

**SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PITTSVILLE
BOARD POLICY**

STUDENTS

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

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The following criteria shall be used to select the State of Wisconsin's "Academic Excellence Higher Education Scholarship" recipient.

The graduate, to be considered for high honors at Pittsville High School, must be in attendance for a total of six (6) semesters, which shall include the final four (4) semesters of high school.

The graduating senior with the highest grade point average (G.P.A.), based on a 4.000 scale, with an A = 4.000, will be chosen as Pittsville School District's "Academic Excellence Higher Education Scholarship" recipient. Numerically, the grade point average for seven (7) semesters will be used for the first indicator and recognized as such. This number will be carried out as far as the three (3) places after the decimal point and "rounded off" to the greatest number, if the succeeding places are over .00049. This number will then be used to make the final decision. In the event that a tie exists, the following tie breaking criteria will be employed:

Criteria 1. All juniors who wish to qualify for the "Academic Excellence Higher Education Scholarship" must take the A.C.T. as a junior. The highest composite of the A.C.T. score will be the indicator of the recipient.

Criteria 2. The final method to be used as a tie-breaker will be a coin toss (one toss of a coin). The District Administrator will call and supervise the toss of the coin. The coin is supplied and tossed by the principal in the Administrative Office.

The scholastic achievement is indicated by the following grade code:

A = 4.000	B+ = 3.333	C+ = 2.333	D+ = 1.333	F = 0.000
A- = 3.667	B = 3.000	C = 2.000	D = 1.000	
	B- = 2.667	C- = 1.667	D- = 0.667	

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