

## Amanda Winters Scholarship



The Amanda Winters Scholarship Fund was established in memory of a Capital High School senior who lost her life in a tragic accident in 2013. Its purpose is to assist Capital High School graduating seniors in obtaining a higher education. Up to \$1,000 Award

### Eligibility & Criteria

- Graduating senior from Capital High School
- Cumulative GPA between 3.0 and 3.5
- Demonstration of significant financial need
- Extracurricular Activities/Community Service: participation in school or volunteer activities that indicate a commitment to the community.

### Application Required Items:

#### **Personal Statement**

- Write a short statement indicating your reasons for wanting to attend a post-secondary institution, your anticipated course of study, and an indication of how this scholarship will contribute to your future career goals. Include other information that will show the Scholarship Selection Committee you are a strong candidate for the scholarship (e.g. outstanding attributes, talents, service to school or community, commitment to pursuing educational goals, motivation, and/or family circumstances). (Minimum word count: 300)

#### **Two Letters of Recommendation**

- Letters of Recommendation should remark on the applicant's overall character, achievement, and promise. Letters can be from an employer, church official, or community member, but at least one must be from a teacher, advisor, or administrator.

#### **Grade Transcript**

- Most recent grade transcript. Unofficial are accepted.

#### **Student Aid Report (SAR)**

- The SAR is used to determine your financial need and is returned to you when the FAFSA is completed. ***Be certain that your report includes an EFC number.***