

GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS ILLINOI

Scholarship Application 2025



GFWC Mission Statement:

GFWC is a philanthropic organization dedicated to community improvement by enhancing the lives of others through volunteer service. This year, GFWC Illinois will award scholarships to students pursuing arts, drama, health and wellness, music, and vocational studies.

Scholarship Eligibility:

- Pursuing a related major or minor in the selected field of study listed above.
- Must attend a community college, college, university, or vocational school physically located in the state of Illinois during the Fall 2025 semester.
- Must be a graduating high school senior, current college/university/vocational student, and/or an adult returning to school.
- Must be a resident of the state of Illinois.

Submission:

Applications must be mailed in one sealed envelope, postmarked by **APRIL 1, 2025**.
Materials that are late or incomplete will not be accepted.

Judy Rader
Attn: GFWC Scholarship Committee
132 11th Street, Lincoln IL 62656

Disqualification:

- Failure to meet eligibility requirements
- Late or incomplete application
- Letters of recommendation from family or friends

Award Notification:

Applications will be reviewed by a scholarship committee. The minimum award is \$1,500. Scholarship winners will be notified by June 15th via email and postal mail. Winners will be posted on the GFWC Illinois Website.

If selected to receive a scholarship, the student will be required to show a letter of acceptance from the school the student will attend in the Fall, 2025 semester. Checks will be mailed and written directly to the college, university, or vocational school.

Questions:

Please email scholarshipifwc@gmail.com with questions.
Communication will only occur between the scholarship committee and the applicant.

