



## Scholarship Program

Park State Bank will award four non-renewable \$1500 scholarships to qualified, and committee selected graduating seniors who will be attending a community college or four-year university. This program was instituted at Park State Bank as a way to show our commitment to the community and our belief in today's youth.

Ideal candidates will be students of excellent academic achievement, who possess a variety of interests and leadership experience, show consistent community involvement, and the willing desire to make their community a better place. Knowledge is power, and education is the key to a better future for everyone.

### Eligibility

- Applicant must be currently enrolled as a high school senior.
- Applicant must attend an accredited community college or four-year university (public or private) full-time in the fall following his or her senior year.
- Applicant must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale.
- Applicant must supply a copy of their college schedule before scholarship funds are released. Checks will be made payable to the college they will be attending in the fall.
- Applicant does not need to be a Park State Bank customer.
- Park State Bank employee family members are not eligible.
- Must be a resident of Minnesota, Superior, WI or within a 25-mile radius of Superior, WI.

### Application

- Interested students must complete the application by March 3, 2025.
- Include two Letters of Recommendation. Include: Name, Relationship, and Email Address.
- All information received is considered confidential and is reviewed only by the Park State Bank Scholarship Committee.
- Applications can be emailed to: [marketing@parkstatebank.com](mailto:marketing@parkstatebank.com)

### Selection of Recipients

Park State Bank operates on our five Core Values: Growth, Teamwork, Responsive, Transparent and Innovative. Scholarship recipients are selected on the basis of academic record, potential to succeed, leadership, participation in school and community activities, honors received and alignment of our Core Values. Financial need is not considered.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Name:			
Mailing Address (Street):	City:	State:	Zip:
Email Address:			
Phone Number:	Date of Birth:	Age:	
High School Attending:	Current GPA:	Graduation Date:	
Guidance Counselor Name:		Phone Number:	
What community college or four-year university school do you plan to attend in the fall?			
Have You Applied? Yes      No	Have You Been Accepted? Yes      No	Expected Major:	Career Choice:

1. Describe school, community, extracurricular, and leadership activities inside/outside of school.

2. List any honors, awards, prizes, accomplishments, or any other recognition received while in high school.

3. Why did you choose your major and how will it propel you to succeed in your future career?

4. During your high school career, please explain a time you had to make a forward thinking decision?