

# Marshwood High School

## Eliot Democratic Committee Scholarship

### Description –

Two (2) annual scholarships to be awarded to Marshwood High School Seniors who will attend college in the Fall in the amount of \$500 each.

### Award Criteria – These factors should be followed to select the award recipients.

#### Required –

1. Student has been accepted to, and will attend, a college or university.
2. Student has successfully completed one or more Community Service assignments with the Eliot Democratic Committee.
3. Student is a resident of Eliot.

#### Weighted Considerations –

4. Student has demonstrated an interest, via class work or participation in extra-curricular organizations or activities, in political or service-oriented careers.
5. Student has completed the Advanced Placement Government and Politics class.

#### Proviso –

6. The Eliot Democratic Committee reserves the right:
  - a. to identify a student to receive an award, and
  - b. to remove a student from consideration.

### Award Distribution –

The Eliot Democratic Committee (EDC) award should be distributed to the selected students at the time of graduation and should be made payable to the student and their college or university.

### Process –

Marshwood High School should contact the EDC Chair a minimum of four (4) weeks in advance of award assignment to ensure that the Eliot Democratic Committee has enough time to discuss potential scholarship recipients (per the Proviso) and to verify:

- a) the number of scholarships available (*a minimum of two (2) are assured*)
- b) the dollar amount of the scholarship (*a minimum of \$500 is assured*)

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