

ERIC DURHAM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

**Award preferences will be given
to a student who has chosen
an agriculture major.
However, all students
are encouraged to apply.**

**Please confine your comments to the sheets
provided – do not add attachments.
Do not send a copy of your
transcript or a resume.**

**Application deadline is
February 22, 2021.**

**One scholarship will be awarded
half at the beginning of the first semester &
half at the beginning of the
second semester of college.**

**The student is responsible for providing
Edward Jones Financial Institution, Beloit,
with a copy of his or her
first semester's transcript.**

**Recipient will be announced at the
high school awards night exercises.**

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Name of applicant _____

Address _____

Telephone number _____

Parent's or guardian's name's _____

Parent's or guardian's occupation(s) _____

Father's highest level of education _____

Mother's highest level of education _____

Siblings & their ages & education level _____

Indicate your plans for further education

Name of institution _____

Field of study or major _____

Certification Statement

(Please read and sign the following statement.)

"I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, all information contained in the scholarship application is accurate and true."

(signature of applicant)

(date)

Verification Statement

Student _____ Date _____

I will provide Lynnel, an investment consultant at Edward Jones in Beloit, with the following information:

1. my school address at the beginning of the first semester of college, and
2. a copy of my college transcript and verification of my enrollment for the second semester. The transcript showing a 2.0 minimum grade point average must be received before the scholarship will be granted.

I am aware that scholarship amounts may be taxable income if the aggregate scholarship amounts received exceed tuition and fees (not including room and board) required for enrollment or attendance at the educational institution and fees, books, supplies and equipment required for courses of instruction. I also understand that it is my responsibility to determine whether any amount of this scholarship is included in gross income and to report it to the IRS if necessary.

I have read, understood, and will comply with the guidelines listed here for the duration of this scholarship award.

Signature _____

1. Write a paragraph or more to convince the Scholarship Committee that you have demonstrated academic success in past schooling and that you will be academically successful in future schooling. You may want to include details like grade point average, ACT scores, academic honors received, etc.

Your purpose is to persuade.

2. Write a paragraph or more summarizing your plans for the future. Include your career plans, what you have done so far, what needs to be done to prepare for that career, and how you will be able to contribute through your career. Your purpose is to inform.

3. Write a paragraph or more aimed at convincing the Scholarship Committee that you need financial assistance in order to continue your education beyond high school. Please include details about jobs you have held during high school. You might also want to add information about how you have spent and saved your personal income. In addition, please include information about other scholarships or assistance that you might receive. Your purpose is to persuade.

Verification Statement

Student _____ Date _____

I will provide the investment consultant at Edward Jones in Beloit, KS, the following information

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