**Please READ before completing the Application Form.** ICB Wayland Sunday School offers college merit scholarships based on student excellence and to encourage continuation of their studies of Islam and Arabic. Two \$5,000 Scholarships will be awarded to perspective college freshmen each spring. The scope of this scholarship covers activities throughout ICB Wayland, not just the Sunday School.

## **Application Instructions**

Eligibility requirements for this competition are as follows.

- 1. Completed at least 6 years of ICB Wayland Sunday School and has graduated from the ICB Sunday School (passed 10th grade or is on-track to graduate Sunday school 10<sup>th</sup> grade)
- 2. Participated in activities and community service at ICB Wayland.
- 3. Accepted to an accredited 4-year college for the upcoming school year, and plan to attend (receipt of scholarship money is contingent upon College acceptance letter).
- 4. Plans to take at least 2 courses in Islam or Arabic and/or participate in Muslims clubs during the 4 years of college (either at their college attended or related program).
- 5. Student or parents are current members of the ICB Wayland.
- 6. US Citizenship or permanent residency.

Selection criteria will also include a zeal for learning, strong interest in continuing studies of Islam or Arabic, and strong character and leadership skills, as demonstrated via your application materials.

## Key Dates:

Dates.	
Application available	April 10 <sup>th</sup>
Scholarship program overview seminar	April 19 @ 11AM via Zoom
Application due	May 19 <sup>th</sup>
College acceptance letter due	May 19 <sup>th</sup>
Recipients notified	June 7 <sup>th</sup> (individually via email)
Recipients announced	At ICB Sunday School Graduation event

You must submit the following 5 items by the application due date:

- The completed application form submitted in pdf
- A 600-word Essay (details below) submitted in pdf
- A 600-word ICB Wayland Community Service/Activity write-up submitted in pdf
- <u>Letter of Recommendation from a ICB Sunday School teacher</u> Online form link or pdf form via the ICB website scholarship page.
- High School Transcript (to date and stamped with high school seal) submitted via pdf

Note: Your college acceptance letter can be submitted at a later date (see Key Dates above)

The application form is composed of the following sections:

- A. About you
- B. About your Schooling
- C. ICB Community Service Activities and Responsibilities table
- D. ICB Community Service write-up (instructions)
- E. Essay (instructions)
- F. Sunday School Teacher Letter of Recommendation (instructions)
- G. Terms and signature

## **Submission Process:**

- The Application Form, Essay, Community Service write-up, and Letter of Recommendation with signature (scanned to pdf) should be uploaded at <a href="https://forms.gle/DCVaKe3L6fBFte4aA">https://forms.gle/DCVaKe3L6fBFte4aA</a>
- The Teacher Recommendation should be submitted online at <a href="https://forms.gle/gDDi9sgu69GkzRgU8">https://forms.gle/gDDi9sgu69GkzRgU8</a>
- If you have any questions, please email the Vice President at <u>vicepresident@icbwayland.org</u>.