

RHONDA WEBSTER MEMORIAL
EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT OR ELEMENTARY EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

***** ONE \$500 SCHOLARSHIP *****

Qualification Criteria:

1. Applicant must be a graduating senior attending Fall Creek High School.
2. The recipient must be planning to study early childhood development or elementary education and attend an accredited college, university, or technical college.

Application Requirements:

1. Application deadline is 3:15 PM, March 1, 2024.
2. Interested students should submit an essay of 300-500 words on why their education will be focused on children ages birth to 3rd grade or elementary education and why they feel their attributes would make them successful with this age group.
3. Please proofread your submission to ensure correct spelling, grammar, and sentence structure.
4. Preference may be given to submissions that are NOT cut and pasted for multiple applications.
5. All applications should be completed via Google Classroom. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Ms. Volbrecht at lauravolbrecht@fallcreek.k12.wi.us or phone 715.788.1108. Thank you!

Scholarship Payment:

1. Scholarship checks will be made payable to the **recipient and school** by the Treasurer of the Fall Creek Area Foundation and mailed to the recipient's home or current address.
2. The recipient must provide a transcript to the Foundation Treasurer as proof of successful completion of the semester and enrollment in the upcoming semester.
3. Payment will be made after the completion of the first semester of study.
4. A written request for an alternative payment can be made to the Foundation Treasurer. All scholarships for the Class of 2024 will be distributed by the end of 2025.
5. Failure to comply with the requirements and deadlines will mean forfeiture of the scholarship.

Additional Information:

The student receiving the scholarship must write a thank you letter to the sponsor by June 30, 2024.
Mail to: The Fall Creek Area Foundation
PO Box 412
Fall Creek, WI 54742

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Biographical Information:

Rhonda was born April 25, 1953 in Eau Claire, Wisconsin. She grew up in the Augusta Area and graduated from Augusta High School in 1971. She received an Associate Degree from CVTC in Haute Cuisine. Rhonda met George Webster while cooking at the Baliwick Supper Club in Osseo. They married in 1974, initially living in Augusta, but later settling in the Town of Lincoln to raise their two children, Lee and Tonya. After the children were born, she volunteered at the Fall Creek Schools in a variety of capacities and subsequently was employed there as an Elementary, Special Education, and Kindergarten aid for 30 years. She also was a part of providing Before School, Lunchroom and Playground Supervision, and coordinating the Safety Patrol student crossing guards. Rhonda loved cooking, flowers and gardening, as well as singing in Church, Gospel, and Madrigal choirs.

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