

Boone Electric Community Trust

\$2,000 Bob Alderson Scholarship

High School Application



Nine recipients of the Bob Alderson Boone Electric Community Trust High School Scholarship will be announced in May 2019. Scholarships may be awarded to one senior from each of the following high schools:

- Battle High School
- Centralia High School
- Douglass High School
- Hallsville High School
- Harrisburg High School
- Hickman High School
- Rock Bridge High School
- Southern Boone County High School
- Sturgeon High School

The attached application form gives further details of eligibility and procedures. All high school applicants should consult their school's Guidance Office for their deadline. Be sure to return your completed application to your high school guidance counselor. If you have further questions, contact the Rhonda Proctor at 573-449-4181 or rproctor@booneelectric.com.

The Boone Electric Community Trust was established in December 1997 to provide grants for charitable or educational projects in the Boone Electric Cooperative service area. A board of trustees appointed by the Cooperative's Board of Directors manages the Community Trust.

The Community Trust is funded from three sources. The first is Operation Round Up, which enables Boone Electric members to round up their electric bill to the next higher dollar amount each month. The second is through unclaimed capital credits, those capital credits checks that are undeliverable because members have moved and left no forwarding address. One-time donations, estates and other contributions may also be part of Trust funding.

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Eligibility:

1. You must permanently reside in the Boone Electric Cooperative service area.
However, your parents/guardians do not have to be members of the Cooperative.
2. You must attend or plan to attend an accredited college, university or other post-secondary institution (trade or technical school) within the U.S.
3. You must demonstrate evidence of financial need.
4. Full-time college enrollment is required.

Procedure:

1. You must be accepted to an accredited college, university or other post-secondary institution (trade or technical school) within the U.S. and submit a financial aid application, including the Free Application for Federal Student Aid, to that institution.
2. You must submit the following information to receive consideration for a Trust scholarship:
 - Completed, typed scholarship application. All questions must be answered.
 - High school transcript.
 - One recommendation form. References from family members will not be accepted.
3. Your application will be rated based on the following criteria:
 - Scholastic achievement
 - Financial need
 - Community service
 - Leadership activities
4. Scholarship funds will be disbursed directly to the college or university you attend at the beginning of each semester. You must meet the institution's requirements for enrollment and satisfactory academic progress in order to receive awarded funds.

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A. General Information

1. Name:
2. Address (street, city, state, zip):
3. Daytime Phone:
4. Email Address:
5. Please list dependents living in current household and their relationship to you:
6. Do any other family members or dependents attend college? Yes No
7. What college, university or post-secondary institution do you plan to attend?

List the address and phone number of the financial aid office of the institution you plan to attend.

8. Intended course of study:
9. For how many credit hours do you intend to enroll?
(*You must be enrolled full time to receive the scholarship.*)
per semester: per year:
10. What is your anticipated (college/university/post-secondary) graduation date?
11. Describe your career plans:
12. Describe your community service and/or leadership activities:
13. List honors or awards that you have received:

B. Scholastic Achievement (Please attach a copy of your high school transcript)

1. High school grade point average:
2. ACT Score: SAT Score:

C. Financial Information

1. Will your parents/guardians or others help finance your education? Yes No

If yes, what will be their estimated contribution *per semester*?

Parents/Guardian:

Other:

2. Please list all scholarships, grants and/or loans that you are receiving and the amount *per semester*:

3. Do you plan to work while in school? Yes No

If no, please skip to question #4.

Do you plan to work full or part time? Full time Part time

What will your income be *per semester*?

Will your employer provide tuition reimbursement? Yes No

If yes, please explain provisions.

4. What other sources of income will you utilize if you do not receive this scholarship?

D. Expenses

1. What is the anticipated cost *per year* at your chosen college/university/post-secondary institution?
2. Please provide any additional information you think might convince the selection committee that you should be chosen to receive this scholarship.

The information contained in this application is for the purpose of obtaining funding from the Boone Electric Community Trust on behalf of the undersigned. The undersigned agrees that the information provided is used to determine grant funding, and the undersigned represents and warrants that the information provided is true and correct until a written notice of change is provided. The Boone Electric Community Trust is authorized to make all inquiries that they deem necessary to verify the accuracy of the statement made herein.

Signature of Applicant_____

Date_____

Please give completed application and related documents to the Guidance Office at your school.

Before you turn in this application:

- Verify that all portions of the application are completed.
- Make sure that you have included one recommendation form.
- Sign and date the application.
- Verify that you have included your high school transcript.