

\$1,000 FEDERATED YOUTH FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS 2026

Eau Claire Energy Cooperative





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APPLICATION DEADLINE January 9, 2026

A scholarship application form must be completed and returned to the high school, college, technical college or other post-secondary school student office (whichever applies) on or before January 9, 2026. **Do not submit** the application to Eau Claire Energy Cooperative.*

SELECTION CRITERIA:

- 1. The student's parent or guardian must be a member of Eau Claire Energy Cooperative and currently receive ECEC energy service at their residence.
- 2. The scholarships should be awarded to qualifying students who would not otherwise receive scholarships from other sources.
- 3. The student must display average or above average academic records.
- 4. The student must display the potential to continue achievement in a post-secondary public or private college, university junior college or vocational school program.

SELECTION OF STUDENTS:

Each school's Scholarship Committee will select one first choice recommendation and an alternate recommendation, and include the following:

- Application form
- Photo of the student (if available at that time)
- Comments to support the nomination of that student

The Scholarship Committee must submit the above information no later than February 10, 2026 to:

Eau Claire Energy Cooperative ATTN: Scholarship Coordinator 8214 Hwy 12 PO Box 368 Fall Creek, WI 54742



MONETARY DISBURSEMENT:

The student scholarship recipient will receive the funds after registering for one semester in the fall of 2026. The funds are requested from the Federated Youth Foundation after the student provides Eau Claire Energy Cooperative with a copy of their registration that shows course enrollment for that semester.

ALTERNATE SELECTION:

If the first choice recipient fails to comply with the selection criteria, or does not enroll in the fall 2026 semester, then the alternate student will be selected and must comply per above standards.

*Homeschool students, please contact the scholarship coordinator for instructions on how to submit your application.

OUESTIONS:

Please contact Jeni Thorpe, Scholarship Coordinator at Eau Claire Energy Cooperative at 715-836-6461 or jthorpe@ecec.com

STUDENT DATA: 1. Full Name: Last ______ First _____ Middle _____ 2. Date of Birth ______ Telephone_____ 3. Email: _____ 4. Address: _____ (Number and Street) (City) (Zip) 5. Family's Eau Claire Energy Cooperative Account Number: _____ (obtain from your monthly energy bill) 6. Please complete the following information applicable to your situation: Parent Name_____Occupation____ Parent Name_____ Occupation____ Guardian Occupation Spouse, if applicable Occupation 7. Number of children living at home under 18 years of age, or in college: _____ **EDUCATION:** 1. Name of high school or post-secondary school you presently attend ______ 2. Graduation Date _____ 3. Overall Grade Point Average_____ (attach a copy of your high school or post-secondary school grade transcript) 4. Academic achievements, activities outside of the classroom, work, or other unique circumstances not reflected in your grades: 5. Education Plans: List the post-secondary school that you plan to attend and your course of study (Major/Minor) 6. Type of work or position you are presently interested in after graduation from post-secondary school 7. Please furnish any additional information you would like which you feel may help you attain this scholarship. Perhaps information about yourself and your family interests, hobbies, summer or after-school jobs, additional community or extracurricular activities, etc.

8.State in detail how you plan to fina	ance your post-se	condary educ	cation.
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