



## W. ANNE GIBSON SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP

The Friends of the W. Anne Gibson Esmond Station Library are proud to announce the inaugural **W. Anne Gibson Service Scholarship**, an award for high school seniors who are making a difference in their community through service. This scholarship, offered at **\$500**, honors the legacy of **W. Anne Gibson**, the dedicated namesake of our library. Anne believes in the power of community and has spent her life serving others and giving back to the place she calls home in Vail, Arizona.

Our desire is to recognize service work, grade point average and extracurricular activities, as well as to assess the need for financial assistance. We are looking for students who embody Anne's spirit of service and have demonstrated a commitment to improving the lives of those around them, whether through volunteering, leading community projects, or acts of kindness. If you are a high school senior who carries a GPA of 3.0 or higher, is in need of financial assistance and has made a positive impact through service, we encourage you to apply and share your story with us.

Upon applying for the W. Anne Gibson Service Scholarship, we would like to ask that you answer the question "Why are you deserving of this award?" by sharing about 2-3 community service projects that you were a part of, along with answering **ONE** of the following prompts:

- How has community service shaped the person you are today?
- Among your accomplishments, what are you most proud of and why?
- How have you contributed to and/or made an impact in your community?

Keep in mind, your two letters of recommendation should come from teachers, advisors and/or other community members who have seen your level of service at school and/or in the community.

### Timetable

Applications Open - February 1, 2026

Application Deadline - March 15, 2026

Scholarships Announced - on or after April 1, 2026

Click the Vail School District Foundation Logo Below To Access the Scholarship Application

