

STEAM Scholarships: Call for essay submissions

The Scholarship:

The UW Wausau Campus Foundation will award several STEAM Scholarships of \$2,500 each for eligible UW-Stevens Point at Wausau students for the 2021-2022 academic year. The UWSP at Wausau Scholarships & Awards Committee will consider applicants based on merit, need, and intent to pursue a qualifying STEAM-related degree (as listed below). The scholarship is open to the following students:

1. Any students who will be starting as full-time students at UWSP-Wausau this coming fall.
2. Students who are returning as full-time students to UWSP-Wausau for a second year.
3. Students who will be attending UWSP-Wausau as juniors or seniors in our bachelor's degree programs in business administration or nursing.

STEAM applicants must do these two things:

1. By **February 10, 2021**, write and submit a **one-page essay** following the instructions listed below.
2. By **March 1, 2021**, complete the **Wausau campus's general scholarship application** found at this link: <https://www.uwsp.edu/wausau/admissions/Pages/scholarships.aspx>.

Qualifying STEAM-related bachelor's degrees:

- * SCIENCE: Any natural, physical or biological science degree, including any nursing or pre-med degrees.
- * TECHNOLOGY: Any technology degree, including a business degree with a concentration in technology.
- * ENGINEERING: Any engineering degree.
- * ART & DESIGN: Any art or design degree.
- * MATH: Any mathematics or finance-related degree (including accounting, business administration or health administration)

Essay instructions:

Write a single-spaced one-page essay explaining two things:

1. How have you made a positive impact in your community (where you live, your school, an organization you belong to, etc.) during your high school years? If you have not made an impact in your community, looking back over your high school years, if you had a "do over," how would you have liked to have made an impact.

(Please **do not** simply list or explain to us what organizations of which you are/were a member. We want to know how you have made a difference.)

2. If you were to return to the greater Wausau area after you have completed your college, how do you see yourself making an impact with your educational background in your community?

Submission instructions:

1. Deadline: Your essay is due at 11:59 pm on Wednesday, **February 10, 2021**.
2. Submission: Send your essay as a PDF to bzweck@uwsp.edu.