



## 2024-2025 Karen Copetas Believe and Achieve Scholarship

| SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTION  |            |         |                             |
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| <p>This \$1,000 scholarship recognizes a Western student who has made exceptional contributions in support of the University’s efforts to enroll a bright, diverse and inspired undergraduate student body. This award was established in 2012 by friends to honor Karen and carry forward her legacy of going the extra mile in making a difference in the lives of others.</p>   |            |         |                             |
| SCHOLARSHIP QUALIFICATIONS   |            |         |                             |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Undergraduate student who has made exceptional contributions in support of the University’s efforts to enroll a bright, diverse and inspired undergraduate student body.</li> <br/> <li>▶ A minimum GPA of 2.0</li> </ul>   |            |         |                             |
| APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS   |            |         |                             |
| <p>Please write a brief essay that answers the following questions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Describe contributions you have made in support of the University’s efforts to enroll a diverse class of new students (i.e. led student tours, opened your residence hall room rooms to prospective students, participated in virtual or in-person events or activities, contributed to social media channels, etc.).</li> <li>2. When you think about the type of student-body that would make Western the best University possible, what do you envision?</li> <li>3. Describe any other actions you have taken to create positive change at Western, and/or in the broader community/world throughout your journey at Western.</li> </ol>   |            |         |                             |
| SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT INFORMATION  |            |         |                             |
| LAST NAME  | FIRST NAME | WWU ID# | BIRTHDATE<br>____/____/____ |
| RELEASE OF INFORMATION   |            |         |                             |
| <p>I authorize the release of my grade transcript and the extent of my financial need to the scholarship committee.</p>  |            |         |                             |
| Student Signature:   |            |         | Date:                       |
| <i>No signature required if submitted from your WWU email account</i>  |            |         |                             |
| <p><b>Application Submission:</b> Submit your application via your WWU email address with the scholarship name in the subject line. You are encouraged to submit your application documents as pdf files.</p> <p>To ensure that your changes to this pdf are saved, we recommend following these steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Save the form on your computer.</li> <li>2. Open it, fill in the information, save, and close.</li> <li>3. Re-open it to check that the information is still there, close.</li> <li>4. Attach to a new email and send to: <a href="mailto:Lori.Larkin@wwu.edu">Lori.Larkin@wwu.edu</a></li> </ol> <p style="text-align: center;">Deadline: November 1, 2024 by 11:59 p.m.</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Applicants must meet all qualifications and submit all required documentation in order for the application to be sent to the committee for consideration.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Late or incomplete applications will not be considered</u></b></p> |            |         |                             |