



## 2026 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Oconto Electric Cooperative is offering twelve, \$2,500 scholarships to graduating seniors who plan to continue their education beyond high school in an accredited college, or technical school. In addition, Oconto Electric Cooperative is also offering one, \$2,500 scholarship to a graduating senior who is attending Northeast Wisconsin Technical College in their Electrical Power Distribution program. Any graduating high school senior whose parent or guardian is a residential member of Oconto Electric Cooperative is eligible (residential is defined as having the primary residence within OEC's service territory). Scholarship awards will be paid out upon entry into the second full-time semester of post high school education.

Scholarship winners will be selected by the Scholarship Committee at Oconto Electric based on open competition among all applicants. To be considered for a scholarship, please submit the following items:

- Copy of high school transcripts (with current grade point average).
- Copy of SAT/ACT test scores.
- Summary of school, community and employment activities, awards and accomplishments. Please include any OEC events at which you may have participated or volunteered. (Limit to two pages)
- ONE-page essay on future school, life and career goals. (Anything more than one page will be disqualified.)
- ONE third-party recommendation (letter of reference).
- All sheets must be one sided.

Please complete this application form and include all the information requested below. **Send completed applications to Brenda Friction, Oconto Electric Cooperative, PO Box 168, Oconto Falls, WI 54154 or email to customerservice@ocontolectric.com. Applications must be submitted on or before February 11, 2026.** Applications received after February 11, 2026, will not be considered.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Co-op Account Number \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

Planned School of Entry \_\_\_\_\_

Career Interest/Intent \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarship winners will be asked to attend Oconto Electric Cooperative's Annual Meeting on April 11, 2026, to be presented a certificate in front of the membership.