WREC - INVESTING IN EDUCATION

2021 SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

✓ Students are selected in their senior year of high school by local guidance counselors and Cooperative personnel.
✓ Applications will be available after December 1, 2020, and must be postmarked no later than March 26, 2021.
✓ Scholarship applications can be obtained at any local Cooperative office, high school guidance office or online at wrec.net.

Each Applicant Must...

• Be a high school senior and maintain a minimum 2.0 GPA.
• Be the dependent of a WREC Member.
• Be a bona fide resident within the service area of Withlacoochee River Electric Cooperative, Inc., “WREC” for at least one year prior to December 31.
• Plan to attend an in-state college, university or technical school full-time (minimum of 12 credit hours per semester)*
• Maintain a 2.0 GPA each semester (or higher if mandated by the institution) to maintain eligibility.

Each successful candidate will receive $1,375 per semester (maximum $11,000) for undergraduate studies. The screening and recommendation of candidates will be at the discretion of a committee designated by WREC. Application forms will be available after December 1, 2020, at your high school guidance office, any WREC district office or online at wrec.net.

Completed applications must be mailed to WREC Corporate Center office and postmarked no later than March 26, 2021.

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NOTE: Funds used for Scholarships would otherwise be forfeited to the State of Florida. Scholarship funds are acquired through unclaimed Capital Credits and cannot be used for other purposes.

*Schools must be accredited by one of the six regional accrediting institutions, such as SACS, recognized by the Council on Higher Education Accreditation.
If the institution is a technical school, it should be accredited by the Council on Occupational Education or its equivalent.

To Report An Inoperative Or Malfunctioning Street Light, please call your local Cooperative Office, OR you may log on to wrec.net and click on the Repair Street Light button, then complete and submit the Street Light Repair Request Form, or you can download the SmartHub app and request a street light repair.

To Report A Street Light Not Working, please call your local Cooperative Office, OR you may log on to wrec.net and click on the Street Light Repair Request Form, or you can download the SmartHub app and request a street light repair.

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$14 Million In Scholarships Awarded!

Investing in our communities and families continues to be one of the guiding principles of electric cooperatives across the country. Since 1997, your Cooperative’s Educational Foundation has awarded 2,084 college scholarships with a potential payout of over $14 million. The recipients of these scholarships may attend any in-state regionally accredited college, university or technical school.

The Cooperative funds this worthwhile program using abandoned Capital Credits that would otherwise be forfeited to the State of Florida as abandoned property.

Dear WREC Scholarship Committee,

I want to express my sincerest gratitude for the very generous scholarship you have bestowed upon me. As the recipient of this gift I will be able to continue my educational journey. My inter-personal, community, and social relationships will strengthen as I pursue my academic goals thanks to the generosity of the Withlacoochee River Electric Cooperative.

My target moving forward is to immerse myself in the Honor’s Program and the Engineering Department within the University of South Florida’s Tampa campus, creating a positive track for my future and the world.

Again, thank you for your generosity and kindness.

Sincerely,

James “Byley” Price
Class of 2020 - Lecanto
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2020 scholarship recipients are listed alphabetically by their last name.