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Firefighters Scholarship Fund

Purpose: The purpose of the scholarship is to aid and recognize those individuals who have limited or no form of tuition or financial aid available to them.

Amount: The maximum scholarship for the student selected will be \$1000. If awarded, the student may reapply to renew the scholarship each year given an average 3.0 GPA is maintained. Renewal term is not to exceed 4 years and is not guaranteed.

Requirements:

- The applicant should be a current high school senior and live within the fire district boundaries, or be associated with a member of the Fern Creek Fire Department, or be an active participant of the Fire Science Program with Fern Creek or Fairdale High Schools.
- The student must be registered or will be registering as a full-time student at an Accredited Post-Secondary Institution/College/University. Copy of the acceptance letter required with application.
- Scholarship money will be paid directly to the Institution/College/University and is to be used for tuition or books only.
- Scholarship money received may be considered taxable income under the current IRS guidelines.
- Student must have a current cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- SAT/ACT test score shall be a minimum of 21.
- Student must submit an Essay with a maximum of 500 typed words answering the following questions: Why is it important for you to receive this scholarship, and how will it allow you to benefit your local community?
- Student must submit a signed letter of recommendation from a high school teacher, counselor, college professor or administrator, community or church leader.
- Student must provide a list of other financial assistance that is being received from other sources.

All scholarship entries must be submitted to the business office of the Fern Creek Fire Department by March 1st of each year. Fern Creek Fire Station 2 9409 Old Bardstown Rd. Louisville, KY 40291

Award of the Scholarship will be announced the first week of June.