

Breaking through Barriers

American Association of University Women

AAUW La Crosse Branch

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This application is also available on the AAUW-La Crosse website at: HYPERLINK
"https://lacrosse-wi.aauw.net/scholarships/" www.lacrosse-wi.aauw.net/scholarships

2021

AAUW La Crosse Branch Scholarship for High School Students Pursuing Higher Education Next Year

Note: AAUW scholarship funds are managed and distributed by the La Crosse
Community Foundation

Purpose: AAUW is a national organization that advances equity for women and girls
through advocacy, education, philanthropy and research. AAUW La Crosse Branch
offers our scholarships to male or female students.

AAUW scholarships are funded in part by profits from the annual La Crosse AAUW
Art Fair on the Green.

The AAUW will award at least one \$1000 scholarship and will consider financial need
and special circumstances.

Eligibility {NOTE: The review committee will not review an incomplete application
or a late arriving application}

An applicant must be committed to enrolling full time for the next academic year in
an institution of higher education (excluding proprietary schools).

An applicant must remain on track to graduate this academic year from one of the
following schools:

Central High School in La Crosse, Wisconsin;
Logan High School in La Crosse, Wisconsin;
Holmen High School in Holmen, Wisconsin;
Onalaska High School in Onalaska, Wisconsin;
West Salem High School in West Salem, Wisconsin;
La Crescent High School in La Crescent, Minnesota;
or Kee High School in Lansing, Iowa.

An applicant must submit a typed 300-500 word essay. Include in the essay
an explanation of: educational goals, why or how receiving this scholarship
will support educational opportunity, and financial need or special circumstances
effecting educational progress.

An applicant must submit two signed letters of recommendation - one from a teacher
and one of the applicant's choice. Both letter writers must address the applicant's potential
to succeed in higher education.

An applicant must submit a resume or a listing of education related activities and involvements in the community.

An applicant must submit a transcript (official or unofficial).

An applicant must submit all required materials by the deadline.

An applicant must include the following information and signature on a cover page.

Student Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

e-mail: _____

Applied to the following colleges:

Accepted at and planning to attend:

Signature of the Applicant: _____

Date: _____

[With your signature, you attest to the accuracy of all the information included in your application.]

By February 8, 2021:

Deliver your completed application with all required materials to your counselor in the high school. Your counselor will forward all application files to AAUW by February 9, 2021.