

Wisconsin Title I Association Student Scholarship

Dear Title I Coordinator/Counselor/Principal,

The Wisconsin Title I Association will be awarding up to four \$1,500 scholarships to high school seniors from Wisconsin. A scholarship committee from the Association will choose the student recipients. The scholarship will be awarded to the recipients at the Wisconsin Title I Association's spring meeting.

The scholarships are available to students to further their education by pursuing a two-year certificate or four year degree. Students who apply must have been in a Title I Program sometime during their Early Childhood through Grade 12 school career. Public as well as private school Title I students are eligible to apply.

The Treasurer of the Wisconsin Title I Association will make scholarship payments directly to the school/college that the recipient will attend.

APPLICANT MUST:

- Be a resident of Wisconsin
- Be a graduate of an accredited high school
- Show a sincere desire and interest in furthering his/her education
- Plan to attend an accredited university, college, or two-year technical college
- Have been in a Title I Program between early childhood and grade 12

Submit the completed scholarship form postmarked by midnight, **February 1, 2018** to:

Linda Bruun
501 K St
Reedsburg, WI 53959
lbruun@rsd.k12.wi.us

Upon further study of the applications, a member of the scholarship committee may interview individuals who qualify.

13. Add additional comments below or attach a separate sheet if necessary.

14. HOW DID PARTICIPATION IN THE TITLE I PROGRAM BENEFIT YOU?

- You must attach a minimum of one paragraph answering this question.
- Your answer must clearly explain the benefits you experienced by being part of a Title I program and at what point in your education you were in the program; be specific.

15. WHY DO YOU WISH TO FURTHER YOUR EDUCATION?

- Please attach an essay of 300 words or less.
- The essay is a very important part of the application.
- The essay should show:
 - Sincere desire to further education for continued self-growth
 - Definite educational goals
 - Clarity, neatness and expressiveness

Please indicate the number of words in your essay: _____ words
Applications with essays of over 300 words will **NOT** be considered. (See Application Rubric and Essay Rubric available online)

16. Please attach two or more letters of recommendation. (One letter must be from a Professional school staff member.)

17. Have an official from your high school complete the section below.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Certification by school official of participation in Title I

I certify that _____ was in a Title I program
sometime during his/her Early Childhood through grade 12 school years.

Signature of Counselor or School Official Date

Print counselor's/school official's name: _____

School Position

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Telephone Number

Name of High School