



Topeka Area Catbackers New \$1000 Scholarship

Topeka Area Catbackers has established a new \$1000 scholarship which will be awarded for the first time in the 2018-2019 school year, and annually thereafter. This scholarship will provide financial assistance to a KSU student who is currently enrolled or plans to attend Kansas State. One scholarship will be awarded each school year to a child of a current Topeka Catbacker member. Selection is based on academic achievements, honors, leadership, work and community experience and career goals. Financial need may also be taken in consideration.

Eligibility – candidates must meet the following criteria:

- * Graduate of a Topeka area high school
- * From a family with an active membership with the Topeka Area Cat backers
- * Current enrollment at KSU as a full-time student or a current high school graduate who will be attending KSU in the upcoming year.
- * Completion and submitting scholarship application by April 1, 2018.

Payment of the Award - \$500 for each Fall & Spring semester will be made from KSU Enrollment Office.

Application Process – Scholarship recipient will be selected based on their written application and a personal interview by a three person selection committee. Applications must be received by **April 1st, 2018**.

Final selection and notification of the scholarship recipient will be by **May 1st, 2018**. The recipient and his/her parents will be invited to the annual Topeka Catbackers Summer Tour prior to the fall semester for which the scholarship will be awarded.

Obtain a scholarship application form on our website: www.topekaareacatbackers.com or complete the following attached application by April 1, 2018. Send to:

Topeka Area Catbackers
Attn: Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 4767
Topeka, Kansas 66604

Direct questions/inquiries to: Les D. Streit @ streitl@sbcglobal.net or 785-554-3649.

Topeka Area Catbacker Scholarship Application

Name _____ Class Rank _____

Date _____ GPA _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____ Email Address _____

Parents(s): _____

Number of Siblings at Home _____ Number of Siblings at College _____

List scholastic honors you have received (college students list scholastic honors received after high school): _____

List your community involvement and work experience while in high school (college students list community involvement and work experience after high school):

List positions of leadership in and out of school (college students list positions of leadership after high school):

Describe your professional plans for the future (50 words or less):

Two Professional References:

Name _____ **How Known** _____

Phone # and/or email address _____

Name _____ **How Known** _____

Phone # and/or email address _____

I hereby confirm that all information provided on this application is correct, and I understand that any false information automatically disqualifies me from eligibility.

(Signature of Applicant)

(Date)