



**Washington State  
School Retirees' Association**

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## **Important High School Scholarship Information for the Year 2021**

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TO: Washington State high school principals/counselors/senior students

FROM: Bob Duke, President  
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RE: Eight (8) WSSR-Foundation Scholarships – a one-time scholarship of \$2500 each  
Sixteen (16) Robert J. Handy Scholarships - \$900 each for up to four years  
Two (2) Gene Forrester Memorial Scholarships - \$2000.00 each

The Washington State School Retirees' Association (WSSRA) invites senior students of your school who have a GPA of 3.0 or higher to apply for the above scholarships. These awards are given to students who plan a career in the field of education.

Eight (8) WSSR – Foundation Scholarships and sixteen (16) Robert J. Handy Scholarships will be awarded to students whose degree would be in one of these areas: teacher, counselor, speech therapist, occupational therapist, or psychologist.

Two (2) Gene Forrester Memorial Scholarships will be awarded to students who will major in Agricultural Education at Washington State University.

WSSRA conducts the search, reviews applications, and selects the recipients. Applicants will be notified by May 7, 2021, if they have been chosen. Please encourage your outstanding students who are committed to a career in the field of education to apply.

The scholarship application is available online on our web page at [www.wssra.org](http://www.wssra.org) under the Foundation tab.

Scholarship applications must be mailed to WSSRA, PO Box 5127, Lacey, WA 98509.

**For an application to be considered it must be in approved form, with directions followed precisely and mailed and postmarked by March 1, 2021.**