

Berwick Business and Professional Women's Club Scholarship Application

Berwick Business and Professional Women's Club is an association of business and professional women living and working in the Greater Berwick Area. Our vision is to be the leading advocate for working women and to promote equity for all women in the workplace through advocacy, education and information.

Guidelines

This scholarship will be awarded to a woman seeking financial assistance to further her education, advance in her career, or will soon enter or re-enter the workforce. The applicants must meet the following eligibility guidelines to be considered for the award:

A Female Applicant must:

- Be 25 years of age or older and a U.S. Citizen
- Live, work, or demonstrate community involvement in the Greater Berwick Area
- Demonstrate a critical need for financial assistance
- Demonstrate clear career plans
- Be officially accepted into a program or course of study in an accredited institution
- Complete the course of study within 12 to 24 months from the date of the Scholarship award.

Endorsement

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information contained in the application is accurate. I understand that falsifying information on the application will render it void.

Furthermore, I understand this application will not be considered for review unless it is signed and dated and all materials are submitted by the established deadline

I understand that materials submitted will not be returned.

Signature

Date



Business and
Professional
Women/USA

Application deadline: April 8, 2009

Submit to: Rose Goin

363 North Market Street, Berwick, PA 18603

(570) 752-7632 or [email](#)

Personal Data

Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____

Email address: _____

Fax (if available): _____

Are you a United States Citizen Yes No

Are you a BPW member Yes No

If yes, name of your local BPW _____

How many years have you been a member? _____

Educational Data

Program of Study _____

Name of Educational Institution _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Specific Degree/Certificate you expect to receive _____

Will/do you attend: part-time full-time

Date course/term is scheduled to begin: _____

Expected date of graduation/program completion: _____

List/estimate the cost for the following items:

 Tuition/fees per semester: _____

 Books/Supplies: _____

 Other: _____

Source and amount of funds available for semesters in which scholarship is requested;

Parents: _____

Own Income: _____

Scholarships: _____

Other (loans, relatives, etc.) _____

Savings: _____

Employment Data

Please provide the following information concerning your current job.

Name of Employer: _____

Address: _____

Dates of Employment: From _____ To: _____

Position/Title full-time part-time

Responsibilities:

If applicable:
What was your
most recently
completed
semester grade
point average?

Service Activities

List the names of community organizations with which you have been affiliated. Include the type of activities in which you have been involved, including leadership roles you may have undertaken. Additional sheets may be added to discuss additional service activities.

Organization:

Dates of involvement: From _____ To: _____

Types of activities:

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References

Include three letters of reference from people who can support your application. At least one reference must be from your current employer. More weight will be given to professional references.

Biographical Statement

Attach a biographical statement that addresses your career goals, plans for achieving these goals and how this scholarship will assist you. Statements should not exceed one typed-written page.