

Ronald C. Dunlap Memorial Scholarship



About Ronald C. Dunlap:

Mr. Dunlap was an educator and administrator with the Appleton Area School District where he served as principal of Lincoln Elementary School (renamed Ronald C. Dunlap Elementary School in July 2021) and then as the district's director of minority student services. Mr. Dunlap also served his community in various leadership roles. He brought great wisdom and compassion to his work. This scholarship continues his legacy of encouraging students to overcome barriers to achieve academic excellence.



Amount of Award:

Four (4) non-renewable scholarships of \$1,000.00 each.

Who May Apply:

Students graduating from Appleton West, North or East high schools, or Appleton Central.

Students who have participated in extra-curricular activities, community activities and service. **While not a requirement, the ideal candidates would be past recipients of the Ron Dunlap Student Success Award and are especially encouraged to apply.**

Basis for Selection:

Students who have maintained a GPA of 2.0 or better, who have demonstrated resiliency to overcome challenges, who have a strong desire to learn and succeed, and who plan to further their education at an accredited technical school, college or university.

How to Apply:

Access the [Scholarship Portal](#) and complete the *Appleton Education Foundation Universal Application*. AEF shares this portal with the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region and Women's Fund. Check both for additional scholarship opportunities.

Selection:

Recipients are selected in spring by each school's Scholarship Selection Committee, according to the eligibility criteria. The schools notify the Appleton Education Foundation after the selections are made.

Timing:

The application deadline is noted on the [AEF website](#). All applicants will be notified of the selection committee's decision by the end of May. The recipient must provide proof of enrollment to the Appleton Education Foundation prior to release of the scholarship check.

More information:

The Ronald C. Dunlap Memorial Scholarship is administered by the Appleton Education Foundation. For more information regarding the scholarship payment process please read the [Scholarship Recipient FAQs](#) or call us at 920-832-1517.