

# School District of West Salem

## 2026 Local Educational Scholarship Application

Please print out a completed application and turn into Student Services **on or before Thursday, March 12, 2025 by 3:30 p.m.**  
**(Applications turned in after this time will not be accepted!!!)**

Name:	
Address:	
City, State, Zip:	
Date of Birth:	
Gender:	
Phone number:	
Email address:	

<i>Bring to Student Services office to complete.</i> <i>Signed _____ (for office use only)</i>	
ACT Composite Score	
Rank in Class of 1 - 130	
Cumulative Grade Point Average (after 7 semesters)	

(Sign here)	<u>Transcripts:</u> West Salem High School has my permission to submit a copy of my educational records and any supplementary transcripts
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Complete the following questions (1-6) and the essay to be considered for a Local Educational Scholarship. **This is your only introduction to who you are and why you deserve one of these special scholarships. Be as descriptive as you can.**

1. **What are your plans for after High School? If you plan to attend a college or university, what will your major/program of study be? If you plan to work, where do you plan to work? If you are enlisting in the Military, which branch?**
2. **List the West Salem High clubs/activities and/or any outside of school activities you were involved with the last four years?**
3. **List any employment that you have had.**
4. **What community service have you been involved with?**
5. **Tell us about an obstacle that you have overcome or a unique situation that you have had to deal with?**
6. **What is the topic of your Panther Portfolio paper and project? What did you learn about yourself throughout this process?**

#### **ESSAY QUESTION (REQUIRED):**

**On a separate page tell us in 300 words or less why you are worthy or in need of a scholarship?**

**(This essay should be addressed to “Scholarship Committee”)**