

Lubbock Association of REALTORS®
John S Walton
EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

Through the generosity of the Lubbock Association of REALTORS® (LAR) and its members, we are proud to offer scholarships in memory of John S Walton. Mr. Walton helped create the Education Foundation in 1981 while serving as President of the LAR. The Foundation was renamed in his honor in 2016. Mr. Walton was a pillar of the LAR, humbly serving throughout his life. He also served as President of the Texas Association of REALTORS® in 1999 and was appointed to the Texas Real Estate Commission by Governor Rick Perry from 2001 to 2007. In 2004, Governor Perry appointed him as Chairman of the Commission.

At the discretion of the John S Walton Educational Foundation, one thousand dollar (\$1,000) scholarships will be granted to chosen applicants and paid directly to the school of higher education in which they will attend.

Selection criteria for this Scholarship are as follows:

- A. Recipient must be a U.S. Citizen, permanent citizen or studying on a student visa.
- B. Recipient must be accepted to Texas Tech University, South Plains College, Lubbock Christian University or Wayland Baptist University.
- C. Recipient must submit an essay of no more than 1,000 words detailing how this scholarship will help further their higher education. In the essay, the applicant must demonstrate a need for the scholarship as well as detailed educational plans for the future.
- D. Recipient must be at least a full-time (12-semester credit hours) student.
- E. Recipient must be an entering freshman or a returning student.
- F. Returning student recipients must have and maintain at least a 2.5 cumulative grade point average.
- G. Recipient must have a letter of recommendation provided by an active REALTOR® member of the Lubbock Association of REALTORS®.
- H. Final selection of the recipient shall be by the John S Walton Educational Foundation Trustees.
- I. Deadline to apply is **April 30, 2017**. Recipients may send their resume, cover letter, and copy of transcript in **one email** to Cade Fowler, Association Executive at cadefowler@lubbockrealtors.com.
- J. Recipients will be notified of scholarship awards no later than **May 31, 2017**.

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Date: _____

Name: _____

School you are/will be attending:

Texas Tech University

Lubbock Christian University

South Plains College

Wayland Baptist University

Major: _____

High School Attended (or college attending): _____

Grade Point Average (attach a copy of transcript): _____

Mailing Address _____

(City, State, Zip): _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Please include this cover letter along with your essay and letter of recommendation from a REALTOR® Member of the Lubbock Association of Realtors and send to cadefowler@lubbockrealtors.com no later than April 30, 2017.