



TO: SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS

FROM: HOT SPRINGS/HOT SPRINGS VILLAGE BRANCH OF AAUW

DEAR APPLICANT:

We are delighted to know that you are applying for a scholarship from the *American Association of University Women*, which promotes equity for all women of all ages, lifelong education and societal change. Education is extremely important to *AAUW*.

Please keep this letter as part of your scholarship file. We award (**Regular Scholarship**) based on the following criteria:

- Has Need (for financial assistance)
- Applicant has applied for FAFSA (federal financial aid)
- Is enrolled as a Full Time Student (12 hours minimum)
- Has a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0
- Has a plan for pursuing a four year degree

AAUW raises money throughout the year to provide scholarship funds. *AAUW* also has endowments set aside for scholarships for students transferring to colleges to pursue a four year degree (**Transfer Scholarship**). The criteria is the same for both **Transfer** and **Regular** Scholarships.

Our Scholarship Selection Committee (SSC) will schedule **personal interviews** with Applicants. They will be held on campus at NPC, each lasting about 20 minutes. Participation in the interview is mandatory in order to be considered.

If you are selected to receive one of our scholarships: Your current grades and hours will be obtained from the Financial Aid department and will be reviewed by the SSC; and, since our **awards are for the entire academic year**, your Fall semester grades and hours will be reviewed and confirmed before the Spring semester scholarship award is provided.

Scholarship awards will occur in mid-June. Recipients will be notified by email and regular postal delivery mail. Please Note: If you have any change in address, email, telephone numbers, notify me with that information.

Finally, recipients will receive an invitation to attend a **Scholarship Luncheon** on Saturday November 2. It is in honor of recipients and to recognize *AAUW* members for their dedication. We anticipate that all recipients will attend. Please feel free to call me if you have any questions about this process or about *AAUW*.

Sincerely,

Carol Freeland, Scholarship Chair Phone: 214-763-4602 Email: cfreeland@actsplus.com



Deadline: Friday March 29, 2019

AAUW REGULAR Scholarship Application (National Park College)

(Please Print or Type & fill in all blanks)

Your Student ID # _____

Name: Last _____ First _____ Middle _____

Address _____

Street/PO City Zip _____

Email _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Current Employer _____ Hours/Wk _____ Hourly Pay _____

Occupation _____

Married/Single _____ # Dependent Children/Ages _____

High School Attended/Date of Graduation _____

Financial Aid/Scholarships/Loans & Amounts (use back of application if necessary)

Currently Receiving – Spring Semester 2019

Applying for – 2019/2020

Fall Semester GPA _____

Number of Hours _____

Anticipated NPC Degree/Date _____

Attachments Needed

1. A letter telling us about your career goals, financial needs, college honors, high school activities/interests/ honors/awards, community service, challenges in your life and any other reasons why we should choose you as a recipient.
2. Two current academic (college and/or high school) OR one academic and one work related reference including reference's name and phone number.
3. A copy of your high school transcript or GED and any college transcripts you have.

By signing below, I give permission for this application to be released to the AAUW Scholarship Selection Committee, and, if selected to receive a scholarship, for my educational records and number of enrolled credit hours to be released as needed. I also grant AAUW permission to use my name and/or biographical information in any media avenues that are used for the purpose of supporting or promoting AAUW.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____