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| **Helen Spasoff Kratzer Scholarship Application** |  |

**Amount of Award:** $2,500 scholarship award to a female student who will attend a University of Wisconsin System school as an Education major.

**Who May Apply:** Female high school seniors attending Appleton East, Appleton North, Appleton West, Fox Valley Lutheran, Hortonville, Kimberly, Little Chute or Xavier high schools.

**Basis for Selection:** The recipient will be a young woman with a 3.6 minimum grade point average, a strong academic record, and demonstrated school and community involvement who plans to attend a University of Wisconsin System school as an Education major. **Financial need is not a requirement of this scholarship.**

**How to Apply:** Complete this form **and return it with the requested attachments** by **March 15** to **Women’s Fund for the Fox Valley Region, 4455 W. Lawrence Street, Appleton, WI 54914. The application and all attachments may also be submitted via email to grants@womensfundfvr.org.**

## Personal Information

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| Parent(s) Name(s): |  |

## Helen Spasoff Kratzer’s Story

* + The daughter of Macedonian immigrants
  + Raised in a bi-lingual family of six children
  + Grew to love the English language and became a voracious reader
  + Graduated from the University of Wisconsin-Madison with a degree in Education
  + Taught English and Social Studies for ten years
  + Mother of four and grandmother of eleven
  + Would like to assist other young women with their college education

## Required Attachments

**Include the following attachments:**

1. Write a brief essay to tell us your story. Additionally, tell us why you want to be a teacher and why you would be an appropriate recipient of this scholarship.Please use your language skills to help us get to know you.
2. Three letters of recommendation from non-relative adults – at least one from a teacher
3. High school transcript
4. Letter of acceptance from a University of Wisconsin System school
5. Activities Form (page 2 of this application)

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| Student Signature: |  | Parent or Guardian Signature: |  |

**Return application and requested attachments by March 15 to Women’s Fund for the Fox Valley Region:**

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**Appleton, WI 54914**

**Use this chart to list extra-curricular activities, work experience, and community service.**

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In the space below describe which of the activities in which you participated is most important to you and why.

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