2027 W.J. Fournet Scholarship Application

☐ First Time Applicant
☐ Second Time Applicant
☐ Third Time Applicant
☐ Fourth Time Applicant

LOUISIANA RURAL WATER ASSOCIATION
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Phone: 1-800-256-2591
Website: lrwa.org

APPLICATION MUST BE TYPED

How did you hear about this scholarship? (ex: magazine, individual, water supplier, etc.)

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PERSONAL DATA

Name _____
Last ***First*** ***Middle***

Mailing Address _____ Email Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

SS# _____ Daytime Contact Telephone ( ) _____

ELIGIBLE LRWA MEMBER SYSTEM *(Name of water/wastewater system that serves your home. This information can be taken from water or sewer bill.)*

Water/Wastewater System Name _____

Mailing Address _____ Telephone ( ) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

HIGH SCHOOL DATA

School Name _____ Graduation Date _____

Mailing Address _____ Telephone ( ) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Your Class Rank _____ Number of Students in Class _____

Your Grade Point Average _____ **(Transcript Must Be Submitted with Application)**

List Below Any Academic Awards, College Credits, Leadership in Community, Leadership in School, Memberships, or other special recognition you have received dating back to your sophomore year:

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(If additional space is needed, please attach another sheet to this application)

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY DATA/TECHNICAL INSTITUTE (College credits earned in high school should be listed in section above)

Is This Your First Year of Higher Education? Yes or No (Please circle one) _____

If "No", Indicate Credit Hours Completed _____

School Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Please Indicate _____ 4 Year College/University
_____ 2 Year Community/Junior College/Technical Institute

Major Course of Study _____

FINANCIAL DATA

Please indicate which income range matches your gross family income:

____ Under $30,000 ____ $30,000-$44,999 ____ $45,000-$59,999 ____ $60,000-$74,999 ____ over $75,000

If you are receiving other financial aid, please itemize by name and amount.

Name _____ Amount _____

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If there are any family circumstances that shall influence your need for financial assistance, please describe:

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Please add other activities including those that are work related:

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ESSAY

On a separate page in 250 words or less, please **type** a brief essay on your goals as they relate to your education, career, and future.

CERTIFICATION

In submitting this application, we certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of our knowledge. False information will result in the revocation of any scholarship granted.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

OFFICIAL RULES

This award of $2,000 will be made to a student to defray the cost of tuition, books, or room and board at an accredited institution of higher learning approved by the Louisiana Rural Water Association (LRWA). Disbursement of the money will be made upon presentation of winner's college invoice as proof of enrollment. The scholarship money will be paid directly to the student, ($500) per semester for 2 years upon receipt of proof of enrollment. Recipient must maintain a "C" or higher-Grade Point Average. Applicants must be a citizen or legal resident of the United States, a resident of the State of Louisiana and reside on a water and/or wastewater system that is a member of LRWA. **To be eligible, applicants must complete the application form in its entirety (TYPEWRITTEN) by completing all blanks and mailing to LRWA by the entry postmark deadline of March 5, 2027**. If an item is not applicable, please place "N/A" in the blank. All applicants will be first screened based on leadership responsibilities in community activities, school activities, grade point average and financial status. Please provide scholarship recommendation from principal and/or counselor, and college entrance test scores - ACT/SAT. Scholarship recipients will be selected based on the number, length of commitment, and quality of leadership responsibilities in community and school activities, awards, honors, academic record, career goals and financial need. Recipients will be notified by mail. Acceptance of scholarship constitutes permission to use recipient's name and/or likeness for purposes of promotion. Decisions will be final. No transfer of scholarship is permitted. Applicants must plan to attend an accredited school in the fall of 2027. Scholarship will be presented at the LRWA Conference in July 2027.

All items on the application, as well as the checklist, must be mailed to LRWA. The application will not be considered if it is not typed or if any item on the checklist is omitted.

Employees of Louisiana Rural Water Association, the Board of Directors, and their immediate families are not eligible.

LRWA Scholarship Application Checklist

Applicant Name: _____

____ Transcript (must be submitted)
____ Personal Essay (250 words or less)
____ Grade Point Average
____ Scholarship recommendations from counselor or principal
____ ACT/SAT Scores
____ Entering a Water Related Field (Y/N)
____ Completed Application and this checklist
____ Photograph (emailed jpg format to lsonnier@lrwa.org, subject line should state for LRWA Scholarship Application also include your name in the body of the email)

Additional Comments:

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*This form was designed to help you complete your LRWA Scholarship application, please take a moment to complete and return with all applicable documents as indicated above. The application will not be considered if one of these items is left out.