



### **Watco Scholarship Application**

In 2016, Watco developed a scholarship for dependents of Watco team members in an effort to enrich the lives of our team and their families.

Applicants for the Watco Scholarship must be a graduating senior who is a dependent of a Watco team member. An applicant must be in good academic standing and must plan to attend a post-secondary institution within one year following high school graduation.

The number of scholarships awarded will be determined by number of applicants with a minimum of two \$2,000 scholarships being awarded. The scholarship will be issued in two \$1,000 disbursements for the first two semesters of college and will be credited to the recipient's accounts at the financial aid office of the college of their choosing.

#### **Parent/ Guardian Working at Watco**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicants should submit the following application with the most recent copy of your high school transcript, and two letters of reference from either a teacher, coach, employer, or community leader who is not related to the applicant. We will also need a photo for use in the company newsletter announcing the award recipients. Applications should be turned in no later than April 1, 2024.

Return Applications and photo to: Watco  
Attn: Scholarship Committee  
315 West 3rd Street  
Pittsburg, KS 66762  
or [watcogives@watco.com](mailto:watcogives@watco.com)

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Application to be completed by student

**Applicant Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Parent/Guardian working for Watco:**

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's cumulative high school GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's class ranking: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's ACT or SAT Score, if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_

**List the institution/college/university you plan to attend:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

List all scholastic, extracurricular, and civic organizations you were a member of and any honors and awards received. List the name of the organization and the years you participated in the activity. Please only include those activities between grades 9-12. If necessary you can attach separately.

List all participation in community service activities. Include organization and/or event name and year(s) involved. **On a separate sheet, please include a brief description of each community service activity.**

List any jobs you have held. These can include work for family businesses and baby-sitting. If necessary, you can attach separately.

**Essay:**

Watco believes that through community involvement we create an environment that allows us to develop skills and experiences to enrich our personal lives and those around us. Give an example of a community project or event that you were involved with and how the experiences derived from that enriched not only the lives of those directly affected but yourself and community as well. **This essay is your opportunity to tell the committee about yourself and let them know why you are applying for this scholarship. (Please answer below or submit a separate attachment.)**