

District 883

**Dollars for
Scholars®**

May 13, 2026

Congratulations!!

District 883 Dollars for Scholars is pleased to confirm that you have been awarded a scholarship to assist with your post-secondary educational expenses. The scholarship you were awarded was either sponsored by the District 883 Dollars for Scholars chapter using individual donor funds or was funded in full by a sponsor and administered by the District 883 Dollars for Scholars chapter.

Please review the **Scholarship Acknowledgment** instructions provided with your award. This step needs to be **completed by June 15, 2026** in our online system (where you completed your profile and applied for scholarships). It only takes a couple of minutes and, more importantly, we cannot disburse your scholarship without this being completed.

Dollars for Scholars will disburse your scholarship funds after you have registered for classes but it won't happen automatically. To request disbursement, you will need to provide the following information to our treasurer **Diane Hopkins at 883dfs@gmail.com**.

- tuition statement or class schedule
- address of your school where tuition payments are sent
- your student ID

Diane will mail a check directly to your school and funds will be applied to your student account. DFS scholarships need to be redeemed within three years; Class of 2026 awards will expire on December 31, 2029.

On behalf of the District 883 Dollars for Scholars board members and our contributors, we'd like to congratulate you on being awarded this scholarship. We are proud of your hard work during the past four years and we're confident you will continue to thrive beyond high school.

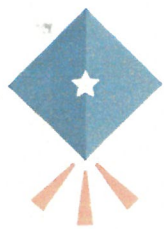
Good luck in your future endeavors – go make Rockford proud!!

District 883 Dollars for Scholars -- Board Members

Karen Nielsen - President

Diane Hopkins - Treasurer

Nancy Linz - Secretary



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Scholarship Acknowledgment Process

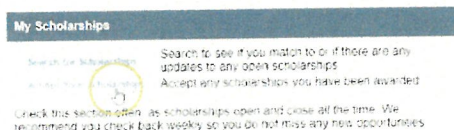
You were awarded a DFS scholarship...now what? Please follow the directions below to acknowledge your scholarship award. If you prefer watching over reading, we have a video tutorial that walks you through the steps. This should take less than 10 minutes of your time. **Please complete by June 15, 2026.**

VIDEO TUTORIAL:

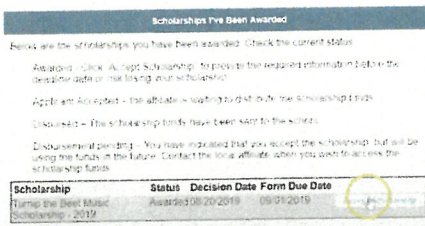
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PWB3znVBR8k>

PROCESS DIRECTIONS

1. Go to the DFS website (district883.dollarsforscholars.org) and click on the "Students & Parents" tab to bring you the student portal. Log in using your credentials.
2. Go to the "My Scholarships" section on your dashboard and click on the "Accept Your Scholarships" link.



3. Scroll down to the bottom to find the section called "Scholarships I've Been Awarded". Click on "Accept Scholarship" next to your award.



4. The "Scholarship Acknowledgment Form" will pop up. Please verify your college information and contact details are accurate. If you need to make changes to either, click on "Edit School Information" or "Edit Contact Information", as needed. If you don't have your college ID yet, just enter 0000 in that field.

Scholarship Acknowledgment Form

Marty McFly, I acknowledge that I am the recipient of the **Turnip the Beet Music Scholarship** in the amount of **\$1,000.00** provided by **Test Training Dollars for Scholars**.

I have been accepted and plan to attend:
University of Idaho
101 Desktop Hall
Moscow, ID 83843-7245

I will begin this year's school on:
Your College Student ID is: **0000**
If this is blank, click the "Edit School Information" button below.

Note: It has changed or you need to define your scholarship agreement by **Test Training Dollars for Scholars**. Check the "Scholarship" page, click "Immediately" and update the information in the "Scholarship" section of your profile.

My Current Contact Information:
123 Main St
Duluth, Minnesota 00011
marty@idaho.net (email address)
123 123 1231

Edit Contact Information

5. Read the terms and conditions section and then click on "Agree to Terms and Conditions", check the "Electronic Signature" tick box, and click "Submit". Class of 2026 scholarships will be valid through December 31, 2029.

I agree to permit **Test Training Dollars for Scholars** to confer with my postsecondary institution to verify my enrollment during the term of my award.

I understand that I must use this scholarship for the upcoming school year, unless I delay entrance or need to delay the use of the award as indicated by my financial aid package. Should I choose not to attend a postsecondary institution, or should I fail to complete the proper forms on time, I understand that my scholarship will be null and void.

I understand that this form must be updated on or before **09/01/2019**. My failure to update this Scholarship Acknowledge form by this date will result in the forfeiture of my scholarship.

I agree that by choosing to accept this award from **Test Training Dollars for Scholars**, that **Test Training Dollars for Scholars**, its parent organization, Scholarship America®, and its affiliated programs and regional offices, may use my name, my photograph or likeness, the name of my community, the name and address of my school, the amount of the award, and the name of the postsecondary institution I will attend in press releases, public announcements, and other fundraising or promotional materials in all media (including the Internet) to advance the nonprofit objectives of **Test Training Dollars for Scholars**, Scholarship America, and their affiliated programs.

Terms and conditions not yet agreed to

Agree to Terms and Conditions

By checking this box, you agree to the terms and conditions and verify that all information on this form is correct.

Electronic Signature

Submit Cancel

6. You can log in and return to this screen at any point to confirm the status of your award.

Scholarships I've Been Awarded

Below are the scholarships you have been awarded. Check the current status.

Awarded - Click "Accept Scholarship" to provide the required information before the deadline date or risk losing your scholarship.

Applicant Accepted - the affiliate is waiting to distribute the scholarship funds.

Disbursed - The scholarship funds have been sent to the school.

Disbursement pending - You have indicated that you accept the scholarship, but will be using the funds in the future. Contact the local affiliate when you wish to access the scholarship funds.

Scholarship	Status	Decision Date	Form Due Date	
Turnip the Beet Music Scholarship - 2019	Applicant Accepted	08/20/2019	09/01/2019	View Agreement

Please acknowledge your award by June 15, 2026. This step is mandatory; without it, DFS cannot disburse your scholarship funds.

IMPORTANT NOTE ON DISBURSEMENTS

Scholarship disbursement DOES NOT occur automatically. Once you've registered for college, you must reach out to our treasurer, Diane Hopkins, to request disbursement of your scholarship funds. Diane will need your student ID, a tuition statement or class schedule (screen shot is OK), and the address where tuition payments are mailed to your school. Checks are sent directly to your school and funds will be applied to your student account. **Please email your disbursement request to Diane Hopkins using our DFS email address 883dfs@gmail.com.**

Congratulations on your District 883 Dollars for Scholars award and good luck in your future endeavors.