

Scholarship Information

Kansas City Kansas School Foundation For Excellence

To be considered for the **Reasons to Believe, Providence Medical Center, Bill Self Assist Foundation, Johnson County Community College, Virginia E. Shinkle and/ or KCK School Foundation for Excellence Scholarships**, please follow the steps listed below and return to your Counselor or College and Career Coordinator by **April 12, 2010**.

1. Must have been accepted for the 2010 fall semester at an accredited college, university or technical school. (Acceptance letter attached to application)
2. Must complete and submit this application by **April 12, 2010**.
3. Must submit your high school transcript (get a copy from your counselor).
4. Must submit ACT or SAT scores (get a copy from your counselor).
5. Submit two letters of recommendation – one from high school counselor, principal or teacher; one from a community member or employer.
6. Must have at least 90 percent attendance during the senior year (preferred).
7. Must submit information about school activities and community involvement.

You will have the opportunity to be considered for the following Scholarship/s:

REASONS TO BELIEVE Alumni Honor Roll

The Kansas City, Kansas Public Schools has established the ***Reasons to Believe*** Alumni Honor Roll to honor graduates of the school district for their achievements and inspiration to today's students. In this same spirit, **two scholarships** sponsored by McAnany, Van Cleave & Phillips, P.A., will be awarded at the annual awards reception. (TBA) The Awarded Scholarship amount **\$1,000** will be paid directly to an institution of post-high school instruction (college, university or technical school) for the selected students. The award is to be applied only to the cost of tuition, book and fees.

Scholarships will be awarded to students based on academic performance and achievement in community service. **If selected must be present (or have parent/guardian present) to receive the award. (Date & Location TBA)**

KCK SCHOOL FOUNDATION FOR EXCELLENCE

The KCK School Foundation for Excellence has endeavored to establish **twelve scholarships** for tuition, books and fees that will be paid for **continuous enrollment until \$3,000 is awarded**. Continuous enrollment is required. Seniors at each of the district's five high schools are eligible to apply for a Foundation Scholarship.

A student's academic, club, community, and athletic involvement as well as awards and honors in high school will be considered in evaluating scholarship applications. An effort will be made to award scholarships based on financial need. Other scholarships and grants that have been awarded will be considered in the need analysis.

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April 12, 2010**

Providence Medical Center

The Providence Medical Center has endeavored to establish five scholarships for tuition, books and fees that will be paid for continuous enrollment until \$1,000 is awarded. Seniors eligible for the scholarship will need to be accepted in the medical fields. Seniors at each of the district's five high schools are eligible to apply for the Providence Medical Center, Saint Johns Scholarship.

A student's academic, club, community, and athletic involvement as well as awards and honors in high school will be considered in evaluating scholarship applications. An effort will be made to award scholarships based on financial need. Other scholarships and grants that have been awarded will be considered in the need analysis.

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Virginia E. Shinkle (4 year)

The Virginia E. Shinkle Scholarship is awarded to ??? number of eligible high school senior (s).

The scholarship is a \$2,000.00 award that is paid to the college of the student's choice. Payments of \$500.00 are made at the beginning of each of the first four semesters (two years) that the student is enrolled in college. An eligible senior for this award must meet the following criteria:

- Graduate in good academic standing
- Taken at least one Family and Consumer Science (FACS) course
- Plans to major in a FACS related area at a college or technical school of their choice (i.e. Professional Cooking, Child Care, Interior Design, Social Work etc.)

Sunflower Johnson County Community College (2 year)

The Sunflower Scholarship will be awarded for **two high school seniors**. The scholarship is for **\$750.00 per semester** with the opportunity to earn more funding to JCCC throughout the year.

Special Requirements:

- First Generation college student
- Financial Need
- U. S. Citizen, permanent resident, refugee, asylee or meet HB2145
- Must be entering as a first time college student

Bill Self Assist Foundation (4 year)

All scholarship candidates are required to be a high school senior (s) in the KCK Public Schools, District 500. Requires include extracurricular and /or community service activities, demonstrate their education and career goals in an essay, and provide at least two letters of recommendation. The scholarship will be awarding **four seniors \$10,000 that is paid to the college of their choice of \$2500.00 per semester.**

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Scholarship Application

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Complete all information on this application and submit with the required documents by April 12, 2010

Please type or print with blue or black ink pen.

Student's Legal Name _____
Last First Middle

Current Address _____

Phone _____ Current High School _____

Parent of Legal Guardian Name(s) _____

Household Adjusted Gross Income from most recent tax return \$ _____

Number of family members dependent on this income _____ List ages _____

College or Technical School you plan to attend _____

College major _____ Career Choice _____

Amount of other scholarships awarded \$ _____ GPA _____

ACT Score _____ SAT Score _____

I am applying for the following scholarship/s:

- Reasons to Believe Scholarship (required min. GPA 2.5)
- KCK School Foundation for Excellence (required min. GPA 2.0)
- Providence Medical Center, Saint John (required min. GPA 2.5)
- Virginia E. Shinkle Scholarship (required min. 2.0)
- Bill Self Assist Foundation (required min. 2.5)
- Sunflower Johnson County Community College (required min 2.0)

Please indicate High School achievements. (Attach a second page, if you want to add more information).

School
Clubs/Organizations _____

Community
Clubs/Organizations _____

Please submit a 500 word essay (typed and double-spaced) on TWO of the following topics:
Required

- How has the Kansas City Kansas Public Schools prepared you for your future goals?

Choose from the following

- How will your study of _____ contribute to your immediate or long range career plans?
- Explain the importance of (your major) in today's society.
- What do you think the industry of your major will be like in the next 10 years?
- What are the most important issues your field is facing today?
- When you graduate from college are your plans to come back to your community?
- What are your plans for giving back to your community?

NONDISCRIMINATION POLICY

Information submitted pertinent to this application shall be held in confidence. No applicant for this scholarship shall be subjected to discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, handicap, or disability in admission or access to the scholarship funds distributed by the Foundation.

I verify that to the best of my knowledge all information reported in this application is correct

Signature Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Signature Student _____ Date _____

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM AND REQUIRED DOCUMENTS TO:
(YOUR HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR or COLLEGE AND CAREER COORDINATOR)**

Counselors – Please forward completed applications with requirements via interschool mail or in person by April 12, 2010.

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Questions concerning this application can be addressed by your school counselor or Shelley Coulter.