

The Zonta Club of St. Charles, Geneva and Batavia actively promotes empowering women and girls through service and advocacy and encouraging educational achievement among female students in the local community.

CINDY PERKINSON SCHOLARSHIP – To support young women pursuing education in the fields of business, languages, and/or music.

ROBERTA J. GERBRECHT SCHOLARSHIP – To support young women pursuing education in the fields of social work, nursing, or teaching.

AWARD

This award can be applied to tuition, books, fees, and materials directly related to the course of study, and administered to the school/institution/certification program. It is the recipient's responsibility to notify the Zonta West – Illinois Scholarship Committee of the name and scholarship office address of the chosen educational facility. A check will be mailed directly to the educational facility.

ELIGIBILITY

Female-identifying individuals between the age of 17 and 25 residing in Kane County. Zonta affiliates and past scholarship recipients are not eligible.

SELECTION CRITERIA

- 1. Community service activities/extra-curricular activities
- 2. Applicable field of study
 - a. Cindy Perkins Scholarship business, languages, and/or music
 - b. Roberta J. Gerbrecht Scholarship social work, nursing, or teaching
- 3. Academic performance transcript is required
- 4. 2 letters of recommendation

APPLICATION DEADLINE

The application deadline is March 15, 2024.

All application packets must be complete with relevant supporting documentation to address academic standing and reference. Incomplete application packets will NOT be considered. Complete packets must be submitted electronically by the deadline to zontasqb@gmail.com. Hard copies will not be accepted.