00 noon on April 1, 2025. Recipients will be notified of the award in May 2025.**

### WW&LC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

**SCHOOL CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

As shown below please list on a separate sheet of paper all of the co-curricular activities in which you participated. Include any special awards received, offices held, or special accomplishments associated with those activities.

Dates and years of Offices held/awards

Activity participation including number of hours received/accomplishments

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

As shown below please list on a separate sheet of paper all of the community service/community volunteer activities in which you participated. Include any special awards received, offices held, or special accomplishments associated with those activities.

Dates and years of Offices held/awards

Activity participation including number of hours received/accomplishments

#### HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION (Please include a copy of high school transcripts)

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Name of the High School you will be graduating from Cumulative GPA ACT Score

**POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANS**

College or University Preference: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ □ Yes □ No

Accepted

Intended Major Area of Study \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ □ 2 Year □ 4 Year

Course Program What would your ideal job be? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear of this scholarship opportunity? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Applicants Last Name First Name MI

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Address City, State, Zip Telephone Number

Are you or your parents/guardians a customer of WW&LC? □Yes □ No

If yes, list name and address of primary account holder.

Account holder’s Full Name Account holder’s Address (Street, City, State, Zip)

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##### WATER WORKS AND LIGHTING COMMISSION

###### “Investing in the future of our water and electric industry”

#### RELEASE/CONSENT

I certify that all information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize WW&LC to obtain additional information as necessary to verify my eligibility including, but not limited to, academic records, transcripts, and background check.

I hereby authorize the use of my name and/or comments from any scholarship related documents to be used for purposes of promoting additional scholarships or goodwill for the WW&LC. If I am awarded a scholarship, I give permission to use my photograph for distribution of WW&LC newsletter/social media information.

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Applicant’s signature Date

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Parent or Guardian’s signature (if under 18) Date

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS**

* A copy of your high school and/or college transcript(s).
* A letter of recommendation.

**ESSAY**

By submitting this scholarship application, you have committed to a higher field of study. This education will prepare you for a possible career in the utility industry. Accordingly, on a separate sheet of paper, write a 500-word essay on why you should be awarded this scholarship.

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

As shown below please list on a separate sheet of paper all of the jobs held. Include employer, position held, work dates and hours per week.

Employer Position held Start Date End Date Hours per week