

THE KATHERINE HEEREN SCHOLARSHIP

DESCRIPTION

The Red Bluff Presbyterian Church Scholarship for Christian Women was founded by the Katherine Heeren family to help Christian women attend college. Amid the Great Depression, Katherine was not able to attend college, which was her wish after graduating from high school.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Be affiliated with a Christian Church in the Red Bluff area.
- Be involved in living the life of a Christian in her church/community.
- Enrolling in or attending an accredited institution of higher learning (e.g. community college, church related school, seminary, university, etc.)
- Demonstrate academic promise and a desire to learn.

PLEASE SUBMIT

- A completed application
- An essay as defined on the application
- A copy of academic transcripts
- A completed financial statement
- Two letters of reference

APPLICATION DEADLINE

- April 17, 2026

MAIL or E-MAIL submission to:

The Presbyterian Church of Red Bluff
838 Jefferson Street
Red Bluff CA 96080

Email: secretary@pcrb.net

THE KATHERINE HEEREN SCHOLARSHIP
Scholarship Application

Applicant Information

Name _____ Phone _____

Mailing address _____

Physical Address _____

Mother's name _____

E-mail Address _____

Education

Name of High School Attended _____

Years completed _____ Year of Graduation _____ GPA _____

College you are attending or planning to attend _____

Full time _____ Part time _____ Major/minor _____

Academic Achievement Awards _____

Leadership and Volunteerism

List all organizational memberships (church, school, community), including dates and offices held _____

List all volunteer activities (church, school, and community), including dates of participation _____

Hobbies and Interests

Please describe your favorite hobbies and other interests _____

Work Experience

Employer _____

Position/Title Dates Worked _____

Duties Performed _____

Employer _____

Position/Title Dates Worked _____

Duties Performed _____

ESSAY

Write an essay of approximately 500 words, sharing your background, experiences, and aspirations, including, but not limited to:

- Family and personal background
- Your faith commitment, experiences, and their influence on your life
- Education and career goals
- Future plans to serve your community, country, and world

Please sign and date your essay and attach it to your application.

REFERENCE LETTERS

Two letters of reference must accompany your application: one from your current/former pastor, youth director, deacon or elder, and one from your current school counselor or a teacher.

ACADEMIC RECORDS

Please attach current transcripts

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

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Financial Information

Applicant's Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Parent/Guardian Information

Occupation _____

Employer _____ Annual Income _____

Highest level of education completed _____

Estimated Annual Cost for College Expenses

- Tuition \$ _____
- Books \$ _____
- Room & Board \$ _____
- Transportation \$ _____
- Other \$ _____
- Total Cost \$ _____

Please list all firmly committed resources that will be available to help finance your education

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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