

March 31, application deadline

Bonner Development Group (BDG) Scholarship: The purpose of the BDG Scholarship is to provide educational funds to two MCPS seniors who have graduated from Bonner Elementary School District. One of the BDG scholarships will be awarded to a graduating senior who is university bound. The other BDG Scholarship will provide educational funds to one MCPS graduating senior planning to attend Missoula College (or technical school). The scholarship program is a final act by the Bonner Development Group as it wraps up its operations in Bonner Montana. [Click here](#) for information regarding the accomplishments of the BDG and what the BDG was about. The selection committee will award a \$2,500 scholarships for tuition for two students per year.

Scholarship Criteria:

- Have graduated 8th grade from Bonner Elementary School District #14
- Be an MCPS High School Senior – must graduate
- Type a short essay (approximately 300-500 words) responding to the following: Why I am the best student to receive the BDG Scholarship.
- Hold a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or greater.
- Submit a letter of recommendation from a school teacher/administrator.
- Turn in the application, essay and letter of recommendation on or before 5:00 p.m. on March 31, of the year student is to graduate.

Students having been awarded the scholarship in a prior year are eligible to reapply, provided they hold a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher.

Notification of the scholarship awardees along with the awarded student's written essay is required to be provided by MCPS to the Superintendent of the Bonner Elementary School District 14, following execution of the award.

Incomplete submittals will not be considered for an award.