

## 2023 Hope Anderson Education Scholarship

Hope Lutheran's Anderson Education Scholarship fund, is an annual scholarship provided by the generosity of Ken and Linda Anderson to assist students within the Hope Community pursuing higher education. We are pleased to announce that the scholarship application window is now open. The 2023 scholarship will offer \$1,000 to one student in tech school, vocational school, undergraduate studies or other higher education who is currently enrolled in coursework.

The application deadline is Sunday February 26th, 2023. We ask you to share this information with qualifying candidates and encourage them to submit their application in a timely manner. The scholarship will be announced and presented to the recipient in March 2023. If any applicant needs further accommodations to complete the application please reach out.

To apply please submit the following application page along with a thoughtful and detailed letter about your service and presence at Hope Lutheran Church and within your community, as well as your current educational path, goals, and how the scholarship would lend support to these pursuits. We also encourage applicants to provide a reference who can speak to the details of your letter. Please submit application materials via email in PDF format to Grace Lenhart at [grace@hopechurchec.com](mailto:grace@hopechurchec.com)

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### Application Page

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Where are you attending school? \_\_\_\_\_

What are you studying? \_\_\_\_\_

When did you first enroll, and when are you due to graduate? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your relationship and or role in the Hope Lutheran community? \_\_\_\_\_

Reference Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Reference Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Reference Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you: \_\_\_\_\_

**Application Letter Directions:** Write a thoughtful and detailed letter speaking to your service and presence within the Hope Lutheran Church community, your community at large, as well as your current educational path, future goals, and how the scholarship would lend support to these pursuits. Application window open through February 11th, 2023.

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## Hope Anderson Education Scholarship Rubric

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<b>Service to Hope Lutheran &amp; Community</b>	Applicant clearly displays frequent and intentional presence and service to Hope Lutheran Church & community. Applicant is a strong leader in the community.	Applicant displays semi-frequent presence and service within Hope Lutheran Church & community.	Applicant displays occasional presence and service to Hope Lutheran Church & community.	Applicant does not display presence or service to Hope Lutheran Church & community.
	4	3	2/1	0
<b>Responsibilities and financial need.</b>	Applicant has expenses or circumstances that create a significant financial need, and provides a clear explanation of those needs.	Applicant has expenses or circumstances that create a financial need, and provides an explanation of those needs.	Applicant explained a circumstance that creates some minimal financial need.	Applicant has not explained financial need.
	2	1.5	1	0
<b>Recommendation</b>	Strong recommendation	Recommendation included	Questionable recommendation	Not recommended
<b>Application Presentation</b>	Application carefully completed and well presented, instructions were followed, letter was typed, proofed, and free of errors.	Application is complete. Instructions followed, application was typed but greater attention could be made to proofing and clarity.	Application is complete. Instructions were followed but information was poorly organized, and doesn't appear to be proofed.	Application is incomplete, not all instructions were followed.
			<b>Total:</b>	