

Scholarship Application:

BPW Working Women's Scholarship Fund, in memory of Marjorie Emsweller

The purpose of this fund is to provide scholarship support to a working woman in the Rush County community.

Deadline to apply: **February 15**

To qualify for this Scholarship you must answer yes to the following:

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| I am a female resident of Rush County | Yes ___ | No ___ |
| I am at least 25 years of age at time of application deadline | Yes ___ | No ___ |
| I have at least two years' fulltime employment experience
(may or may not be currently unemployed) | Yes ___ | No ___ |
| I am enrolled in an undergraduate degree or diploma program
at an accredited college, university, technical or vocation school | Yes ___ | No ___ |

Rush County Community Foundation Scholar Code of Conduct Policy:

The Rush County Community Foundation Scholar Code of Conduct establishes expected behavior of potential and current scholarship applicants/recipients of awards from scholarship funds held and/or administered by the Rush County Community Foundation (the "Foundation"). In addition to any separate selection criteria established by the donor to a scholarship fund, the Foundation is looking for applicants of good character who will positively represent Rush County and the Rush County Community Foundation. Conduct and good moral and ethical behavior will be considered for anyone who applies for a Rush County Community Foundation Scholarship Program.

All Foundation scholarship applicants/recipients are expected to uphold high standards of conduct, which include abiding by federal, state, and local civil and criminal laws. They must also abide by the established conduct policies of their high school and/or college. Scholarship recipients should act in good character in and out of school. The applicant/recipient shall give permission for the high school principal or counselors (or school administrators at the college level, if appropriate) to notify the Foundation at any time if they become aware of an incident occurring involving an applicant or recipient, within or outside of the school setting, that potentially violates the RCCF Scholar Code of Conduct. The Foundation reserves the right to address any conduct-related issue that occurred or occurs at any time prior to a student's application for or receipt of a scholarship, or during or after the student's high school career, including the college years.

The Foundation will not take any action with regards to information of any type regarding a scholarship applicant/recipient, including conduct-related information, received from anonymous sources.

Potential scholarship recipients who violate these standards may be removed as a candidate for any RCCF scholarships at the discretion of the Foundation's Board of Directors. Current scholarship recipients may have their scholarship funds forfeited if in violation of their scholarship agreement.

Applicant Name: _____

Address: _____

DOB: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

School: _____ Student ID#: _____

Applicant's most recent or current Employer: _____

Annual Household Income: _____ Number of People in Household: _____

Write your initials indicating:

_____ I have attached my current original official transcript.

_____ I have attached a letter of recommendation from my current or most recent employer/supervisor.

_____ I have attached a letter from me:

- explaining the need for this scholarship,
- the reason for the course of study I have chosen,
- and my ultimate goal in my career path.

I affirm under the penalty for perjury the information provided on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I have read and will abide by the Rush County Community Foundation Scholar Code of Conduct Policy.

Applicant Signature

Date: _____

Student Release: I agree that the Rush County Community Foundation may use photographs of me with or without my name for any lawful purpose, including for example such purposes as publicity, illustration, advertising, and web content. I hereby waive any right that I may have to inspect or approve the finished product or products and the advertising copy or matter that may be used in connection therewith or the use to which it may be applied.

Applicant's printed name

Applicant Signature

Date: _____