

DONALD J. LINDLEY AND BELLE H. LINDLEY SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

- Scholarship to be awarded to graduating seniors attending a high school located in the county of Coles, Edgar, Clark, Cumberland and Douglas in the State of Illinois and Vermillion County in the State of Indiana.
- The selection committee will consist of at least three members of the Trust Department, including at least one trust officer with the title of Vice President or above. The committee will select a minimum of one student from each high school from which applications were submitted based on the following criteria:
 - The student must demonstrate financial need in that they or their parents are not financially able to afford the expense of their college education.
 - Based on AGI divided by number of people in household. The dollar amount per person must be less than the last guideline amount per person published by the US Department of Health and Human Services.
 - The student must have the highest scholastic standing of the students in their high school junior class making application. In addition, student must have attended said high school, as defined above, for their junior and senior year.
 - GPA cannot be lower than 3.0
 - The student must be deemed the most worthy by the Trustee.
- The financial need of the student is the main criteria for selection. The other criteria may be weighed by the selection committee in the determination of the most worthy student.
- The scholarship is to help defray college on campus expenses for tuition, fees, room and board, cost of books, academic supplies and other expenses necessary for a college education.
- College is intended to include any institution of higher learning beyond high school level and must be an established and accredited college or university, including, but not limited to, art schools and conservatories. This scholarship is only for working toward your undergraduate degree.
- Applicants will be notified via email if they have been approved/denied a scholarship.
- Each candidate selected by the committee will receive an initial scholarship of up to \$15,000.00. Payment of scholarship funds will be made directly to the college or university after receiving proof of registration.
- It will be the responsibility of the student to notify the selection committee of the college or university they will be attending, provide the institution's address and phone number, student ID number, along with proof of registration, not limited to but including a class schedule.
- Minimum credit hour enrollment is nine credit hours per semester. If student is enrolled in less than nine credit hours scholarship funds will be forfeited for that semester and student will not be eligible for the scholarship going forward.
- Each student selected for the scholarship will also have the opportunity to receive additional funds for their college education as long as he or she remains a student in good standing at the

institution. In order to be considered for additional scholarship funds the student will need to provide the Trust Department with a copy of grades received at the institution attended thus far, the institution's address and phone number, student ID number, along with proof of registration, not limited to but including a class schedule.

- GPA cannot be lower than 3.0
- If the student has proved to be in good standing any remaining available funds awarded for scholarships will be mailed directly to the college or university.
- Application deadline for current recipients is December 31st for Spring Semester and May 31st for Fall Semester.
- Application deadline for new applicants is April 15th.
 - **Applications postmarked after the deadline date will not be accepted.**

Donald J. Lindley and Belle H. Lindley Scholarship Application

Applicant Information

Date: _____

Name: _____
Last First Middle

Social Security No.: _____ Email: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____

Education

High School: _____

Address: _____ Phone: (____) _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____

Cumulative GPA: _____ on a 4.0 scale or a 5.0 scale (please circle one) scale weighted or non-weighted
(please circle one)

Year of graduation: _____

Activities

Please list school and community activities:

Scholarships and Grants

Have or will you receive PELL or MAP Grants? Yes No (please circle one)

Please list any scholarships received, include amount and when funds will be received (i.e. annual, one time, semi-annual):

Career and Educational Plans

What are your education plans after graduating from high school? (Please include school (s) you plan on attending, major, and degree level to be earned)

Essay

Why is receiving the Donald J. Lindley and Belle H. Lindley Scholarship Fund important to you?

Additional information to be attached to application

- Please attach a copy of your FAFSA report including the expected family contribution information. **(Your Expected Family Contribution (EFC), parents' adjusted gross income, and number of people in household from FAFSA is REQUIRED at the time your application is submitted or it will not be considered)**
- Please attach your high school transcript.

Disclaimer and Signature

I certify that my answers contained in this application and its counterparts are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. Also, I certify I have read and understand the Donald J. Lindley and Belle H. Lindley Scholarship Criteria.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please return completed application and attachments via EMAIL to:

Donald J. Lindley & Belle H. Lindley Scholarship
Lindleyscholarship@regions.com

Questions please email Lindleyscholarship@regions.com

******APPLICATION DEADLINE IS APRIL 15TH
APPLICATIONS POSTMARKED AFTER APRIL 15TH WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED******

Office Use Only:	
School: _____	EFC: _____
Date Received: _____	Postmark Date: _____
AGI/Person: _____	ESC: _____
Grant: _____	Notify Date: _____