

WABASH VALLEY SCOTTISH SOCIETY

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION for SCOTTISH, CELTIC or BRITISH STUDIES as a MAJOR



Non-renewable \$1,000 Academic Award

Scholarship Criteria

- Applicant must be a U.S. citizen
- Applicant must be a minimum of 17 years old
- Applicant must send two (2) letters of recommendation
- Applicant must have earned a minimum 2.5 GPA in high school/college course work
- A 500-word essay must accompany application
- Applicant must be enrolled in a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester in a college or university

All scholarships will be paid directly to the qualified institution upon proof of the Applicant's enrollment

**Submit completed application:
Wabash Valley Scottish Society
P.O. Box 3626
Terre Haute, IN 47803-3576**

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How to Fill Out This Application

Scholarship winners are chosen by a panel of local community educators, professional, and/or business people. The committee members use a numerical scale in helping them determine their final decision. If a section on this application is not completed, the selection committee will not be able to determine a rating for the section. Be honest, but try to say something under each section of the application. If the application form does not provide adequate space for your answer, feel free to continue your comments on additional pages.

A way of enhancing your application is by including letters of recommendation from teachers, employers, or people who have worked with you as a community volunteer. Two such letters are required, but your application may include more. (Please include a copy of your transcript with your ACT/SAT score[s] with the letters.) You can also help the committee know you better by writing a thoughtful description of your future plans or career goals.

The selection committee looks for well-rounded individuals who display a combination of scholastic achievement, character and promise based on clubs, school activities, volunteerism and community service.

Please include a 4 x 6 photograph of yourself.

One final note: The committee will not consider incomplete applications.

Good luck!

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I. All applicants must complete this section. Please print all information.

Full Name (Last, First, MI) _____		
Current Mailing Address (City, State, Zip Code) _____		() _____ Current Phone Number
Permanent Mailing Address _____		() _____ Permanent Phone Number
County of Residence _____	E-mail Address _____	/ / _____ Date of Birth

All applicants must list an anticipated major: _____

List any colleges or universities you have attended and you cumulative grade point average at each.

Institution	GPA
_____	_____
_____	_____

Expected date of college graduation: ____/____/____
Month Year

Please check the following information (optional):

Gender: ____ Male ____ Female

Marital Status: ____ Single ____ Married ____ Separated ____ Divorced

Hometown newspaper: _____ (____) _____
Name Address Phone

List any scholarships you have already received:

Name of scholarship – if applicable	Awarded by	Amount
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

II. All applicants must complete this section

High school attended _____ Address _____
(____)
Telephone _____ High School GPA* _____ Composite SAT/ACT scores* _____ *Required

Advanced Placement and/or Honors Courses you have taken or are taking:

<u>AP Courses</u>	Comp.	Taking	<u>Honors Courses</u>	Comp.	Taking
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Names of two people who you have asked to support your application with letters of reference.

Name: _____ Telephone: (____) _____

E-mail address: _____

In what capacity does this person know you? _____

Name _____ Telephone (____) _____

In what capacity does this person know you? _____

E-mail address: _____

III. Personal Statement (Essay)

An essay of approximately 500 words written entirely on your own, describing your interests, your accomplishments, and your future plans or goals, must be attached with this application for consideration.

IV. High School Activities Profile

Date of High School graduation or G.E.D. (month and year): _____

Please list awards, honors, offices held at the high school level. Also list organizations in which you are/were involved.

V. College Activities Profile (if applicable)

College Name: _____ City: _____ State: _____

College GPA: _____ Classification: _____ Number of hours earned: _____

Please list awards, honors, offices held and scholarships received at the college level. Also list organizations in which you are involved.

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Scholarship Payment Information – If accepted, a check will be mailed to the following contact:

College or University _____

Address _____
Street/P.O. Box City State Zip

Contact Name _____ () _____
Telephone E-mail address

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The Wabash Valley Scottish Society does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, religion, national origin, age, disability, or veteran status in provision of educational opportunities.

STUDENT CERTIFICATION

My signature below certifies that the information provided in this application is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I authorize the Wabash Valley Scottish Society to verify any information contained in this application.

Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

Printed Name: _____

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN CERTIFICATION (If applicable)

My signature below certifies that the above-named minor is my son/daughter, or legal ward, and hereby give my permission for him/her to apply for this scholarship.

Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

Printed Name: _____
