

# **Bell County Texas Democratic Women**

## **Scholarship 2025**



## GUIDELINES

### BELL COUNTY TEXAS DEMOCRATIC WOMEN \$500 Scholarship for the 2024/2025 Academic Year

The purpose of the Bell County Texas Democratic Women Scholarship is to empower women by providing educational scholarships to enable them to become economically independent and to have choices regarding their futures.

#### **Eligibility Requirements:**

- GPA must be 2.75 or higher (C+ / 78) or better
- Applicant must be a U.S. citizen and a Bell County resident.
- The applicant must be a graduating high school student, current college student or reentering college.
- Applicant must have applied to or be enrolled in a college, university, or graduate school, including 2-year college, or vocational school that leads to an associate's degree or equivalent.

#### **Applicants must submit the following:**

- A completed and signed Scholarship Application form (see attached)
- A copy of current transcript from the last institution attended.
- Verification of admittance or enrollment from the institution the student is attending or planning to attend (i.e. letter of acceptance, letter from the registrar, or a transcript.)
- A letter of recommendation from an employer, teacher or a respected member of the community.
- Do not include your name on the essay.
- An essay of 1-2 pages, on Why I choose to be a Democrat. (Personal stories are encouraged.)

#### **Additional information:**

- Applicants will be judged on the basis of academic performance, financial need, community and school activities and honors, and essay submitted.
- Current membership in Bell County Democratic organization is a plus.
- Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- For additional information contact the Scholarship Chair at [mely54caraway2013@gmail.com](mailto:mely54caraway2013@gmail.com)
- (254) 913-8610

#### **Send completed application package to:**

Scholarship Chair, Bell County Texas Democratic Women  
P.O. Box 1426 Belton, TX 76513.  
Applications must be postmarked no later than **April 21, 2025**

**BELL COUNTY TEXAS DEMOCRATIC WOMEN  
SCHOLARSHIP  
Scholarship Application**

Please print clearly in blue or black ink

**Applicant's Personal Data**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
FIRST MIDDLE LAST

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
NUMBER STREET

\_\_\_\_\_ CITY STATE ZIP

Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. Citizen? ( ) Yes ( ) No Resident of Bell County, Texas? ( ) Yes ( ) No

Sex: ( ) Female ( ) Male Are you a registered voter? ( ) Yes ( ) No

Are you related to any BCTDW member? ( ) Yes ( ) No If so who? \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Data**

Current Standing (as of the date of this application) Check One:

( ) High School Graduating Student ( ) College Freshman ( ) College Sophomore

( ) College Junior ( ) College Senior ( ) Other \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attending(ed): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

( ) I have been accepted to \_\_\_\_\_

( ) I have applied but have not received notification from: \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Family Income (Adjusted Gross Income from Line 36, IRS Form 1040)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Number in Family \_\_\_\_\_ Other Dependents Currently in College \_\_\_\_

I certify that I meet all eligibility requirements set forth in the attached BCTDW Scholarship Fund Guidelines, that all data included in this application is true and complete, and that I support the Democratic Party Platform.

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Signature of Applicant

## Personal Achievements

Please don't put your name on this page. Please list your achievements in the following areas:

### Academic Honors

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### Extra-Curricular Activities (i.e. UIL sponsored events, academic club memberships and offices)

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### Community Service

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**Political Activity: Candidate, Party, Voter registration, Poll worker, Referendum etc.**

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