



Amanda Gardner Memorial Scholarship

Two \$1,000 Scholarships

Eligible High Schools: One from Highland Park High School
One from Hayden High School

This scholarship was established in 1993 following Amanda's tragic death. Her family chose this as a way to honor her memory, and applicants write about adversity in their lives.

Scholarship Requirements:

Applicant must be a graduating senior from the eligible high school.

Application Requirements:

Complete the 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.

Making Dreams A Reality

Topeka Community Foundation
SCHOLARSHIP

Amanda Gardner Memorial Scholarship
Application Cover Page

Name _____

Address _____ Phone _____

City/Zip _____ E- Mail _____

Parent/Guardian _____ Phone _____

High School _____

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

1. Current resume (limited to one page).
2. One letter of recommendation (in a sealed envelope) from school official or employer.
3. Completed Parental Financial Analysis (detach pages 3 and 4 from this form, complete, and re-attach in proper sequence).

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

1. How have you or a member of your family overcome difficult or personal challenges in the face of adversity?
2. What would receiving this scholarship mean 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.