

The Franklin-Simpson Educational Excellence Foundation Scholarship

Franklin-Simpson High School

APPLICATION, TRANSCRIPT & LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION SHOULD BE RECEIVED BY THE GUIDANCE COUNSELOR <u>NO LATER THAN 12:00 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10th.</u> LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

The Franklin Simpson Educational Excellence Foundation Scholarship is made available through the Franklin Simpson Educational Excellence Foundation. The Foundation is a community-based, non-profit organization that encourages innovative teaching and learning strategies in the Franklin-Simpson School System and community.

Purpose:

This scholarship is designed to recognize one or more graduating Franklin-Simpson seniors planning to attend a university/college <u>majoring in an education-related field (i.e. teacher education, counseling, psychology, sociology, social work, speech pathology, etc.)</u> and exemplifying excellence throughout his/her high school experience.

Administration:

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 2020 shall be \$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.

Eligibility:

- Demonstrated scholastic ability with a minimum 3.0 unweighted grade point average & TWO letters of recommendation <u>related to student's suitability for education major/career.</u> Attach high school transcript.
- 2. Extracurricular involvement including leadership positions held. May include work and

volunteer experience.

- 3. Demonstrated commitment to academic excellence by attendance record of at least 90% during first two grading periods of senior year. Attendance for entire year must equal 90% to receive award.
- 4. Financial need.

Selection:

- 1. Students will apply for the scholarship through the guidance counselor's office.
- 2. Students will complete scholarship application and return it with 2 letters of

recommendation and a transcript to the guidance office by application deadline of noon, April 13th.

- 3. The committee will review and discuss all applications. Scholarship committee may request interviews with finalists.
- 4. The committee will select one or more scholarship recipient(s). Multiple scholarships in varying amounts may be awarded depending on number of applicants and strength of applications.
- 5. A member or designee of the Franklin Simpson Educational Excellence Foundation board of directors or its designee will present recipient with plaque and documentation indicating award of the scholarship at the Senior Awards Night.



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Scholarship Franklin-Simpson High School

Name		
Address		
Phone	_Email	
Number of persons in your household	Parent/guardian net income From federal tax form LINE 37	
Number of persons in your household w years (including yourself)	ho are attending college or will be attending in	the next four
College/University Attending		
Major	Minor	
Unweighted High School Grade Point Av	verage	
Attendance Rate for First Three Grading (Senior guidance counselor to co	Periods of Senior Year mplete.)	
	or guidance office use only: ate application submitted:	

Time:_____

Counselor's initials:

The Franklin-Simpson Educational Excellence Foundation promotes and encourages innovation and creative thinking during the educational experience. What is the most challenging, creative or innovative endeavor you have encountered during your high school career.

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

In what way(s) has your experience at Franklin-Simpson High School (both academic endeavors & extracurricular activities) prepared you for a successful college career? Why have you chosen an education-related field of study? After receiving your college degree, what is your career goal? What interests you about this career?

What aspects of your personality make you suited for an education-related career?