DAKOTA COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION
Scholarship Information

PURPOSE:

To stimulate interest in the legal profession and to encourage professional growth through further education.

AMOUNT:

One $500.00 Scholarship award.

ELIGIBILITY:

The scholarship is to be used for post secondary education, including graduate school and/or law school, and is open to high school seniors, college students and post graduate students whose legal residence is Dakota County, Nebraska, who are pursuing an education toward a career in the legal profession (Attorney, Paralegal, Court Reporter, Probation Officer, Criminal Justice, Law Enforcement, Court Administrators and Legal Secretaries.) No preference will be given to former scholarship recipients.

SEND APPLICATION TO:

Dakota County Bar Association
C/O Sandra K. Ehrich, Attorney at Law
Ehrich Law Office, P.C., L.L.O.
P. O. Box 215
South Sioux City, NE 68776
Phone: (402) 412-2080

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

- All applications must be postmarked no later than April 7, 2020.
- Late applications will not be accepted.
- A copy of the Applicant’s official high school transcript or latest college transcript signed by a school counselor must accompany the application.

BASIS OF SELECTION:

The award will be based on: financial need, academic achievement, character and citizenship, leadership and participation in school and extra-curricular activities.

NOTIFICATION OF SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS:

The scholarship recipient will be notified in writing on or before April 24, 2020. The scholarship check will be made payable to the school and recipient upon notification of enrollment which must be sent on the school’s letterhead.
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Scholarship Application
April 7, 2020 Postmark Deadline

NAME______________________________________ DOB__________

PARENTS' NAMES (if applicable)________________________________________

ADDRESS_________________________________________________________

TELEPHONE NUMBER_______________________________________________

SCHOOL NOW ATTENDING____________________________________________

SCHOOL ATTENDING IN FALL_________________________________________

PRESENT GRADE_________ CLASS RANK OR GPA__________ *

* A copy of your high school transcript or latest college transcript
  signed by a school counselor must accompany this application.

FINANCIAL NEED – IN THE SPACE PROVIDED PLEASE INDICATE YOUR FAMILY'S
ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME FROM LAST YEAR'S TAX RETURN. IF YOU ARE
SELF-SUPPORTING, CHECK THIS LINE ______ AND INDICATE YOUR ADJUSTED
GROSS INCOME BELOW.

____________ under $15,000  __________ $50,000 to $75,000
____________ $15,000 to $25,000  __________ $75,000 to $100,000
____________ $25,000 to $35,000  __________ Over $100,000
____________ $35,000 to $50,000

TOTAL NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS LIVING AT HOME: _______________

TOTAL NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS ATTENDING COLLEGE, INCLUDING
YOURSELF: _______________

OTHER FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS WHICH NEED TO BE NOTED: PLEASE NOTE
ANY SCHOLARSHIPS RECEIVED OR OTHER INCOME AVAILABLE TO YOU. ALSO,
PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR CURRENT WORK HISTORY AND SALARY. PLEASE ATTACH
ADDITIONAL SHEET, IF NECESSARY.

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REFERENCES: PLEASE INCLUDE NO MORE THAN THREE LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION WITH YOUR APPLICATION.

ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEET IF NECESSARY TO COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES - ORGANIZATIONS AND CLUBS (SHOW YEARS OF INVOLVEMENT; ALSO, PLEASE INDICATE ANY OFFICES HELD):

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HONORS AND AWARDS:

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COMMUNITY OR OTHER ACTIVITIES:

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REASONS FOR PURSUING A LEGAL CAREER (500 words or less):

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