

Lila Draper Burton Scholarship

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LILA DRAPER BURTON SCHOLARSHIP

The **LILA DRAPER BURTON SCHOLARSHIP** Trust Fund was established as a result of a bequest by Lila Draper Burton, a Waukesha County resident, indicating her faith in the young people of Waukesha County and her belief in the value of an education.

AMOUNT OF SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship is a four (4) year, \$1,200 per year (\$1,800 for persons attending Carroll University in Waukesha), and contingent upon satisfactory scholarship/personal performance. (*Please see payment contingencies.*) The number of scholarships awarded is dependent upon the income of the Trust Fund. Last year the committee awarded 23 scholarships to Waukesha County graduating seniors.

WHO MAY APPLY

The scholarship is limited to students who are residents of Waukesha County and who are graduates of a Waukesha County public or private high school. While the intent of the donor was to encourage attendance at Carroll University, students planning to attend other colleges or universities are eligible to apply. Currently, 15 of the active 70 recipients attend Carroll University.

QUALIFICATION FACTORS

Consideration will be given to all scholarship applicants based upon:

1. Scholarship achievement
2. Personality and character qualities
3. School citizenship
4. ACT and SAT Composite Scores
5. Financial need (only if financial statement completed)

PAYMENT CONTINGENCIES

8343680. Scholarship recipients must be full time students enrolled for a minimum of 24 credits per school year and a minimum of 12 credits per semester.

2. Scholarship recipients must maintain a GPA of 2.5 based on a 4.0 scale.
3. Scholarship recipients must send evidence of their current standing prior to payment being made for the following semester. This should include a copy of their prior semester transcript and enrollment information for the upcoming semester. Upon receipt of this evidence, payment will be authorized.

HOW TO APPLY

Application forms can be obtained from the guidance office of all high schools located in Waukesha County. Applications must be completed and returned to the high school guidance office on or before **March 13, 2026** to be considered for an award. Preliminary screening will be done by each school's scholarship committee. Finalists will be further screened and selected by the **LILA DRAPER BURTON SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE**.

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