

Donald E. Dean Memorial Scholarship

Description:

A one-year Book Scholarship in the amount of \$250 has been established to assist a full-time Wabash Valley College student who is pursuing an Associate's Degree. This scholarship is made possible through the generosity of the Donald E. Dean family, in his memory.

Eligibility Requirements:

1. Must be a graduate of Mt. Carmel High School.
2. Must be a full-time student at Wabash Valley College.
3. Must be a candidate for an associate degree.
4. Preference will be given to students who have a 3.0/4.0 grade point average during high school.
5. Future Goal Statement: Write a 200 – 300 word essay stating your future goals as they relate to your field of study.

Please indicate the type of employment desired after graduation.
State why you feel you should be considered for this scholarship.

6. Must provide an official High School and/or Wabash Valley College transcript.

Criteria:

1. Applicants will complete and file an official application and any required materials by the deadline date as pre-determined by the Foundation Scholarship Committee.
2. The recipient shall be determined prior to High School Commencement with the award presented during that High School Commencement or other Honors Ceremonies.
3. If the recipient of this scholarship should for some reason be unable to attend Wabash Valley College, then such award will automatically go to the first runner-up.
4. The award will be paid directly to the College may be used for only textbook expenses at the e-Campus Bookstore.
5. ***The application form and any attachments must be typewritten.***

Donald E. Dean Memorial Scholarship Application Form

This Application Must Be Typewritten by going online to our website — www.iecc.edu/wvc click on Admissions & Aid, then Scholarships

Personal Data:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Street City State Zip

Phone: _____ Student ID # _____

College Information:

Have you been officially accepted in a program at Wabash Valley College? Yes: ☐ No: ☐

Indicate college and/or non-college activities, awards. (Attach extra pages if needed)

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Financial Data:

Have you applied for Federal & State Aid Programs (FAFSA) for the 2026-2027 academic year at Wabash Valley College? Yes _____ No _____

Future Goal Statement:

Write a 200 – 300 word essay stating your future goals as they relate to field of study.

Please indicate the type of employment desired after graduation.
State why you feel you should be considered for this scholarship.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE: _____ **Date:** _____

NOTE: All materials must be typewritten and received in the Financial Aid Office by **MARCH 15, 2026.**

Please send all materials to:

**WVC Foundation Scholarship Committee
c/o TRINA DUNKEL, Financial Aid Specialist
Wabash Valley College
2200 College Drive
Mt. Carmel, IL 62863**

Materials to Include With This Application:

- Future Goal Statement
- Character Reference Letter
- Official High School Transcript and Wabash Valley College Transcript, if applicable