

Van Hoof Family Scholarship

The Van Hoof Family Scholarship Fund was established to provide post-secondary education scholarships for children and eligible stepchildren of employees of the Van Hoof Companies attending an accredited university or technical college, community college or junior college in pursuit of a bachelor or associate degree.

Eligibility:

To be eligible the applicant must be a current year graduating high school senior. Children and eligible stepchildren of associates employed at a Van Hoof Company who have completed one year of employment on or before April 1. Candidates must have a cumulative 3.0 GPA. (*Eligible stepchildren are those who reside in the employee's household at least 50% of the year, or for whom the employee is mandated to be financially responsible.*)

Award Amount:

Up to four scholarships may be awarded. Recipients attending a four-year college or university will receive a \$3,500 per year renewable scholarship award for up to four years (total \$14,000). Recipients attending a 2-year technical college, community college or junior college will receive a \$1,500 per year renewable scholarship for two years (total \$3,000).

Selection:

Recipients are selected each spring by the Community Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee. Selection will be based primarily on the student's academic performance as measured by secondary school grades with extracurricular activities and quality of application also used for consideration.

Payment Procedure:

Scholarship payments will be released upon submission of the following to the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region: completed scholarship verification form (located at <u>www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships</u>), and verification of full time student status (class schedule with credits listed). After approval of submitted documentation, the scholarship check will be paid directly to the school the recipient will be attending during the first semester. For subsequent years, the student must submit all the above documentation along with prior year's grade report (unofficial grade report will suffice). Most communications between the Community Foundation and the student will be via email; *please keep us advised of your current email address*.

Loss of Eligibility:

Failure to maintain full time student status at an accredited technical college, college or university with a 3.0 GPA at the end of each year.

Further Information:

For further information or to obtain scholarship forms please visit the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region's website at <u>www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships</u> or contact us at 920-702-7619 or <u>scholarships@cffoxvalley.org</u>.