

## **Iowa Chapter #5 Scholarship Guidelines**

Iowa Chapter #5 scholarships are intended for graduating high-school seniors. All full-time students may also apply. Scholarship money will be paid directly to students.

\$7,500 in scholarship money per year is available. The distribution of funds will be determined by scholarship committee after all applications are received. The deadline is April 30<sup>th</sup>.

There will be five \$1,000 scholarships and up to five \$500 scholarships (to supplement the memorial scholarships). The \$1,000 scholarship are disbursed twice per year (half in the first semester of the academic year and half in second semester). The \$500 scholarships are paid in the second semester (after the memorial scholarship is paid in the first semester).

Scholarship recipients must maintain 2.00 grade point average and take no fewer than 12 academic hours per semester. If these requirements are not met, the scholarship will be terminated. The second semester disbursements will be made only after the scholarship committee chairman receives the official transcript from the first semester.

Scholarships can be used at all four-year colleges and universities, junior and community colleges, vocational programs, and nurse training programs.

To be eligible for a Chapter #5 scholarship, the student must be a member of Iowa Chapter #5, or a direct descendent of a Chapter #5 member in good standing. Applicants should indicate member's name and how they are related.

A typed letter of application must be sent to the scholarship committee chairman by April 30<sup>th</sup> and include the following information:

- Name, home address, cell phone, home phone
- Wallet-size photo
- SAT or ACT scores
- Grade point average, class size, and class rank
- Activities and honors
- High-school transcript
- Future plans and goals
- Statement on how the scholarship funds will be used
- Any other information the student wishes to include

Successful applicants will be invited to attend a club meeting to receive their scholarship and give brief comments about themselves and their future plans.

Scholarships should be sent to:

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