



FRANKLIN-SIMPSON ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP
Franklin-Simpson High School

APPLICATION, TRANSCRIPT & LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION SHOULD BE RECEIVED BY THE SENIOR GUIDANCE COUNSELOR NO LATER THAN 12:00 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15th. LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

The Franklin-Simpson Alumni Association Scholarship is made available by the Franklin-Simpson Alumni Association as an affiliate of the Franklin Simpson Educational Excellence Foundation. The FSAA is a community-based organization made up of Franklin-Simpson graduates and affiliate members interested in promoting pride and community among Franklin-Simpson alumni.

Purpose: The FSAA scholarship program is designed to encourage and support outstanding students who work hard, have financial need, have a parent/guardian that is a Franklin-Simpson alumnus and who plans to attend a post-secondary institution who exemplifies the Franklin-Simpson High School motto “**Focus, Spirit, Honor, Success.**”

Administration: The Franklin-Simpson Alumni Association steering committee in cooperation with the Franklin-Simpson Educational Excellence Foundation board of directors will administer the scholarship with additional input from the Franklin-Simpson High School administration. The scholarship amount for 2024 shall be \$4,000 payable as follows: \$2,000 for the first semester with an additional \$2,000 for the second semester pending documentation of a 3.0 college grade point average for the first semester. This is a one-year only scholarship. CHECKS WILL BE WRITTEN TO COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY in the name of the recipient.

Eligibility: PARENT OR GUARDIAN OF APPLICANT MUST BE A FRANKLIN-SIMPSON HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNUS

1. Demonstrated scholastic ability with a minimum 2.75 unweighted grade point average.
2. Extracurricular involvement including leadership positions held. Please include school-related activities, work experience, community activities and volunteer experience.
3. Demonstrated commitment to academic excellence by attendance record of at least 90% during first two grading periods of senior year. Year end attendance must also be 90%.
4. Financial Need.
5. Two letters of recommendation: one from a faculty/staff member at FSHS and one from a community member: (employer, coworker, church member, family friend, etc.) Letters of recommendation should demonstrate how the applicant exemplifies the qualities of FSHS- Focus, Spirit, Honor and Success.

Selection:

1. Students will apply for the scholarship through the guidance counselor’s office.
2. Students will complete scholarship application and return application, 2 letters of recommendation and transcript to the guidance office by **Wednesday, April 10th at 12:00 p.m.**
3. The committee will review and discuss all applications.
4. The committee will select finalists. These finalists will be interviewed by the committee. A committee member will contact finalists regarding their interview times and location.
5. A member of the Franklin-Simpson Alumni Association or its designee will present recipient with plaque and documentation indicating award of the scholarship at FSHS graduation ceremony.



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Name _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

If mother is the FSHS alumnus, please indicate maiden name.

Parent/Guardian Graduation Date _____ **FSHS alumnus

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Number of persons in your household _____ Parents/Guardian Net Income _____
(From federal tax form, line 37)

Number of persons in your household who are attending college or will be attending in the next four years (including yourself) _____

Please provide information regarding any other scholarships you have received: _____

College/University Attending _____

Major _____ Minor _____

Unweighted High School Grade Point Average _____

Attendance Rate for First Three Grading Periods of Senior Year _____
(Guidance Counselor completes)

For guidance office use only:

Date application submitted: _____

Time: _____

Counselor's initials: _____

1. High School Extracurricular Activities & Leadership Positions held: (Attach extra sheet if needed)

2. In what way(s) has your experience at Franklin-Simpson High School (both academic endeavors & extracurricular activities) prepared you for a successful college career?

3. Why have you chosen your major field of study? What interests you most about this major? Explain your ultimate career goal?

4. Do you feel it is important for FSHS alumni to give back to their alma mater? In what ways do you see yourself giving back to FSHS and your community upon completion of your post-secondary education?

5. What makes you the best candidate for this scholarship?