

IF YOU WANT TO BE A TEACHER...

Since 1983, the East Williston Teachers' Association Scholarship Foundation has awarded scholarships to highly qualified Wheatley seniors who have decided to pursue careers in education. Our award, the David K. Israel Scholarship, has been set at a maximum amount of \$10,000. The winner is eligible to receive \$2,500 a year for each of four years of successful college achievement that can be documented by official transcripts.

In order to apply, a senior must meet the following qualifications:

1. Plan to pursue an undergraduate course of study in education
2. Has already achieved a minimum grade point average of 3.30 in grade 11 and in the first semester of grade 12.
3. Complete a scholarship application that includes:
 - Application form
 - Two (2) teacher recommendations
 - A brief essay explaining why you intend to enter the teaching profession that makes specific references to your motivation, personal experiences, and any related school and community service.
4. The completed application should be returned to Mrs. DeVoe in the Guidance Office.

The deadline for submitting the application is **May 26, 2017.**

TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FORM

The Wheatley School

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_____ has applied for this award. Please write a brief recommendation explaining why this student should receive this award. Keep in mind the intent of this award.

Signature _____ Date _____

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EAST WILLISTON TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
FOR
PROSPECTIVE TEACHERS

1. NAME _____
2. COLLEGE _____ (Intended)
3. MAJOR _____ (Intended)
4. GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GRADES 11-12) _____
5. AWARDS AND/OR HONORS YOU HAVE RECEIVED: _____

6. ACTIVITIES AND/OR ORGANIZATIONS IN WHICH YOU HAVE PARTICIPATED:
 - a) SCHOOL: _____

7. HOBBIES AND/OR SPECIAL INTERESTS: _____

8. PLEASE WRITE AND ATTACH A BRIEF ESSAY EXPLAINING WHY YOU INTEND TO ENTER THE TEACHING PROFESSION.
9. PLEASE LIST NAMES OF THE TWO TEACHERS TO WHOM YOU HAVE GIVEN ONE OF THE ATTACHED RECOMMENDATION FORMS.
 - a) _____
 - b) _____