



The Ellen Eberhardt Memorial Scholarship

Friends and family established the Ellen Eberhardt Memorial Scholarship in memory of Ellen in 1995. Ellen was a person who marveled at every living creature that flew, hopped, crawled, ran or swam across her path, as well as the stars and planets that twinkled in the sky above her head. Over the years she shared her love of nature, and her smiles and laughter with thousands of children and adults through the programs she taught.

The Ellen Eberhardt Memorial Scholarship provides support to a student entering a 4-year college or university with the intent to pursue a career in education with a focus on biology or earth science. If there is no qualified student entering this field, the award may be directed to a student entering any field of teaching biology, or earth science, or the field of elementary education.

The Ellen Eberhardt Memorial Scholarship
is held by the
Steuben County Community Foundation.

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Requirements:

- The student(s) must be a Steuben County resident.
- The student(s) must be a graduating senior from a Steuben County high school.
- The student(s) should be entering a 4-year college or university with the intent to pursue a career in environmental education, biology, earth science, or elementary education. If there are no qualified students, then the award may be directed to a student in the field of teaching.
- The student(s) must demonstrate financial need.
- Attachments requested are provided along with the application.

Selection committee:

- Family members take an active role in the selection process and award presentation
- Representative(s) of the Steuben County Community Foundation.

Miscellaneous:

- The scholarship may be used for tuition, books, supplies, room & board, or other school-related expenses.
- If the student fails to attend as planned, the college will be instructed to return the scholarship money to the Steuben County Community Foundation to be deposited in the Ellen Eberhardt Memorial Scholarship Fund, or an alternate could be awarded the scholarship.
- Modifications to the criteria above can be made at the request of, and with the approval of the Eberhardt family.

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS MARCH 15 OF THE CURRENT YEAR



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Scholarship Application

Please print

Name: _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Address: _____ City: _____ St: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Father's Name: _____ Mother's Name: _____

Employed At: _____ Employed At: _____

How many brothers and sisters live in the home with you? _____

Of these, how many are in college/tech school? _____

List college/university where you have been accepted. Indicate your course of study.

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EXPENSES

Approximate tuition, room & board, books:

INCOME

Parents approx. annual income: _____

Family contribution: _____

Your savings: _____

Your summer income: _____

Scholarships: _____

Financial Aid from college: _____

TOTAL available for college: _____

List honors, activities including summer work, and awards for high school, community, church or civic:

Attachments:

- Copy of school transcripts.
- Supporting statements from former teachers or supervisors of any paid or volunteer work in your chosen field. List three references, giving name, title, address and phone number for this:
1: _____
2: _____
3: _____
- Attach sheet telling us why you chose teaching in this field, why you believe you are qualified, and your future plans and goals.

Certification

I certify that all the information on this form is true and complete to the best of my (our) knowledge and the essay is my own work. . If asked by the Steuben County Community Foundation, I (we) agree to give documentation for information given on this form. Further, I certify that I meet the intent of the scholarship fund for which I have applied as stated in their guidelines

Applicant Signature (Date)

Parent (or spouse) signature (Date)

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