



Margaret Fowler Scholarship

One \$500 scholarship/renewable up to three years

Eligible High School: Topeka West High School

Long-time educator and counselor, Margaret Fowler retired from the Topeka Public School System after 40 years of service. Because of her many years of working with students seeking college financial aid help, she was inspired to establish a scholarship rewarding those students who want to devote their lives to education as she has done.

Scholarship Requirements:

Applicant must be a female who is a graduating senior from Topeka West High School, and who is planning to pursue a career in education. In addition, applicant must have participated in high school athletics, lettering at least one time, and have a minimum 3.2 G.P.A.

Application Instructions:

Complete information on page 2 and attach all required information in the order listed. Return completed application to the Topeka Community Foundation.

Application Deadline:

Applications must be postmarked no later than Wednesday, February 2, 2011.

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Topeka Community Foundation
SCHOLARSHIP

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Application Cover Page

Name _____

Address _____ Phone _____

City/Zip _____ E-Mail _____

Parents/Guardian: _____

High School: _____ G. P. A. _____ (minimum 3.2 required)

Attach the following items to this cover page in the order listed:

1. Official high school transcript.
2. Current resume (limited to one page).
3. Letter of recommendation (in sealed envelope) from a school official.
4. Completed Parental Financial Analysis.

Answer each of the following essay questions in 100 words or less and attach to this cover page:

1. Explain why you want to pursue a career in education.
2. Tell how participation in athletics has been important to you.

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Parental Financial Analysis

Custodial Parent

If your parents are divorced or separated, answer the questions for the parent you lived with the most in the past 12 months. If you lived with both parents an equal number of days in the past 12 months, you would count the parent who provided you with the greatest amount of support, financial as well as material. Material things would include cars, clothing, medical and dental payment, etc. If that parent has remarried, you must include the stepparent's information.

Note: If family has divorced or separated within the past five years and the custodial parent has not remarried, applicant must provide financial information of non-custodial parent. If whereabouts are unknown or non-custodial parent is unwilling to comply, please explain in parental statement.

Parental Statement

Please provide additional information requested in items G and I, and under Custodial Parent.