

# APPLICATION

2022-2023 School Year

## **The Carl F. Walter, Alice M. Walter, Harry Noel Russell and Betty J. Russell Scholarship (The Russell Family Foundation)**

The Carl F. Walter, Alice M. Walter, Harry Noel Russell and Betty J. Russell Scholarship was established under the Last Will and Testament of Betty J. Russell and is awarded annually to graduating high school students who will be entering a college, university, graduate school, professional school, trade school, vocational apprenticeship or internship as full-time students. **Applicants must be high school graduates of Kansas Unified School District Nos. 283, 286 and 490.**

### **Application Instructions:**

1. Scholarships are based primarily on academic excellence (at least in the top fifty percent [50%] of the student's class upon graduation) and secondarily on financial need. Financial need shall be defined as the difference between the costs of education minus the applicant's (family) ability to pay.
2. Scholarships will be awarded by the Foundation after considering the non-binding recommendations of the advisory committee that has been established at the high school from which the applicant graduated. Scholarships will be awarded to full time students entering a college, university, graduate school, professional school, trade school, vocational apprenticeship or internship (with the determination of "full time student" defined as the term is defined by the relevant school).
3. Scholarships will terminate if a recipient either fails to continue as a full-time student or fails to maintain above average academic performance (better than 2.0 GPA) at any time.
4. The use of any scholarship funds awarded is restricted to tuition, fees and books.
5. Scholarships are awarded for one year only. Recipients may reapply annually.
6. All awards will be credited directly to an account for the recipient at recipient's school and may be used for tuition, fees and books only. No funds will be paid directly to a recipient.
7. Applications must be submitted to Commerce Trust Company by **April 1, 2022**. The applications will be forwarded to the guidance counselor or the advisory committee that has been established at applicant's high school.

8. Scholarship recipients are required to submit **proof of enrollment** along with appropriate **school transcripts** each semester to the advisory committee or to the Co-Trustee at the following address:

Russell Family Foundation  
Commerce Trust Company  
PO Box 637  
Wichita KS 67201-0637

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**Applicant's Personal Information:**

Name:	Birth Date:
E-mail Address:	Telephone Number:
Permanent Address:	City, State, Zip:
Mailing Address (if different):	City, State, Zip:

**Educational Information:**

Name of High School Attended:	Rank in Class:	
Name of Principal:	Size of Class:	
Date you received (or will receive) your high school diploma:	GPA:	
Name and address of the school you are planning to attend next term:	Will you be a full-time student as defined by the school?	
Course of study:	How many credit hours will you be taking next term?	
What is the cost of tuition, fees and books at the school you will attend next term?		
Per Hour:	Per Semester:	Per Year:
Book Cost:	Fees:	

**Family/Financial Information:**

Father's Name:	Annual Income:
Address:	City, State, Zip:
Mother's Name:	Annual Income:
Address:	City, State, Zip:
Applicant's Annual Income:	Total Family Income:
Number of children living at home who are dependent upon the Total Family Income:	

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**Additional Financial Information:**

List other scholarships you will receive next school year:	Amount of each:
Additional sources of financial aid:	

**Signature:**

Applicant	Date

The application and attachments **must be submitted by April 1, 2022** to:

**Commerce Trust Company  
Attn: Dawn Tatum  
P.O. Box 637  
Wichita, KS 67201-0637**

*All information received will be considered strictly confidential.*

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**Advisory Committee Action:**