



## Wonder Women Of Wrestling Foundation

WWOWF Administration,

The Wonder Women of Wrestling Foundation is pleased to announce WWOWF National High School Essay Contest. This year's theme is: "Overcomer"

**There will be THREE college scholarships awarded, and each recipient will be granted \$1,000.**

The ability to overcome adversity is a valuable skill in wrestling and in life. Adversity can arise in many ways. It could come from a comment that someone makes or a restriction that is placed. Trials can also include a lack of access to services and activities. However hardship is encountered, young women face them daily.

The essay prompt is: **Tell of a personal experience that you had where you faced adversity in wrestling and how it translates to how you handle hardship in your life off of the mat.**

Do not change or shorten the essay prompt.

The essay must be between 650 and 750 words in length. The type-written, double-spaced essay must be submitted via email as a PDF file. The essay must be original neither previously published nor secured by copyright. Please do not make an AI generated submission. All essays found to be plagiarized or AI generated will be removed from consideration.

The contest is open to all college-bound, high school seniors who **competed in the Varsity Wonder Women Event held on December 29 & 30, 2023**. The contest opens Friday, March 1, 2024 and closes Friday, March 29, 2024. The manuscript must be postmarked, or time stamped on the email no later than 11:59 pm, Friday, March 29, 2024, and sent to the specified submission link below:

**Email:** [lee\\_jr2003@yahoo.com](mailto:lee_jr2003@yahoo.com)

Essay finalists will be posted on Friday, April 19, 2024, on the foundation website.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me at [lee\\_jr2003@yahoo.com](mailto:lee_jr2003@yahoo.com).

With Gratitude,

Lee Furnace Jr.  
Vice President  
Wonder Women of Wrestling Foundation



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### Eligibility & Rules Submission Process:

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**Mailing Address:**

Wonder Women Of Wrestling Foundation  
5522 Tennessee Ave.  
St. Louis, Missouri 63111

Essay scholarship winners will be posted on Friday, April 19, 2024, on the foundation website.

All submissions will be reviewed by the WWOWF Scholarship Committee. Submissions will not be accepted after Friday, March 29, 2024. **Do not change or shorten the Essay Topic.**

### The following information for the contestant must appear on the title page in this manner:

Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
An Essay By: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Name of High School: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address of High School: \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
Contest Name: WWOWF National High School Essay Contest  
Parent or Guardian Name and Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Essays must be sent to the location specified and any received in an alternative format or location will be considered ineligible.**