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CHAMBER & VISITOR CENTER

2026 Menomonie Chamber Scholarship Application

To qualify for this \$1,000 scholarship, applicants must plan to enroll at Chippewa Valley Technical College or the University of Wisconsin-Stout beginning in the fall of 2026. Additionally, the applicant or their parent, guardian, or grandparent must be employed by a business that is a current member of the Menomonie Area Chamber & Visitor Center at the time of application submission. A directory of current Chamber members is available at <https://business.menomoniechamber.org/list>.

This scholarship is exclusively available to 2026 graduates from high schools located in Dunn County. Funds will be disbursed directly to the recipient's student account at their eligible institution no earlier than January 15, 2027. Payment will be contingent upon successful completion of one semester as a full-time student (defined as earning 12 or more credits per semester). Verification of semester completion must be submitted by January 15, 2027, to programs@menomoniechamber.org.

Student First & Last Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact Phone #: _____

Email Address: _____

Graduating High School: _____

1. Indicate who has the Chamber membership connection:

Name/Relationship: _____

Employed by the following business: _____

2. Student plans to attend: _____ University of Wisconsin – Stout OR _____ Chippewa Valley Technical College

3. Please attach a **1,000+ word essay** that shares your post-secondary plans, community service experience and /or extra-curricular activity involvement. Please also include a description of your future career interests and why you chose UW-Stout or CVTC for your continuing education experience.

5. Please provide **one letter of recommendation** with your application. The individual providing this recommendation should have known you for at least two years and is familiar with your high school experience, grades, leadership, and/or community service. The individual providing this recommendation must not be a relative or immediate family member. Examples of who may provide this letter may include teachers, guidance counselors, supervisors from work, career mentors, activity advisors and more.

The scholarship application deadline is Tuesday, April 15, 2026.

Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted. Please email a PDF of the required application documents to: programs@menomoniechamber.org. If you have questions, please call 715-235-9087.

Do not forget to submit the scholarship application form, essay, and letter of recommendation!