



Topeka Catbackers \$1000 Scholarship

The Topeka Catbackers award several **\$1,000 scholarships** each year to support students who are currently enrolled at, or planning to attend, **Kansas State University**. Scholarships are based on academic achievement, honors, leadership, work, community involvement, and stated career goals.

Eligibility: Candidates must meet the following criteria.

- Graduate of a Topeka area high school
- Currently enrolled at KSU as a full-time student **or** a graduating high school senior who will be attending KSU in the upcoming academic year.
- Submission of completed scholarship application by deadline.

Award Payment: The \$1,000 scholarship will be distributed as follows:

- **\$500 for the Fall semester**
- **\$500 for the Spring semester**

Payments will be made through the **KSU Enrollment Office**.

Application Process: Scholarship recipient(s) will be selected based on their written application. Applications must be received by **April 1st, 2026**.

Final selection and notification of the scholarship recipient will be by **May 1st, 2026**. The recipient and their parents or guardians 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 at: www.topekaareacatbackers.com or complete the attached application and submit it by April 1st, 2026

Send to: Topeka Catbackers **Direct questions or inquiries to:**

Attn: Scholarship Committee Bruce Steinbrock
P.O. Box 4767
Topeka, Kansas 66604 785-554-0374
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Topeka Catbackers Scholarship Application - 2026

Name _____ Date _____ Year in
College or High School _____ GPA _____

Address _____
_____ Phone
Number _____

Email Address _____ Year
of Expected KSU Graduation _____ KSU Major _____ List
scholastic honors you received in high school: _____

List scholastic honors you received in college (if applicable): _____

List your community involvement and work experience while in high school: _____

List your community involvement and work experience in college (if applicable): _____

List positions of leadership in high school: _____

List positions of leadership in college (if applicable):

Describe your professional plans: (50 words or less): _____

Why should you be chosen for this scholarship? _____

Two Professional References are required (one teacher and one employer or community service or work supervisor.) Please attach letters of reference from the individuals listed below.

Name _____ **Relationship** _____

Phone # and/or email address _____

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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)