

The Martin Family Business Scholarship

\$1,500.00

This scholarship was established in 2019 by the Martin family; Shirley, Jim, Abbey, and Ben. As Shawnee Heights residents, students, and school patrons (Shirley-USD 450 Business Manager, Abbey and Ben K-12 students/graduates, and Jim active patron) the family experienced the daily impacts of the community nature and spirit of the District throughout their entire lives. The energy and assistance provided to a young growing family came through students of all ages, teachers, administrative staff, support staff, former students, parents, family friends within the District, and many more school and District related activities. This scholarship reflects the recognition of and gratitude for this life-long community influence on the family.

The Shawnee Heights Public Schools Foundation is excited to make available this \$1,500.00 scholarship to a Shawnee Heights High School graduating senior as recognition and celebration of the strength and impacts of the USD 450 community with the hope that it will further influence another generation of T-Birds. The scholarship, for educational expenses, is created to assist a senior that has been actively participating in the success of the Shawnee Heights community both inside and outside of the classroom.

The following qualifications must be met to be eligible:

Scholarship Requirements:

- 1) Graduating senior from Shawnee Heights High School.
- 2) Post High School study in a business related major at an accredited four year college or university.
- 3) Grade point average of 3.00 (semester prior to graduation).
- 4) Active participation in USD 450 and Shawnee Heights High School organizations and extracurricular activities.
- 5) Community involvement (Shawnee Heights and Shawnee County)
- 6) Recommendations from a teacher, administrator, and/or local District patron.
- 7) Brief written essay (max 1 page) as a reflection on how the USD 450 community has impacted the applicant.

Funding

- 1) Funds will be released only to an accredited School of Business upon acceptance and enrollment.
- 2) Funds must be issued during the academic year immediately following graduation from High School.

Application Instructions:

Complete application and attach all required information in the order listed. Return completed application and essay to the Shawnee Heights Counseling Center. The applications and essays will be delivered to the Shawnee Heights Public Schools Foundation for review and the determination of the scholarship winner.

Application Deadline:

Applications must be received **no later than 3:00 P.M. on March 1 of the current year.**

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Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Email Address: _____

Current Cell Phone Number: _____

Please attach the following items to this cover page in the order listed below:

- 1) Essay
- 2) Copy of High School transcript.
- 3) List of activities/organizations involved in at Shawnee Heights High School
- 4) Letters of recommendation from at least two of the following; a teacher, administrator, or District patron.
- 5) List of community service activities.
- 6) Proposed course of study, i.e. business related major.
- 7) Name of school.
- 8) Confirmation of application and acceptance (if available).

Applications must be received no later than 3:00 P.M. on March 1 of the current year. Please label your sealed envelope as follows:

Shawnee Heights Public Schools
Business Scholarship Application
Shawnee Heights High School
Attn: Counseling Center
4201 SE Shawnee Heights Rd.
Tecumseh, KS 66542