



# DAIRYLAND POWER COOPERATIVE CAREERS SCHOLARSHIP RULES

1. The Dairyland Power Cooperative Careers Scholarship was established for students who are currently enrolled in a post-secondary education program and are returning for at least their second year of education (trade school, 2-year program or 4-year program).
2. Applicant's parents or legal guardians must be ACEC members.
3. Children or grandchildren of ACEC employees or Board of Directors are not eligible.
4. Priority consideration will be given to students pursuing studies for careers found in electric utility settings (engineering, IT, communications, economics, human resources, public relations, finance/accounting, etc.).
5. Students must maintain a minimum 3.0 grade point average (GPA). Preference will be given to students with community service activities.
6. Applicants must completely fill out and sign the application. Use additional pages as needed.
7. Students must answer one of three suggested essay questions (300-500 words). Essays that are AI-written will be disqualified.
8. The scholarship committee shall select one student annually to receive a one-time scholarship in the amount of \$1,000.
9. The Dairyland Power Cooperative Careers Scholarship winner will be announced in the spring. Scholarship funds will be paid directly to the educational institution attended by the scholarship winner upon receiving a grade transcript or other notice of adequate completion of the fall semester and enrollment for the spring semester.
10. Should the recipient fail to meeting the guidelines established above within two years of the date of the award, the scholarship shall become void. The winner shall not be entitled to collect the Dairyland Power Cooperative Careers Scholarship or any portion thereof.