

Kurt and Ellen Wohl Scholarship

Kurt and Ellen Wohl established this scholarship for “non-traditional” students. This is often a student returning to school after an extended period of time. A recipient of this scholarship must be 25 years or older and recently accepted at a technical school, college, university, or nursing school for a minimum of 6 credit hours per semester. The educational institution needs to be within 55 miles of Elmira. These include - but are not limited to - Elmira College, Keuka College, Binghamton University, Corning Community College, Arnot Ogden Medical Center and Elmira Business Institute. Candidates must have lived in Chemung County for more than two years and meet income requirements indicated below. Preference will be given to a student pursuing Early Childhood Education and/or certification.

The recipient's household income (include all sources of income) must meet the following requirements:

Family Size	Household income not to exceed
1	\$49,005
2	\$66,195
3	\$83,385
4	\$100,575
5	\$104,680
6	\$117,765
7	\$152,145
8	\$169,335

Please contact the Foundation for information concerning larger families.

Please answer all questions on the application and submit it no later than **February 16, 2012**. **Be sure to attach your most recent Federal Income Tax Return, your essay and reference.**

You will be notified of the Scholarship Committee’s decision in May.

If you have any questions, please contact the Foundation office at (607) 739-3900 or nvf@communityfund.org. Application forms may be reproduced.

Kurt and Ellen Wohl Scholarship Application

Please print or type/word process.
Completed application must be post-marked by **February 16, 2012.**

Name _____
Last First MI

Address _____
Street City Zip code

County _____ # of years in county _____

Number in household _____ Annual household income: _____
Please attach your most recent tax return.

E-Mail Address: _____

Telephone: Home _____ Work _____

Age: _____ Date of birth _____

High School: _____ Graduation Date _____

List any additional education completed - list school and dates:

List total credits or diploma earned: _____

If you are currently attending a college, university, technical school, or nursing school please list the following:

Name of educational institution _____

Anticipated graduation date _____

Where do you plan to attend in the fall? _____

How many credit hours do you anticipate taking? _____

What is your enrollment status? Accepted _____ Pending _____ Enrolled _____
Full time _____ Part time _____

What do you plan to study?

State your career and vocational goals upon completion of your degree.

Please list your employment experience:

Name of business	Telephone	Dates
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Give details of all scholarships, grants or loans you are seeking and indicate any already received and the amount. Please specify if these amounts are to be repaid:

Do you anticipate receiving a Pell, SEOG, EOP, or TAP grant? If so what amount do you expect to receive? _____

List memberships and participation in school and or community activities. List offices held, awards, etc.

Please indicate any unusual family or personal circumstances you feel may warrant the committee's attention: _____

Please list all sources of income. Be sure to include any gross investment income, disability, social security income, etc.

Attachments

Please attach your most recent Federal Income Tax Return.

Essay

On a separate sheet of paper write a brief essay that would best illustrate your motivation to further your education. **Please submit in typewritten, double spaced format.**

Reference

Please provide the Committee with a reference letter from someone who is familiar with you and your educational goals. Your reference can be attached to your application or sent independently. If it is sent independently, please include your name and that the reference is for the Kurt and Ellen Wohl Scholarship.

Certification

I hereby affirm, under penalty of loss of any award I may receive, that the information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I am aware of the conditions under which the awards are made and promise to inform the Community Foundation of Elmira-Corning and the Finger Lakes, Inc. of any change in circumstances of any additional aid received.

Applicant's Signature

If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Van Fleet at nvf@communityfund.org or 607-739-3900.

Please return completed applications to:

The Community Foundation
301 S. Main St.
Horseheads, NY 14845