



Washington Imagination Network 2020 Barb Sailors Scholarship Application

Applications must be received via email by **Sunday, March 8, 2020** to be considered for a 2020 award. Minimum amount awarded for an individual scholarship will be **\$1,000.00**.

Eligibility Criteria – Applicant must be:

- Currently involved in Destination Imagination in a significant manner (i.e. Team Member, Team Manager, Appraiser, Instant Challenge Day Organizer, etc.)
- Be at least a senior in high school or older
- Pursuing some sort of higher education
 - Please note: applicants do not have to be graduating seniors. They can be adults (anyone involved in DI in some way) pursuing higher education.

Complete your responses to the following and email your application to:
arc@wa-di.org.

Letters of Recommendation should be emailed directly from the person providing the recommendation to **arc@wa-di.org**, and clearly indicate the name of the applicant and the name of the sender.

Name: _____

School: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Current regional affiliation: _____

To be included with your application:

1. One letter of recommendation from someone who is or has been a part of your involvement with creative problem solving
2. One letter of recommendation from someone of your choosing (optional)
3. A short (no more than one page), personal essay, including, but not limited to:
 - a. Your personal strengths and interests, and extracurricular activities
 - b. Your future plans and goals for continuing your education
 - c. Your involvement with creative problem solving, including current activities
4. A “Creative Picture of You” –

Here is your chance to be creative! We want to know about YOU and how Destination Imagination and creative problem solving have influenced your life. Choose one of the formats below to best convey this “Creative Picture of You”:

- A. Audio – original song with lyrics, limited to 5 minutes. Email (docx, pdf, Google Doc) of the lyrics and MP3 of the song
- B. Visual presentation – PowerPoint (in ppt, pptx, or Google Sheets) or video (in WAVE, MP4, or Quicktime, limited to 5 minutes). Email as an attachment in the above formats.
- C. Visual content – if you want to paint, sculpt, etc., you’re welcome to, but you will be submitting it as pictures and/or video. You’re also welcome to do something with digital design, as long as it’s in an easily shareable format.
- D. Story – must be typed, double-spaced, and limited to 2-5 pages. Email submission.
- E. Poem – must be typed, double-spaced, and limited to 2-3 pages. Email submission.
- F. Essay – must be typed, double-spaced, and limited to 2-3 pages. Email submission.
- G. Internet content – must be submitted in a form distributable via the Internet (i.e. free of intellectual property infringements and viewable with a standard browser). Email the URL of the site.
- H. Have another idea? Awesome! Go for it!

Weighting:

Letter(s) of Recommendation – 20%

Personal Essay describing strengths, goals, and involvement with DI – 35%

Creative Picture of You – 40%

Completion of application – 5%