

**Firefighter/Paramedic Jason Karwhite Memorial Scholarship
Bellingham-Whatcom County Professional Fire Fighters**



IAFF LOCAL 106

-Scholarship-

9408 Odell Road, Blaine, WA 98230 360-318-9933



Scholarship Application Form 2018

Please read instructions carefully and include all required documents with your application. Print/type neatly/legibly.

This scholarship is provided to a qualifying graduating high school senior in the year this application is made. Students must be from Whatcom County -OR- related to an IAFF-L106 member (if from out of Whatcom County). The applicant must plan on pursuing a career in one of the following fields: fire service, fire sciences, health, emergency medical or medical sciences. The applicant plans to attend an accredited two or four year post secondary institution (community college, technical school, college or university)

- The application must be accompanied by two letters (minimum) of recommendation. One from a High School faculty member and one from a community member (neighbor, employer, etc). Ensure there's a contact number for references.
- The applicant will provide short paragraph answers to the questions on page 2. Additional sheets may be attached and question answers should be labeled. Grammar matters.
- Application must be accompanied by a verified copy of their high school transcript and current class standing. Applicant must have a minimum GPA of 2.5.

Name:	Parent/Guardian Name(s):
last first middle initial	Last Four (4) Digits of SSN:
Mailing Address: (if different from home address)	Home Address:
Home Phone:	Email:
Name and address of University or College:	Planned Major:
Reference # 1 (include name and phone number):	Reference #2 (include name and phone number):
Current Class Ranking with signature (office staff or counselor):	GPA:

Mail or deliver completed application form and required documents to the address above -postmarked no later than January 30, 2018. If hand delivered "received stamped" by the end of the business day.

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Question #1: What is your desired career path and what are your educational plans?

Question #2: What has led you to this chosen career path and what have you done to prepare?

Question #3: What are your interests outside of school? What are your accomplishments? Family?

Question #4: What special skills do you have? Talents?

Question #5: Why do you think the Bellingham/Whatcom Fire Fighters Benevolent Foundation should select you for this scholarship?

Question #6: Are you related to any IAFF Local 106 members? If so, who and how?

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