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Apply Online for Herb Kohl Foundation Excellence Scholarship

MILWAUKEE—Online applications for the 2019 Herb Kohl Educational Foundation Excellence Scholarship can now be submitted at www.kohleducation.org. A total of 100 students will be chosen to receive \$10,000 scholarships from among all applicants throughout the state.

Applicants must be residents of Wisconsin who will graduate from high school in 2019 and plan to continue their education at a college, university, or vocational/technical school. Students will be evaluated on academic achievement, leadership, citizenship, and school and community activities. Completed online applications are due on November 4, 2018, for public high school students, and November 25, 2018, for religious, independent, and homeschooled high school students. Students should go to <http://www.kohleducation.org/studentexcellence/> to learn more and apply.

Selection of scholarship recipients will be made by a state-level panel composed of representatives from the Wisconsin Newspaper Association Foundation, Cooperative Educational Service Agencies, Wisconsin Council of Religious and Independent Schools, several education-related associations, and community representatives. Since the program was established in 1990, the Herb Kohl Educational Foundation has awarded 2,800 Excellence scholarships to graduating high school students throughout the state for a total of \$5.4 million.

The Herb Kohl Educational Foundation Excellence Scholarship program is co-sponsored by the Wisconsin Newspaper Association Foundation, Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction, Wisconsin Council of Religious and Independent Schools, Wisconsin Parents Association, and the state's 12 Cooperative Educational Service Agencies.

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