

# West Virginia University. WVU DEPENDENT EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

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## WVU IS PLEASED TO OFFER EMPLOYEES A DEPENDENT EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

- / WVU remains committed to being an accessible and affordable institution especially for its faculty and staff and their families.
- / WVU faculty and staff have requested a Dependent Education Scholarship or similar program for several years.
- As part of our continuing efforts to attract and retain top talent, the University views the scholarship as an opportunity to bolster our already strong offerings of programs, services and discounts available to faculty and staff.

## WYU DEPENDENT EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS

#### **In-State Faculty and Staff**

In-state undergraduate dependent children under age 26 may be eligible for up to \$1,650 per academic year for a maximum of four years.

#### **Out-of-State Faculty and Staff**

Out-of-state undergraduate dependent children under age 26 may be eligible for up to the difference in in-state and out-of-state university tuition for a maximum of four years.

Applicable Locations: All three WVU campuses (Morgantown, Keyser and Beckley and WVU Online).

Effective Date: Fall 2018 semester.

## WYU DEPENDENT EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY

#### Dependent children (under age 26) of benefits-eligible employees:

- / Scholarship recipients must be a full-time, degree-seeking undergraduate students and maintain a minimum 2.75 GPA.
- / Spouses of benefits-eligible employees are not eligible.
- / Dependents of WVU Research Corporation and University Innovation Corporation benefits-eligible employees are eligible.
- / Graduating seniors requiring less than full-time but at least half-time status the semester prior to graduation remain eligible.

## WYU DEPENDENT EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

- I Students must complete an online application for the scholarship once each academic year. Benefits Administration will determine eligibility. Enrollment Management will administer the scholarship.
- / May 1, 2018, is the deadline for applying for the 2018-2019 academic year. Moving forward, the academic year/fall term deadline will be February 1.
- The deadline for applying for the spring 2019 term will be November 1, 2018.

## WVU DEPENDENT EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS

- / Current participants of the Dependent Scholarship Program who have received awards or notice of awards will not be impacted; however, the WVU Dependent Education Scholarship has replaced the Dependent Scholarship Program.
- I The WVU Dependent Education Scholarship may not be combined with the WVU Health System's Dependent Tuition benefit. However, the WVU Dependent Education Scholarship may be coupled with the PROMISE Scholarship or other aid.
- If a student meets eligibility requirements for a dependent scholarship from WVU, WVU Research Corporation and WVU Medicine, the student should apply to the scholarship that is most beneficial.

### QUESTIONS?

### CONTACT INFORMATION

- Information about the WVU Dependent Education Scholarship is available at talentandculture.wvu.edu/wellness-and-perks/dependent-education-scholarship.
- Contact Benefits Administration at Benefits@mail.wvu.edu or 304-293-5700, x4 with questions.
- / For questions regarding WVU Medicine's Dependent Tuition benefit, contact the WVU Medicine HR Service Center at 1-833-599-2100.

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