



## **Independence Light & Power, Telecommunications/WPPI Energy Public Power & Telecommunications Scholarships**

### **Guidelines:**

1. Must be a high school senior, graduating 2023.
2. High school seniors may apply to receive one of four scholarships:
  1. Public Power Scholarship (\$1,000) #1
  2. Public Power Scholarship (\$1,000) #2
  3. Powerline Program Scholarship (\$500)
  4. Telecommunications Scholarship (\$500)
3. The student, parent or legal guardian must be a customer of **Independence Light & Power, Telecommunications**. Dependents of utility personnel are also eligible.
4. Applicants for the **Public Power Scholarship** must plan to attend a two or four-year college/university. Applicants for the **Powerline Program Scholarship** must be a high school senior planning to attend an accredited Powerline Program. For the **Telecommunications Scholarship**, the high school senior must plan to attend a two year or four year education in technology.
5. Applicants will be judged on the following:
  - Academic achievement
  - Extracurricular achievement
  - Work and/or volunteer experience
  - Future career goals
6. Applications must be completed and submitted to the Independence Light & Power, Telecommunications utility office no later than March 31, 2023. The applications will then be sent to WPPI Energy and scored by the Scholarship Review Committee.
7. Awards will be announced at the regular Independence Light & Power, Telecommunications utility board meeting in May.

### **Please return this application to:**

Independence Light & Power, Telecommunications  
PO Box 754  
Independence IA, 50644

***Application Deadline: March 31, 2023***

**Payment:** The scholarship will be paid to the recipient when a copy of a tuition statement, UBill or other proof of enrollment is submitted to: Independence Light & Power, Telecommunications.

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**STUDENT INFORMATION:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Middle initial)

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street, PO Box)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City, State, Zip Code)

How did you learn about the Scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_  
(Newspaper, Website, Guidance Office, etc.)

How do you wish to be contacted? \_\_ Text, \_\_ Phone, \_\_ Email, \_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF PARENT or Legal GUARDIAN: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print)

MAILING ADDRESS (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

UTILITY ACCOUNT # \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICANT AND PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED**

All of the information submitted on this application is true and complete to the best of my/our knowledge. Verification information may be requested by utility personnel and must be submitted upon request or the applicant will not qualify to receive any scholarship(s).

**SIGNATURES:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant                      Parent/Legal Guardian                      Parent/Legal Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date                                      Date                                      Date

ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
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**INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING APPLICATION**

**Page 2** Please note that this is the only page in which your name and ID# will appear together. PAGE 2 will be REMOVED before scoring of your application. Application will be separated by pages and scored individually. The Scholarship Review Committee at WPPI Energy will not know whose application they are scoring. We do this to achieve the best ambiguity possible when scoring applications. This page MUST be signed by YOU and your PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN who MUST be a current customer of Independence Light & Power, Telecommunications.

**Page 3** Be sure you mark only A or B in Section I.

**Page 4-7** Be sure to list ALL activities since points are given for your involvement.

**Page 8** Please be brief. One paragraph should be enough for you to be specific and let us know what you want to do after college.

**Please submit ALL of the pages of this application even if all sections are not filled in.**

**COLLEGE INFORMATION:**

College for which the scholarship will be requested: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

Major Field of study you plan to pursue: \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION I** (*Check A or B below – DO NOT CHECK BOTH*)

A. Four (4) Year College/University?  
(Plan to complete 4 years of college or more) \_\_\_\_\_

B. Community College/Trade School?  
(Plan to complete 3 years or less of college) \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION II** (*All applications MUST be signed by the School's guidance counselor*)

Accumulative Grade Point: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Guidance Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Guidance Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Which scholarship are you applying for? #1 #2 #3 #4

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**PERSONAL DATA / WORK EXPERIENCE**

Describe your work experience during the 4 years in high school. High school year is September 1 through May 31. If more space is needed please use another paper and title it “Personal DATA / Work Experience – High school year”. Include the name of person or company you worked for and the position and the average number of hours you worked per week.

Description of work	Name of Company or Person you work or worked for	Position	Average Number of Hours per Week

Describe your work experience during summer of your four years in high school. Summer is June 1 – August 31. If more space is needed please use another paper and title it “Personal DATA / Work Experience – High school summer”. Include the name of person or company you worked for and the position and the average number of hours you worked per week.

Description of work	Name of Company or Person you work or worked for	Position	Average Number of Hours per Week

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**SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT – NON-SPORTS**

List all non-sport activities sponsored by the school that you were involved in from September to the end of May. Points are awarded for each activity. Examples: Tutoring, plays, band, year book, debate, etc.

High School Activity, 9-12 <sup>grade</sup>	Leadership roles held or involvement	Years Active

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**SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT – SPORTS**

List all sport activities sponsored by the school that you were involved in. Points are awarded for each activity.

High School Activity, 9-12 <sup>grade</sup>	Leadership roles held or involvement	Years Active

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