



SUMMARY OF SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

SPRING SEMESTER 2022

Deadlines to apply are as follows, unless otherwise noted in the description:

- **Final submission deadline for the spring semester is Friday, January 21, 2022.**
 - **Determination letters sent to applicants by Friday, February 18, 2022.**
 - **Scholarship Recognition Ceremony will be March 3, 2022.**
- The number of scholarships available each semester is based on available funds and stipulations of the donor. Information provided in this summary may change at donor discretion and as funds increase or decrease.
- Incomplete applications will not be considered. **Submit your completed application packet including essay responses and recommendation forms to the Financial Aid Office located across the hall from Student Services.** Different scholarships have different criteria; submit what is requested for the scholarship(s) you apply for.
- **All scholarships are competitive.** Applications will be read and rated by teams of Tech staff. Students receiving the higher overall ratings will be awarded scholarships. **Students awarded scholarships will be expected to write thank you notes to the donor and attend the Scholarship Recognition Ceremony.**

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Kansas Promise Scholarship (only Post-secondary students can apply)

The Kansas Promise Scholarship Act passed the Kansas Legislature in April 2021. This program is called the “Last Dollar” Scholarship. If other grants and scholarships do not fully pay tuition, fees, books, and materials, the Kansas Promise Scholarship Act will cover the costs. To be eligible, you must meet certain qualifications and follow the application process detailed below.

Who qualifies to apply:

Post-secondary students who meet one of the following criteria:

- Graduated from high school within the past 12 months **OR** obtained equivalent credential (GED) in last 12 months
- Age 21 or older and a Kansas resident for 3 prior consecutive years
- Dependent child of a military service member permanently stationed in another state and who, within the prior 12 months, graduated from any out-of-state secondary school or obtained a high school equivalency

And must be enrolled in one of the following career pathways spring semester 2022:

- **Advanced Manufacturing & Building Trades:** Advanced Systems Technology, Cabinet/Millwork, Carpentry, Certified Production Technician, Climate & Energy Control Technologies, Commercial & Heavy Construction, Electrical Technology, Fast Track Machine/Tool, Fast Track Welding, Heavy Diesel Construction Technology, Machine/Tool, Tech Drafting, or Welding
- **Early Childhood Education & Development:** Early Childhood Professional
- **Healthcare:** Emergency Medical Technician, Home Health Aide, Medical Office Specialist, Medication Aide, Nurse Aide, Phlebotomy, Practical Nursing, or Surgical Technology
- **Information Technology & Security:** Information Systems Technology

Amount of Scholarship: will vary depending on program charges, financial aid eligibility, and funds received from Kansas Board of Regents

How to apply:

- Complete the Kansas Promise Scholarship application.
 - To access the application electronically, go to Washburn Tech homepage, select “Paying for College”; select “Scholarships” then Promise Scholarship information is available
 - or
 - Obtain a paper version of the application from office AC-117
- Sign a Kansas Promise Scholarship Agreement agreeing to live and work in Kansas for a minimum of 2 consecutive years following successful completion of your program
- Complete the free application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) using Washburn Tech school code **010689** <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa> (must file a FAFSA even if program is not eligible). Details from FAFSA used to determine Promise Award.
- Enroll in and successfully complete an eligible program of study within 30 months of first being awarded a Kansas Promise Scholarship

The Joint Economic Development Organization (JEDO) and GO Topeka Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply: (Multiple scholarships will be awarded for the spring semester)

- Students enrolled in one of the high-demand career programs listed below, as determined by the KS Dept. of Commerce: **Advanced Systems Technology, Automotive Service Technology, Auto Collision, Carpentry, Climate & Energy, Commercial & Heavy Construction, Cosmetology, Culinary Arts, Diesel Technology, Early Childhood Professional, Electrical Technology, EMT, Graphics, Heavy Diesel Technology, Information Systems Technology, Phlebotomy, Practical Nursing (not pre-requisite courses), Machine/Tool Technology (Cert A and Cert C), Surgical Technology (not pre-requisite courses), Technical Drafting, Welding (Cert A and Cert C)**
- Shawnee County residents only
- Post-secondary students (must have a high school diploma or GED) (high school students not eligible)
- New and continuing students
 - Continuing students must have a 3.0 or higher Grade Point Average (GPA) in the current program and continue in the same academic year

Details:

- Submit 1 recommendation form
 - Must be a professional recommendation, such as a high school teacher, a Washburn Tech instructor, or a work supervisor. Recommendation forms from family members and friends will not be accepted.
- Award Amount
 - \$300 for students enrolled in 9 to 17 credit hours
 - \$600 for students enrolled 18 credit hours or more

2022-2023 Washburn Women's Alliance Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply:

- Single individuals who enroll in 6 or credit hours at Washburn Tech/Washburn University
- Have full-time residential custody of one or more minor dependent children, and
- Are in good standing at WU or WT, if currently a student there

Details:

- Please contact Kathryn Stroebele for application items and submission requirements by email kathryn.stroebele@washburn.edu or by phone at 785.670.3370
- Deadline: applications must be **post-marked, or hand delivered no later than Monday, February 7, 2022 by 5 pm**
- Can only be used for tuition and books for fall and/or spring semesters for 2022-23

Beaman Family Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply: (Will award 3 scholarships for the spring semester)

- Post-secondary students enrolled in **Advanced Systems Technology, Carpentry, Cabinet/Millwork, Climate and Energy Control, Commercial and Heavy Construction, Electricity, Practical Nursing, Surgical Technology, Technical Drafting**
- Students must have one completed semester in current program with a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better
- Post-secondary students with a high school diploma or GED

Details:

- Award amount - \$1000

Clark L. Coco/Business Programs Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply:

- Students enrolled in Business, Bookkeeping and Accounting, Legal Office Professional, Medical Office Specialist, Medical Office Assistant
- High school students only
- New and continuing students
 - Continuing students must have a 2.5 or better cumulative grade point average in current program

Details:

- Award Amount - \$500

DL & Suzy Smith scholarship

Who qualifies:

- Students enrolled in a Career program at Washburn Tech and an Associate's Degree program at Washburn University during the same semester
- Students who have completed the first half of the Washburn Tech program with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better
- Post-secondary students (must have a high school diploma or GED)

Details:

- Submit 1 recommendation form
 - Must be from a current Washburn Tech instructor
- Award Amount - \$500

Daniel Kelley Memorial Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply: (Will award one scholarship for the spring semester)

- Students enrolled in **Diesel Technology or Heavy Diesel Technology**
- Students with one completed semester in current program with a cumulative program GPA of 3.0 or better
- Post-secondary students only (must have a high school diploma or GED)

Details:

- Award Amount - \$500

Jeremy Drexler Pay a Good Deed Forward Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply: (Will award one scholarship for the spring semester)

- Priority is veteran who provides verification of service in combat duty in a recognized conflict, combat, or war zone and submit a DD214 showing honorable discharge; if no applicant with combat duty, other veterans will be considered
- Students who completed at least one semester in current program and have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better
- Post-secondary students only (must have a high school diploma or GED)

Details:

- Submit 1 recommendation form
 - Must be from a Washburn Tech Instructor within current technical program
- Award amount - \$500

Ed Bozarth Chevrolet #1 Buick GMC, Inc. Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply: (Will award one scholarship for the spring semester)

- Students enrolled in the final semester of the **Automotive Service Technician** program
- Students with a cumulative program GPA of 3.0 or better
- Post-secondary students only (must have a high school diploma or GED)

Details:

- Submit 2 recommendation forms
 - Must be from two of the Washburn Tech Automotive Instructors
- Award amount - \$500

Rita C. and Paul B. Etzel Scholarship Fund

Who qualifies to apply: (Multiple scholarships may be awarded for the spring semester)

- Students enrolled in **Practical Nursing, Surgical Technology, Commercial and Heavy Construction, Diesel Technology**
- Students with one completed full-day semester of minimum 12 credit hours with minimum GPA 3.0
- Preference is given to non-traditional students with minor, dependent children.

Details:

- Submit 2 recommendation forms
 - Must be a professional recommendation, a Washburn Tech instructor in current program, or a work supervisor. Recommendation forms from family members and friends will not be accepted.
- Award Amount - \$500

Eldon Gideon Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply: (Two scholarship will be awarded spring semester)

- Must be Seaman high school graduate (no specific date of graduation)
- No record of participation in any extracurricular competitive sport while in high school (Tech will verify with Seaman High School administration)
- Must have one completed semester in one of the programs listed below
- **Post-secondary student** enrolled in one of the following programs: **Advanced Systems Technology, Auto Collision, Auto Service Tech, Building Tech, Cabinet/Millwork, Climate & Energy, Commercial & Heavy Construction, Diesel Tech, Electrical Tech, Heavy Diesel Tech, Information Systems Tech, Machine Tool (48 credit program), Tech Drafting**

Details:

- Submit 1 recommendation form; must be completed by current instructor within your technical program
- Award amount -\$500

William T. Goff Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply: (may award two post-secondary and two high school scholarships for the spring semester)

- Students enrolled in **Welding – Cert C – 48 credit hour**
 - Students enrolled in Fast Track Welding program are **not** eligible for this scholarship
- Students with one completed semester in welding with a cumulative program GPA of 2.75 or better and 90% or better attendance rate
- High school and post-secondary students
 - High school students must submit a high school transcript with a GPA or 2.5 or higher

Details:

- Submit 1 recommendation form
 - Must be from an instructor in the 48 credit hour welding program
- Award Amount
 - \$600 – post-secondary recipient
 - \$300 – high school recipient

Guardian Angel Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply: (will award one scholarship for the spring semester)

- Students enrolled in Practical Nursing – Day or Evening
- **Must be enrolled in the first semester (1st or 2nd semester for evening)**
- Must identify as non-white
- Must be financially needy (eligible for Pell Grant)
- Must be a Kansas Resident
- Must be making Satisfactory Academic Progress in all enrolled courses (earning a “C” or higher in all enrolled courses)

Details:

- Submit the Guardian Angel application (separate application)
- Submit 2 recommendations forms
- Award Amount - \$1000
- Scholarship is renewable for following semester if a 2.5 or better Grade Point Average is achieved at the end of the spring semester

Hess Memorial Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply: (will award two scholarships for the spring semester)

- Post-secondary student enrolled in Machine/Tool (48 credit hour program) or Welding (48 credit hour program)
- Must have high school diploma or GED; high school diploma must reflect a cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.3 or higher

Details:

- Submit 1 Scholarship recommendation Form (use form provided). Recommendation must be from high school teacher, counselor, coach, or other school personnel with knowledge of work habits **OR** from a work supervisor where individual is/was employed for 1 year or more
- Award Amount - \$300

KBS Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply: (may award two high school and two post-secondary scholarships for the spring semester)

- Students enrolled in **Carpentry, Cabinet and Millwork, Climate and Energy Control, Commercial and Heavy Construction, or Electrical Technology**
- High school and post-secondary students
- New and continuing students
 - Continuing students must have a 3.0 GPA or better in the current technical program

Details:

- Submit 1 recommendation form
 - Must be a professional recommendation, such as a high school teacher, a Washburn Tech instructor, or a work supervisor. Recommendation forms from family members and friends will not be accepted.
- Award Amount - \$250

Phlebotomy Scholarship (Post-secondary students may also be eligible for Kansas Promise and JEDO scholarship of \$300) Multiple scholarships may be awarded

Who qualifies to apply:

- High School and Post-Secondary students who are determined to have financial need.
- Postsecondary students must complete the FAFSA using the following website: www.fafsa.ed.gov.
- High school students must submit documentation from their high school verifying they are eligible for free or reduced textbooks.

Details and how to apply:

- Award amount - \$600

Practical Nursing Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply:

- Students enrolled in the **final semester** of the Practical Nursing program
- Students who have earned all A's and B's within the Practical Nursing program; pre-requisite course grades are not considered
- Post-secondary students (must have a high school diploma or GED)

Details:

- Submit 2 recommendation forms
 - Must be from Practical Nursing instructors, one from Level 1 and one from Level 2
- Award amount - \$500

Yingling Scholarship

Who qualifies to apply: (Will award one scholarship for the spring semester)

- Students enrolled in **Automotive Service Technician or Auto Collision**
- Students with one completed semester in current program with a cumulative program GPA of 2.5 or better
- Post-secondary students only (must have a high school diploma or GED)

Details:

- Submit 1 recommendation form
 - Must be from a Washburn Tech Instructor in your current technical program
- Award Amount - \$500