

GFWC Woman's Club of Kankakee Scholarship 2021

General Federation of Woman's Club of Kankakee

The General Federation of Woman's Clubs is an international women's organization dedicated to community improvement by enhancing the lives of others through volunteer service. Founded in 1890, The General Federation of Women's Club has grown to over 80,000 members in affiliated clubs in every state, the District of Columbia, and more than a dozen countries, GFWC members work in their own communities to support the arts, preserve natural resources, advance education, promote healthy lifestyles, encourage civic involvement, and work toward world peace and understanding. The General Federation of Woman's Club of Kankakee offers \$1,000 to Kankakee County graduating seniors based on outstanding academic record and leadership, financial need, and goals to graduate from a post-secondary institution.

Requirements for the GFWC Woman's Club of Kankakee Scholarship 2021

A: Applicant must:

1. be graduating from an accredited high school in Kankakee County.
2. be a citizen of the United States and have lived in Kankakee County for at least one year at the time of application.
3. be scholastically in the upper 25% of his/her class.
4. demonstrate financial need.
5. document leadership in school and community organizations on separate sheet.
6. letter of acceptance at an accredited United States university/college and enrollment in a course of study that will lead to a baccalaureate degree.
7. list of other scholarships applied for or received.

B: The following must be completed before an applicant can be considered for this scholarship.

A complete scholarship application must be submitted in a large manila envelope and must include all of the following:

1. your personal information
2. essay
3. parent/guardian's information
4. an official high school transcript in a sealed envelope including SAT or ACT score, if available.
5. letter of recommendation from a high school teacher or counselor in a sealed envelope
6. letter of reference from person school or family.

C: The entire application must be submitted to the following Scholarship Committee Chair by April 1, 2021. (postmarked on or before April 1, 2021).

All incomplete or late applications will not be considered for this application.

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Kankakee, IL 60901

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Part 1: Student Information (To be completed by the applicant)	Please complete all information in this column. The page must be typed.
Name:	
Street Address City, Zip	
Phone	
E-mail	
Date of Birth	
High School where you will graduate	
Number of students in graduating class	
Class Academic rank	
High School Counselor	
College/University where you will Attend	
Your planned major(s)/minor(s)	
Your planned future career(s)	
University Student Number *	
College/University Registrar's * Complete Address	

*(required to send payment and for verification of student's acceptance and attendance with Admission Office)

Part 2: Student's essay | No less than 200 words, max 500

(To be completed only by the applicant)

The essay must be typed.

- Please include:**
- 1) your university and career goals**
 - 2) an explanation of how you would benefit from this scholarship**
 - 3) Feel free to include any other pertinent information**

Part 3: Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Information (To be completed by the parent(s)/ guardian(s) (This part must be typed or neatly written in pen.)	Please complete all information in this column.
Name of Father or Guardian	
Business of employment	
Financial difficulties/hardships/o bligations	
Father or Guardian Signature	
Date	

Name of Mother or Guardian	
Business of employment	
Financial difficulties/hardships/obligations	
Mother or Guardian Signature	
Date	

