**B. W. and BERTHA CARRELL SCHOLARSHIP**

**DESCRIPTION:**

The B.W. and Bertha Carrell Scholarship has been established to assist students in a transfer degree program at Wabash Valley College. The scholarship has been made possible through the generosity of the late Thelma Carrell, a retired educator who taught in the humanities and foreign language areas.

Up to four one-year scholarships could range up to $300-$500 each and be awarded to help defray tuition, fees, and/or textbook expenses of WVC transfer degree students. Award amounts determined by the earnings of the CD investment.

**REQUIREMENTS:**

1. Applicants must complete and file the Scholarship Application Form (must be typewritten) by the predetermined deadline date.
2. Must be a U.S. Citizen.
3. The recipients must have successfully completed two semesters of study (Fall/Spring) at Wabash Valley College with no less than a 2.5 overall grade point average. Students must be enrolled as a sophomore in a **transfer program** at WVC.
4. **Applicant should complete and file the FAFSA application form on-line at** [**www.studentaid.gov**](http://www.studentaid.gov)
5. The recipients shall be determined spring semester 2023.
6. A voucher for books can be given to the recipients to use in the WVC Bookstore at the beginning of the Fall Semester, sophomore year.
7. Any unused monies at the time the students graduate shall remain in the Scholarship Fund to be used for future scholarships.

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**This Application Must Be Typewritten by going online to our website — www.iecc.edu/wvc click on Admission & Aid, then Scholarships**

**APPLICANT INFORMATION:**

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| Last Name: | First Name: | MI |

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| Street Address: | Telephone # |

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| City, State, Zip: | Cell # |

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| Birth Date: | Student ID # |

**EDUCATION BACKGROUND:**

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| High School: | Graduation Date: |

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| Degree you are pursuing at WVC:  | Present GPA: |

 (Please attach a WVC transcript to the application.)

**EMPLOYMENT:**

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| Present Employment (if any): |

**COLLEGE AND/OR COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:**

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**FINANCIAL DATA:**

Have you applied for Federal & State Aid Programs (FAFSA) for the 2023-2024 academic year at Wabash Valley College? Yes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**FUTURE GOALS/EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES:**

On a separate piece of paper, please provide a statement regarding your future goals and objectives relating to your chosen major. State why you feel you should be considered for this scholarship.

Include what your plans are following graduation from Wabash Valley College.

**ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:**

1. A letter of character reference from a person unrelated to you.

2. An official college academic transcript.

**APPLICANT’S SIGNATURE:** **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** All materials must be typewritten and received in the Financial Aid Office by **MARCH 31, 2023.**

**Please return completed application to:**

**WVC Foundation Scholarship Committee**

**c/o TRINA DUNKEL, Financial Aid Coordinator**

**Wabash Valley College**

**2200 College Drive**

**Mt. Carmel, IL 62863**

**MATERIALS TO INCLUDE:**

1. Completed Application

2. Copy of Acceptance Notification

3. Future Goals/Educational Statement

4. Letter of Character Reference

5. Official WVC Academic Transcript