

2026 Application

NIAGARA WHEATFIELD TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

General Information

1. The Scholarship Committee shall consist of five (5) members: Chairperson appointed by the NWTA President; a School Counselor; Senior High teacher; a Middle School teacher; and two Elementary School teachers.
2. The award is \$500 for one year.
3. The Scholarship winner will receive two checks, each \$250, to be remitted after the successful completion of each semester of his/her freshman year.

Eligibility Information

1. Applicants must be graduating Niagara Wheatfield High School student.
2. Applicants must be in the upper half of the graduating class.
3. Applicants must be planning to attend an accredited higher institution of learning.

Application Procedure

1. Applicants must complete and submit a student data sheet.
2. Applicants must submit a typed composition which includes:
 - a.) General information about oneself.
 - b.) Reasons for selecting a specific college and field of study.
(Please elaborate on a and b so the committee can learn more about you and your personal goals.)
3. Applicants must submit an official high school transcript.
4. Applicants must submit at least one letter of reference from a teacher, activity advisor or employer.
5. **Data sheet, composition, official transcript, letter of reference, and photograph must be received by 2:30 p.m. on March 13, 2026.**

Send application to: Lindsay Yates
Niagara Wheatfield Teachers' Association
c/o Niagara Wheatfield High School
Post Office Box 309
2292 Saunders Settlement Road
Sanborn, NY 14132
0. The top five finalists will be interviewed by the Committee. A winner will then be selected.

Basis for Determining Award (weighted 1/3 each)

1. Composition
2. Transcript (academics, activities, etc.)
3. Interview

Failure to adhere to the application procedure will result in disqualification.

Two NWTA Scholarships will be awarded in 2026. Good Luck!

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Student Data Sheet
NIAGARA WHEATFIELD TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

NAME _____

HOME ADDRESS _____

Student's Cell # _____

Student's email address _____

What college are you planning to attend in the fall?

What is your intended field of study? _____

Family Information:

Father's name _____

Mother's name _____

Home phone number _____

Mailing address (if different from applicant's) _____

Are you the recipient of any other scholarships? If so, give names(s) and amount(s).

List other activities/accomplishments not included on your transcript.

(Important... Please check your personal email for the date and time of your interview. You will not receive a phone call, only an email.)