

STUDENT AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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The Board of Education encourages the acceptance and disbursement of student scholarships and awards to graduating students. Scholarships and awards given by non-school organizations, in which the school is directly responsible for determining the recipient and/or qualifications for receiving such scholarship or award, must be accepted and approved by the Board or its representatives prior to the disbursement of the scholarship or award.

Students in the District shall be informed by the administration of any available academic scholarships. Literature concerning available scholarships shall be posted in the school building. The high school guidance counselor shall maintain records of available scholarships and shall notify students of such scholarship opportunities.

In order for a student to be eligible for scholarships sponsored through the district, a student must have been a student in Slinger High School for the last four full semesters before graduating from Slinger High School. A student is classified as a senior if he/she has earned at least 18 credits (25.5 credits required to graduate) and is in his/her fourth year of high school. This includes the Wisconsin Academic Excellence Scholarship.

Students attending Slinger High School fulltime under the Wisconsin Open Enrollment law shall be eligible for scholarships on the same basis as resident students. The District shall not discriminate in the acceptance and administration of gifts, bequests, scholarships and other aids, benefits or services to students from private agencies, organizations or person on the basis of sex, race, religion, national origin, color, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation, physical, mental, emotional or learning disability or handicap.

Discrimination complaints shall be handled in accordance with established procedures.

Legal References:

Cross References:

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