

Adult Education Scholarship Opportunity

The **Trout Lake Grange Adult Continuing Education Scholarship** is open to Trout Lake residents who have decided to pursue additional education, to support a career change or to gain additional skills. It is not intended for current college students, rather adults who have decided to pursue additional education. Applicants must have continuously resided in Trout Lake for at least 2 years.

The scholarship is administered for the Grange by the Trout Lake Community Foundation. The scholarship amount will be placed in the school account of the successful applicant.

Applications are due to the Trout Lake Community Foundation by **April 30, 2022**. Award will be announced at TLHS graduation in June, 2022. See the application (next page) information for further details.

TROUT LAKE GRANGE ADULT CONTINUING EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INFORMATION

Name: _____ **Date:** _____ **Phone Number(s):** _____

Home Address: _____

Qualifications

- This scholarship is open to any Trout Lake resident who plans to return to school, to continue his/her post-secondary education. It is not intended for current college students, rather adults who have decided to pursue additional education to support a career change or to gain additional skills. The Foundation's selection will be based on evidence of motivation (60%), community service (20%) and leadership (20%).
- The applicant must be a current, full-time resident of Trout Lake, having resided continuously in Trout Lake for at least two years. Applicant's primary residence must be in Trout Lake.
- The applicant must be attending, or planning to attend, an accredited college, university, or vocational training program by October 1st of the year following the award of the scholarship.
- If already enrolled, the applicant must include a current transcript of grades and credits from this school/program. Unofficial transcripts are acceptable. If not currently enrolled please include transcripts, if available, from previous schooling.

Personal Statement – Include the Following Information:

- What is your educational goal and work/career goals? Why have you chosen them and what are your plans for reaching these goals?
- Outline your previous school academic achievements, extra-curricular activities (school related and other), community service, and leadership activities. Please also include any awards, honors, and recognitions received.
- Provide us with an employment history including: the positions held, employers, and number of hours worked weekly. Indicate what tasks were involved with each job. If applicable, describe how these jobs relate to your educational goals.
- Where will you be attending school? Outline costs, including tuition, housing, books and fees, that you anticipate incurring at school. If you have not yet been accepted or have not made your decision, please let us know where you have applied and estimate the costs associated with each school. If you have not yet applied to a school please explain why and outline your plans.
- If you are already enrolled, please detail how you have paid for your education to date? If you are not enrolled, indicate how much you have in savings to help pay for your education, and provide an estimate of how much you will have when you begin school. Also indicate whether you will work during school and/or how you plan on continuing to finance your education.

Reference Letters

- Provide at least one letter of recommendation. Applicants are encouraged to obtain reference letters from employers, community members, and others beyond the school community. Submitted letters must not be from the applicant's relatives. If you have previously applied for a scholarship, submit updated letters of recommendation.

Due Date: April 30, 2022 (Late Applications May be Rejected)

To be considered for this scholarship, your completed application must be received by The Trout Lake Community Foundation on or before the due date. Mail completed applications to Trout Lake Community Foundation, P.O. Box 322, Trout Lake, WA 98650, or hand-deliver your application to Coralee Warner's office at 2380 Highway 141, Trout Lake, WA. If you have any questions, please call Coralee Warner at 395-2218.

YOU MUST SUBMIT A COMPLETE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION THAT ADDRESSES THE ITEMS ABOVE. EVALUATION WILL BE BASED ON THE CONTENTS OF THE APPLICATION. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS MAY NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR AWARDS