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## **Scholarship Requirements**

1. Applicant must be a resident of West Virginia.
2. Applicant must be enrolled in *or* have attended an ABE/GED or Literacy program in the past.
3. Applicant must truthfully and completely fill-in the Student's Application Form.
4. Submitted application form must be accompanied by a Teacher/Tutor's (*ABE/GED or literacy tutor*) Recommendation Letter.
5. Applicant must be enrolled in higher education for the current or upcoming semester.
6. The student must submit a receipt of payment for tuition (on school letterhead) for the current or upcoming semester. (*This is to verify that student is enrolled*)
7. After the judging committee has reviewed the application forms & the recommendation letters, scholarship recipients will be sent a check *up to* the amount of \$250. (Some scholarships may be less than that based upon committees findings.)
8. Scholarships may be used for expenses such as travel to and from school, clothing, child-care, food, etc.

**The Teacher/Tutor's Recommendation Letter and Student Application must be attached and returned to:**

**Kathy Hollingsworth, Executive Director  
WVAEA, Inc.  
RESA III, 501 22nd Street  
Dunbar, WV 25064**

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# Teacher/Tutor's Letter of Recommendation

(DATE) \_\_\_\_\_

To the BOLT Scholarship Committee,

I would like to recommend (*Name of student*) \_\_\_\_\_, to be considered for a scholarship from WVAEA, Inc. - Student Affiliate, BOLT (*Building Opportunities for Learning Together*) because he/she will/has enrolled at \_\_\_\_\_ (*college or vocational school*) for the \_\_\_\_\_ semester.

He/She is/was my student in (*GED/ABE/Literacy Program*) \_\_\_\_\_, from (*Date*) \_\_\_\_\_ to (*Date*) \_\_\_\_\_. Student is/was present in the classroom \_\_\_\_\_% of the time. He/She participate(s/d) regularly in our class activities and discussions. He/She has/had a positive attitude, want(s/ed) to learn, work(s/ed) hard and studie(s/ed) diligently.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

\_\_\_\_\_  
*teacher/tutor's signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*date*

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Additional notes/comments from teacher/tutor:

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Program location:

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Teacher/Tutor email:

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Phone number:

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# Student's Application Form

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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What is your career goal?

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What vocational school, college or university do you plan to attend or are you currently attending?

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Why should you receive a scholarship?

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How will this scholarship help you?

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Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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