

Proverbs 23:26 Scholarship

" My son, give me thine heart, and let thine eyes observe my ways."

Background:

Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary exists to fulfill the Great Commission by preparing pastors to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ throughout the world. Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary's mission is to train men to enter the pastoral ministry of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod (WELS) and to offer opportunities for theological and professional growth to all called workers.

To promote this mission through Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary and to offer specific encouragement to individual students at the Seminary, *Proverbs 23:26 Scholarship* has been established.



Eligibility: (taken into consideration to determine recipients)

- Graduates of Martin Luther College (or any other college of ministry operated by WELS)
- Pursuing theological training through Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary in preparation to enter the pastoral ministry of WELS as a full-time student
- Priority will be given to recipients of the *Ephesians 4:11-13 Scholarship*

Award Amount:

The award amount may vary. Typically, the award will be up to \$1,500 for a student entering his junior year at Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary.

Selection:

Recipient(s) will be recommended annually by the financial aid committee and administration of Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary.

- Priority will be given to recipients of the *Ephesians 4:11-13 Scholarship*, a scholarship awarded to graduates of Fox Valley Lutheran High School, Appleton, WI, in support of their first year at Martin Luther College. The Financial Aid Officer at the Seminary will be notified of each year's recipient of the *Ephesians 4:11-13 Scholarship* by the Fox Valley Lutheran High School selection committee.
- If no recipients of the *Ephesians 4:11-13 Scholarship* are enrolled as juniors at the Seminary, or if a recipient of the scholarship discontinues study at the Seminary, the scholarship may be awarded to another student based on financial need and academic merit.
- If multiple *Ephesians 4:11-13 Scholarship* recipients enroll as juniors in the same year, the award amount will be divided equally among the recipients.

Collecting the Award & Payment Procedure:

Recipients must fill out and submit Scholarship Acceptance Form and Scholarship Verification Form through the [Scholarship Portal](https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=cffvrscholar) (<https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=cffvrscholar>). Recipients are required to provide supporting documents *as instructed* in the Scholarship Verification Form, such as class registration/list **with** credits listed, proof of major, grade transcript, etc.

After approval of online Scholarship Verification Form, the scholarship check will be paid directly to the school the recipient will be attending. The **Community Foundation communicates with students via email**; it is the student's responsibility to keep their Scholarship Portal account updated with their current email address.

Loss of Eligibility:

Failure to register as a full-time student at Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary.

Further Information:

- Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary
- Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region
 - Website www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships/
 - Email scholarships@cffoxvalley.org
 - Phone 920.702.7629