

GRETNA

COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

An Affiliated Fund of the Midlands Community Foundation

GRETNA AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(Please type scholarship information on this Word Document)

DEADLINE: March 17th, 2024

Purpose: *The purpose of the Scholarship Fund is to distribute scholarships to qualified Gretna, Nebraska area seniors in their pursuit of higher education.*

Award: **The Fund shall annually distribute two (2) scholarships in the amount of \$1,500 each to students at Gretna High School.**

Student Name: Last: _____ First: _____ Student #: _____

Address: _____

Student's Phone or Cell #: _____

Must meet these to qualify for application process:

- a. The applicant must show interested in pursuing career in business or entrepreneurship.
- b. Two letters of recommendation submitted.
- c. Transcript, GPA and ACT/SAT scores submitted.
- d. Must live in Gretna area or attend Gretna High School.

List the Colleges, Universities, Community Colleges or Vocational/Technical Schools wanting to attend:

First Choice: _____

Have you applied? Yes No Has your application been accepted? Yes No

Second Choice: _____

Have you applied? Yes No Has your application been accepted? Yes No

List all Scholarships you have been awarded as of the date of application (University - Amounts - Renewable):

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

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1. Benefits of Business Education or Industrial Tech Courses

In an essay, please describe what business principles you have learned through your coursework and how those principles might help your future endeavors.

2. Business and/or Vocational Group Involvement

Briefly describe your involvement in any business or vocational groups (such as FBLA). Include the number of years you participated and any leadership or committee roles you served in, as well as any honors won.

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3. Other Involvement

Please list your involvement in other youth, civic, social, athletic, or artistic classes/groups including the number of years you participated and any leadership or committee roles you served in, as well as any honors won.

4. Employment

Describe any employment you have had after school or during breaks. In this section you should also include internships and volunteer work.

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5. Chamber Affiliation

Do you or your family have an affiliation with a current Gretna Area Chamber of Commerce Member?* Yes No

If yes, please list the business you are affiliated with and explain:

**Most applicants will answer yes to this question. A current list of members can be found at www.GretnaChamber.com.*

6. Future Education and Career Goals

Explain your planned program of study, educational aims, and ambitions.

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7. Plan for Financing your College or Trade Related Education

Explain in your own words the overall plan for financing your planned program of study:

8. Please Attach to the Scholarship Application:

- a. Two letters of recommendation.
- b. A transcript.
- c. GPA and ACT/SAT score if not included in transcript.

Applicant Signature

Date

DELIVER OR SEND THIS APPLICATION AND ATTACHMENTS TO:

Midlands Community Foundation
c/o Gretna Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Fund
217 N. Jefferson Street
Papillion, NE 68046

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YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED OF THE RESULTS OF YOUR APPLICATION