



Ruth Williams Neabling and Richard Neabling Scholarship

Background:

The Neablings lived in Neenah for many years until retiring to Wautoma. Mr. Neabling died in 1993 and Mrs. Neabling died in October 2002 at age 90. Mrs. Neabling directed that a portion of her estate be used to establish a scholarship fund at the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region, Inc.

Eligibility: (taken into consideration to determine recipients)

- Graduating seniors from Wautoma High School **OR** graduating high school seniors who reside in the cities or towns of Neenah or Wautoma
- Planning to pursue post-secondary education at an accredited 2- or 4-year college, university, or technical school as a part-time or full-time student
- Minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA
- Involvement in the school community
- Preference will be given to members of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Neenah and Grace United Methodist Church in Wautoma
- Financial need will be considered

Award Amount:

Two \$3,500 per year renewable scholarship awards for up to four years (total \$14,000) for cost of attendance, payable annually for the first semester.

Selection:

Recipients are recommended each spring by the Community Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee.

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 maintain a part-time or full-time student status with a minimum 2.5 grade point average each semester.

Further Information:

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