



2025 Muscatine High School Scholarships

Community Foundation of Greater Muscatine

1. **Bernadette M. Rohling Scholarship:** Up to four \$1,000 scholarships awarded in memory of Bernadette M. Rohling to Muscatine High School graduating seniors pursuing teaching careers.
2. **Bill Stamler Scholarship:** A \$250 scholarship award given in memory of Bill Stamler for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing post-secondary education at Muscatine Community College. The scholarship award is based on financial need.
3. **Bishop Educational Trust Scholarship:** A select number of scholarships awarded to students who have the desire to attend college in the state of Iowa but need financial assistance in pursuing their educational goals. Applicants must demonstrate financial need and are required to submit their FAFSA SAR report or their parent's most recent income tax return. Applicants must attend a college or university in the state of Iowa, with a preference given to students attending Muscatine Community College.
4. **Brant W. Bruhn Memorial Scholarship:** Up to two \$650 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors in memory of Brant W. Bruhn. Brant coached high school football for more than 20 years, including at Muscatine High School, and sports were a life-long love for Brant. To qualify, applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher, plan to attend post-secondary education in the state of Iowa, and demonstrate unmet financial need, participation in a high school-sanctioned sport for at least one year, and volunteer experience during their high school career. Preference will be given to students who have volunteer experience as a sporting event official, referee, or a coach. Additional preference will be given to award one male and one female each year.
5. **Bruce C. Heezen Memorial Scholarship:** Up to six \$1,000 scholarships awarded in memory of Bruce C. Heezen to Muscatine High School graduating seniors attending any accredited post-secondary educational institution of higher learning. Awards are made partially on scholarship and need but also on good moral character and willingness to work and assume responsibility. Awards are renewable for an additional three years, for a total term of four consecutive years, with an annual review of students' progress, which must be rated as satisfactory. In total, the value of this scholarship award over four years of post-secondary education is \$4,000.
6. **Chuck and Gail VanHecke Scholarship:** A \$1,000 scholarship award for a Muscatine High School graduating senior who plans to attend an accredited college, university, or trade school. Eligible applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher and have participated in an extracurricular activity for at least two years during high school. Applicants must also identify as a member of a minority group, including but not limited to individuals who are African American, Hispanic, Asian American, Native American, LGBTQIA+, or other minority statuses.

- 7. Clare Scherrer Scholarship Endowment:** A \$5,000 scholarship award for a Muscatine High School graduating senior with a cumulative GPA of 3.9 or higher attending a university that is listed in the top 100 in US News & World Report university rankings. This scholarship was endowed to assist demonstrated high-achieving students who are striving to attend a world-class university and have the skill and ambition to succeed in their chosen field of study but would otherwise have difficulty affording the cost of that program. The award is renewable for an additional three years, for a total term of four consecutive years, providing the student is enrolled full-time and maintains a cumulative GPA of 3.25 or higher. In total, the value of the scholarship award over four years of post-secondary education is \$20,000.
- 8. Class of 1953 Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award established by the graduating class of 1953 for a Muscatine High School graduating senior who attended MHS all four academic years of high school. The recipient will have maintained a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher and demonstrate some basic financial need.
- 9. Class of 1956 Scholarship:** A select number of scholarship awards established by the graduating class of 1956 for Muscatine High School graduating seniors showing strong motivation and work ethic.
- 10. Class of 1971 Scholarship:** A \$1,000 scholarship award established by the graduating class of 1971 for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing post-secondary education for a trade career, including but not limited to a technical school or apprenticeship.
- 11. Class of 1974 Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award established by the graduating class of 1974 for a Muscatine High School graduating senior who attended MHS for at least one academic year and maintained a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher.
- 12. Colorado P.T.O. Scholarship:** Two \$400 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors who completed fifth grade at Colorado Elementary School. The scholarship award may be used at any accredited college. The students must demonstrate academic achievement at the college/university level; therefore, the scholarship will be awarded upon the second year of post-secondary education at the college or university.
- 13. Dianne R. Dalbey Memorial Scholarship Endowment:** Up to two \$700 scholarship awards given in memory of Dianne R. Dalbey to Muscatine High School graduating seniors pursuing a paramedic certification or any health-related career with preference given to nursing.
- 14. Diwan-Nadkarni Charitable Scholarship:** Up to two \$1,000 scholarship awards to one graduating senior female and one graduating senior male of Muscatine High School with a class ranking of 95% or higher. Eligible applicants must demonstrate financial need, leadership skills, and attend an accredited post-secondary college or university to study a field of interest in science.
- 15. Doctor Eugene L. Shay Scholarship:** Up to two \$1,000 scholarship awards for graduating seniors from Louisa-Muscatine High School, Muscatine High School, West Liberty High School, or Wilton Junior/Senior High School pursuing post-secondary education in oriental medicine and acupuncture.

- 16. Donald and Dorothy Platt Scholarship:** A \$750 scholarship award established by Don and Dorothy Platt, in honor of Dorothy a retired Muscatine elementary teacher. The scholarship will recognize a Muscatine High School graduating senior who maintained a cumulative 3.0 GPA or higher and plans to pursue a career in elementary education.
- 17. Dr. John A. Watson Memorial Scholarship:** A \$3,000 scholarship award given in memory of Dr. Watson, former Administrator of Muscatine Community Schools, for a Muscatine High School graduating senior showing strong motivation and work ethic. The recipient is selected based on financial need and participation in extracurricular activities. Priority consideration is given to students interested in pursuing a career as a teacher. The scholarship may be used at any accredited two- or four-year college or university.
- 18. Dr. Russell N. Ward Scholarship:** A \$200 scholarship award for a Muscatine High School graduating senior given in honor of Dr. Ward, former superintendent of Muscatine Community Schools. The recipient is selected on the basis of capabilities and financial need. The scholarship may be used at any accredited college.
- 19. Ed Ware Memorial Scholarship:** A \$1,000 scholarship award given in memory of Ed Ware, former Muscatine Community School District teacher. The scholarship will recognize a Muscatine High School graduating senior who demonstrated strong leadership abilities, good character, and participation in school activities. The scholarship may be used at any accredited two- or four-year college or university.
- 20. Elaine May/YMCA Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award given in memory of Elaine May, a dedicated wife, mother, community member, and volunteer. Elaine's life was the embodiment of the YMCA's motto: building strong kids, strong families, and strong communities. The scholarship will recognize a Muscatine High School graduating senior who participated in either swimming, track, or golf. The recipient will demonstrate financial need, have a cumulative 3.0 GPA or higher, and be eligible to attend any 2- or 4-year accredited college.
- 21. Elvira Trevvarthen Scholarship:** A \$1,200 scholarship award given in memory of Elvira Trevvarthen for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing a career in nursing. The recipient will be a member of the Faith United Church of Christ in Muscatine, or its successor, if any. If there are no eligible candidates in any year from the Church, the scholarship will be awarded as a general scholarship to the student who meets the other criteria. After the above criteria are met, financial need will be the determining factor for selecting the recipient. The recipient will be eligible to attend any accredited two- or four-year college or university.
- 22. Flickinger Learning Center Endowed Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award for a Muscatine High School graduating senior who attended the Flickinger Learning Center educational after-school program in 5th grade and is pursuing post-secondary education at an Iowa educational institution. The recipient will be selected based on financial need and an aptitude for success.
- 23. Fosholt Scholarship in Engineering or Architecture:** A \$2,000 scholarship award established by Sanford K. Fosholt for a graduate of Muscatine High School beginning a college education in engineering or architecture at Muscatine Community College, Iowa State University, or the University of Iowa. The scholarship will recognize a student with a cumulative 3.0 GPA or higher, character, leadership, and participation in activities. Need will be considered if all the

aforementioned factors are fully satisfied. The scholarship is renewable for an additional three years, for a total term of four consecutive years, if the student remains in good standing as a student in engineering or architecture and maintains the stated eligibility qualifications. In total, the value of this scholarship award over four years of post-secondary education is \$8,000.

- 24. Fred G. Messenger Scholarship:** A scholarship award given in memory of Mr. Messenger, who was the principal of Muscatine High School for 36 years. The scholarship will recognize a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing post-secondary education at Muscatine Community College. The scholarship may be divided between two students.
- 25. Franklin P.T.O. Scholarship:** Up to two \$500 scholarships are awarded to former students of Franklin Elementary School who plan to attend any accredited college. Students must have completed fourth and fifth grades at Franklin Elementary School.
- 26. Graciela (Coca) V. Page Memorial Scholarship:** Up to two \$1,000 scholarship awards for a female Latina graduating from Muscatine High School, with preference given to applicants who speak Spanish as their first language and/or are a former English Language Student (ESL/EL). The scholarship will be awarded to a student with a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher who demonstrates unmet financial need. Preference will be given to applicants who demonstrate one of the following: leadership skills, work experience, involvement in extra-curricular activities, or community service experience to date.
- 27. Grant P.T.O. Scholarship:** Two \$500 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors who attended Grant Elementary School for three years. The scholarship will be awarded to a student with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher who demonstrates leadership abilities and participates in extracurricular activities. Priority consideration is given to those receiving no other financial aid.
- 28. Hall of Honor Scholarship:** Up to five \$1,000 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors who are good citizens to their school and community. The recipients will have participated in extra-curricular activities, have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher, and plan to pursue post-secondary education at a two- or four-year college or university.
- 29. Harold and Corrine Marx Scholarship:** Up to five \$1,000 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors showing strong motivation and dedicated work ethic. Preference is given to applicants attending a technical or trade school. Secondary preference is given to graduates pursuing a degree in nursing or education.
- 30. Harold Ogilvie, Sr. and E. Herbert Carlson Scholarship:** A \$2,000 scholarship award sponsored by the Muscatine Kiwanis Club in memory of Harold Ogilvie, Sr. and E. Herbert Carlson for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing post-secondary education at an accredited two- or four-year college or university. To qualify, applicants must demonstrate: a cumulative GPA no lower than 2.5 and no higher than 3.5, financial need, participation in one or more extracurricular activities, and active participation in Key Club for two or more years.
- 31. Harry J. and Nellie B. Griffith Memorial Scholarship:** A scholarship award for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing post-secondary education at Muscatine Community College. This scholarship is funded from the estate of Mr. Harry J. Griffith, a former Wilton businessman.

- 32. Henry Miller Memorial Scholarship:** A \$2,000 scholarship award sponsored by the Muscatine Kiwanis Club in memory of Henry Miller for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing post-secondary education at an accredited two- or four-year college or university. To qualify, applicants must demonstrate: a cumulative GPA no lower than 2.5 and no higher than 3.5, financial need, participation in one or more extracurricular activities, and active participation in Key Club for two or more years.
- 33. Hermann Family Scholarship:** A \$1,500 scholarship award established by Charles and Ann Hermann to commend a graduating Muscatine High School senior for their participation in agriculture programs and to encourage the recipient to continue their education. The scholarship will be awarded to a student who is actively enrolled in FFA and has participated in two or more agriculture competitions.
- 34. H.J. Heinz Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award for a Muscatine High School graduating senior who is a good citizen and has been active in extra-curricular activities. The scholarship will be awarded to a student with a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher who demonstrates some basic financial need. Priority consideration is given to children or grandchildren of an active Heinz employee.
- 35. Illeen M. Rohling Memorial Scholarship:** Up to three \$1,000 scholarship awards given in memory of Illeen M. Rohling for Muscatine High School graduating seniors planning to pursue a medical career. Primary consideration will be given to those pursuing a BSN (Bachelor of Science in Nursing).
- 36. Jean Lettenberger Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award for the recipient of the Hahn Trophy for Girls' Swimming, given in memory of Jean Lettenberger, a 1976 MHS graduate and Hahn Trophy recipient.
- 37. Jeanette Phillips Crossroads Scholarship:** A \$250 scholarship award established by Jeanette Phillips, a retired Muscatine elementary teacher, for a Muscatine High School graduating senior who intends to pursue a career working with people in the mentally or physically challenged community. The recipient should plan to attend an accredited two- or four-year college or university. Involvement in community activities and a 3.0 cumulative GPA or higher are further requirements. Financial need may be a factor in selecting the recipient.
- 38. Jeff Tank MHS Girls Basketball Memorial Scholarship:** Up to two \$500 scholarship awards given in memory of Jeffrey Tank, coach of the Muscatine High School Girls Basketball team for 28 years. This scholarship will recognize graduating seniors with a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher who participated one year or more in Muscatine High School Girls Basketball and exemplify the qualities Coach Tank encouraged in a player: a great teammate who displayed a positive attitude.
- 39. Jefferson P.T.O. Scholarship:** Up to two \$500 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors who completed fourth and fifth grades at Jefferson Elementary School. Payment will be made upon successful completion of one semester at the college or university.
- 40. Jerry W. Lange Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award given in memory of Jerry W. Lange, a dedicated teacher within the Muscatine Community School District for nearly 50 years. This scholarship will recognize a Muscatine High School graduating senior who has a cumulative GPA of

3.0 or higher and has participated in community activities. Preference will be given to applicants pursuing a career in teaching and/or those demonstrating financial need.

- 41. Jill Moravec Memorial Muscatine Band Boosters Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award given in memory of Jill Moravec for a Muscatine High School graduating senior who participated in Band during their Junior and Senior years of high school and is planning to attend an accredited college or university in the state of Iowa as a full-time student and continue participation in band music performance as a part of the higher education program. A music major is not required.
- 42. Jim and Arlene Kaeding Memorial Scholarship:** A \$600 scholarship award given in memory of Jim and Arlene Kaeding for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing a career in education, athletic training, or exercise science. Arlene taught elementary education for the Muscatine Community School District, and Jim was a former math teacher, basketball coach, and assistant principal for the Muscatine Community School District. Recipients will have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher and be active in athletic activities.
- 43. Jim Sturms Memorial Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award in memory of Jim Sturms for a Muscatine High School senior who plans to pursue post-secondary education within the state of Iowa. This scholarship is intended for eligible applicants who demonstrate good character, leadership, citizenship, and a desire to further their education.
- 44. John A. Wojtecki, Ph.D. Endowed Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award established by John A. Wojtecki, Ph.D. for a graduating senior from Louisa-Muscatine High School, Muscatine High School, or Wilton Junior/Senior High School pursuing post-secondary education in the state of Iowa to study music, healthcare, or trades. Recipients will have no other local scholarship awards with a value over \$2,000. Preference will be given to students who participated in a high school music program for two of four years.
- 45. Julia C. Wojtecki Memorial Scholarship:** A \$1,000 scholarship award given in memory of Julia Wojtecki, a Muscatine High School student who died suddenly in the spring of 1999. The Wojtecki family wishes to financially assist a Muscatine High School graduating senior who reflects the positive attributes Julia possessed. To qualify, applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher, have no other local scholarships that exceed \$2,000, have participated in a high school instrumental music program for two of four years, with preference given to students who participated all four years.
- 46. Kathy J. Brooker-Decker Memorial Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award given in memory of Kathy J. Brooker-Decker for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing a career in education who demonstrates good character, leadership, and citizenship through volunteer experience during their high school career. Recipient must have maintained a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher and must demonstrate unmet financial need. Preference will be given to those who have excelled in Advanced Placement (AP) coursework in English, Literature, Composition and/or Language.
- 47. Kevin K. Birkhofer STEM Scholarship:** A \$5,000 scholarship award for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing post-secondary education at an accredited public University in the state of Iowa with a plan to obtain a bachelor's degree in any field related to science, technology, engineering, or mathematics. Recipients must have a cumulative high school GPA of 3.0 or higher and demonstrate unmet financial need. Scholarship payable to the University when the student has

reached senior-level status of study upon proof of enrollment and good standing from the University.

- 48. Krieger Food & Nutrition Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award provided by the Marvin and Betty Krieger Memorial Scholarship Fund for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing a career in food and nutrition.
- 49. Larry Fullington Memorial Scholarship:** A \$1,500 scholarship award given in memory of Larry Fullington for a Muscatine High School graduating senior planning to attend Muscatine Community College. Larry was a member of the U.S. Coast Guard and a retired janitor from the Muscatine Community School District. He was a proud supporter of the student athletes at Muscatine High School and enjoyed attending their events. The scholarship will recognize students who participated in a high school sanctioned athletic sport and attended Jefferson Elementary School or Ss. Mary & Mathias Catholic School. Recipient must demonstrate unmet financial need.
- 50. Madison P.T.O. Scholarship:** Two \$500 scholarships available for use at any accredited college for former Madison Elementary School students who completed two years of grades 3rd, 4th, or 5th.
- 51. Manuel T. Cadena Scholarship:** A \$1,000 scholarship award provided by the Manuel Cadena Educational Foundation for a Muscatine High School graduating senior planning to major in engineering, art, or music. The recipient must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- 52. Marie C. Ruthenberg Memorial Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award given in memory of Marie C. Ruthenberg for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing a teaching career. The scholarship was established in 1986 to encourage a MHS senior to pursue a teaching career in the spirit of Mrs. Ruthenberg, her dedication to the profession is evidenced by her service as an educator for more than 50 years in the Muscatine Community School District.
- 53. Maurice and Donna Reed Scholarship:** A \$1,000 scholarship award for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing a degree in science or education. The preferred applicant must demonstrate some financial need. If no qualified applications are received, preference will then be given to a student with intentions to pursue a degree in education.
- 54. Max A. Collins, Sr. Scholarship:** A \$2,000 scholarship award for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing a major in music or who will continue music participation in their future communities. This scholarship award was established by the Muscatine Elks' Chanters to honor their longtime Director, Max A. Collins, Sr.
- 55. McKinley P.T.O. Scholarship:** Four \$250 scholarships will be awarded to Muscatine High School graduating seniors who attend McKinley Elementary School for three years and plan to attend an accredited college or technical school. Students must have a minimum 3.0 GPA.
- 56. Mente Fellowship of Christian Athletes Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award established by Glen and Mary Jo Mente, formerly of Muscatine, to foster participation in the Muscatine Fellowship of Christian Athletes. The recipient will be a Muscatine High School graduating senior and member of FCA. The selection will be based on the following weighting: 40% FCA participation and leadership, 20% athletic participation, 20% scholastic achievement, and 20% financial need.

- 57. Micaela L. Brunson Memorial Scholarship:** Up to three \$1,000 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors pursuing post-secondary education to study a helping profession such as, but not limited to; pre-medical, nursing, teaching, or counseling. The Micaela L. Brunson Memorial Scholarship Fund was established by Brian and Alma Brunson in memory of their beloved daughter. Micaela was a special friend to many and lived her days under the motto, *"Be somebody that makes everyone else feel like somebody."* To be eligible, applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher and demonstrate volunteer experience during their high school career. Preference will be given to students who can demonstrate financial need in obtaining their education.
- 58. Michel's Family Educational Trust Scholarship:** A select number of scholarships awarded to students who have the desire and ability to attend college but may need financial support. Recipients must attend Muscatine Community College or Drake University. Applicants must demonstrate financial need and are required to submit their FAFSA SAR report or their parent's most recent income tax return.
- 59. Mulberry P.T.O. Scholarship:** Two \$500 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors who completed 3rd through 5th grades at Mulberry Elementary School. Payment will be made after October 1st and upon verification of post-secondary enrollment.
- 60. Muscatine Band Boosters Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award for a Muscatine High School graduating senior who participated in band during their Junior and Senior years of High School. The recipient must plan to attend a post-secondary school as a full-time student and continue participation in instrumental music performance. A music major is not required.
- 61. Muscatine Community School Foundation Community Service/Volunteer Scholarship:** Up to two \$500 scholarship awards to recognize Muscatine High School graduating seniors who serve the community through various forms of volunteer service. A minimum of 100 hours of documented volunteer community service is required.
- 62. Muscatine Community School Foundation General Scholarship:** Two \$500 scholarship awards to recognize Muscatine High School graduating seniors who have gone beyond that which is required both in numbers and types of courses but does not rank at the top of their class and has not previously received other scholarship recognition. Preference will be given to students who have demonstrated the willingness to take challenging coursework throughout their high school career.
- 63. Muscatine County Arts Council Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award for a graduating senior of Muscatine, Louisa-Muscatine, West Liberty, or Wilton High School pursuing an interest in the arts, including but not limited to the study of painting, drama, music, theatre, or film making.
- 64. Muscatine County Sheriff's Patrol Scholarship:** Two \$500 scholarship awards to be used at any accredited college or junior college. Recipients will be Muscatine County graduating seniors intending to pursue a career in law enforcement, criminal justice or a related field and will be selected based on academic achievement and participation in extracurricular activities.
- 65. Muscatine County Soil and Water Conservation District's Ralph L. Kirchner Memorial Scholarship:** Up to five \$1,000 scholarship awards established by the Muscatine County Soil and Water Conservation District in memory of former West Liberty farmer Ralph L. Kirchner, who served on the Muscatine County Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Directors for 25 years. The

scholarship will recognize graduating seniors pursuing a career in conservation or agriculture. Preference will be given to full-time students in these fields of study. To be eligible, applicants must be residents of Muscatine County, have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher, and demonstrate unmet financial need.

- 66. Muscatine Education Association (MEA) Scholarship:** A select number of scholarship awards provided by the MEA for Muscatine High School graduating seniors. Each recipient must have a parent who is a current member of the MEA. The award may be used at any accredited 2- or 4-year college or university.
- 67. Muscatine Pilot Club Memorial & Muscatine Masonic Iowa Lodge #2 Scholarship:** A select number of scholarship awards provided by the Muscatine Pilot Club and the Muscatine Masonic Iowa Lodge #2 for Muscatine High School graduating seniors planning to attend Muscatine Community College. Preference will be given to those who demonstrate active involvement in community service.
- 68. Muscatine Power and Water (MPW) Scholarship:** A \$1,000 scholarship award for a graduating senior who is interested in pursuing a degree in a field applicable to a future career/employment at MPW. Degrees in STEM fields such as, but not limited to, business, accounting, engineering, communications, energy efficiency, environmental science, information technology, or skilled trades. Special consideration will be given to students who plan to return to Muscatine service area in their profession. Student must be a child of an MPW customer and plan to attend an accredited college/institution (technical, 2-year or 4-year). Must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or greater.
- 69. Muscatine Soccer Club Scholarship:** Two \$300 scholarship awards provided by the Muscatine Soccer Club, one for a male soccer player and one for a female soccer player who participated in Muscatine Soccer Club activities as well as Muscatine High School Soccer. Preference will be given to students involved the most years in MSC and MHS Soccer. The recipient must have a cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher.
- 70. Muscatine Youth Girls Basketball Scholarship:** A select number of scholarships awarded annually to graduating Muscatine High School seniors with a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher who participated in MHS Girls Basketball as a player or manager all four years of high school and participated in Muscatine Youth Girls Basketball a minimum of three years during grades 4th through 8th.
- 71. Emergency Medical Transport Scholarship:** Up to three \$1,500 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors pursuing a career in the medical field. Non-Emergency Transport was established by Dana and Kenny LaRue, who realized there was a need within the Muscatine community for safe, reliable transport for people in wheelchairs or people in need of assistance. We proudly service the local Muscatine community, including Iowa City, Davenport, and the Quad Cities region.
- 72. Patricia Ross Beal Scholarship:** A \$1,000 scholarship award given in memory of Patricia Ross Beal, a Muscatine High School graduate. The scholarship will recognize a female graduating from Muscatine High School who has participated in one or more sports or extracurricular activities, demonstrates financial need, and will be attending the University of Iowa either full-time or part-time.
- 73. Paul C. Rohling Scholarship:** Up to three \$1,000 scholarship awards given in honor of Paul C. Rohling for Muscatine High School graduating seniors enrolling in post-secondary education to pursue a

career in agriculture. Secondary consideration will be given to those pursuing a career as a physical education teacher or coach.

- 74. Roach Scholar Scholarship:** Up to two \$1,000 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors of high moral character who possess the qualities of citizenship, service, and leadership. To qualify, students must have maintained a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher. The scholarship was established by Robert L. Roach in memory of his son, William L. Roach II, who died in 1937 of complications from polio. Bill, as he was known to friends, was involved in various activities at MHS, such as track, football, Auroran, and student council.
- 75. Roach Business Scholarship:** Up to two \$1,000 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors pursuing a business degree. To qualify, students must have taken at least three full-year courses or a total of six semesters in business and must have maintained a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher in all courses and a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher in business courses. The scholarship was established by Robert L. Roach in honor of his son, William L. Roach II, to recognize a student at Muscatine High School who has outstanding achievement in business administration.
- 76. Robert Nietzel Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award established by the Nietzel family as a memorial to Robert Nietzel, who was an active supporter of Muscatine High School activities. To qualify, applicants must be a Muscatine High School graduating senior and demonstrate: financial need, good character, citizenship, and a desire to further their education.
- 77. Robert P. Herwig Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award for a Muscatine High School graduating senior who plans to attend Muscatine Community College and pursue a career in education. The scholarship is given in honor of Robert P. Herwig, who served as a teacher, coach, and administrator in the Muscatine Community School District for over 35 years.
- 78. Robert W. and Dorothy M. Toborg Scholarship:** Up to two \$2,500 scholarship awards given in memory of Robert W. and Dorothy M. Toborg for Muscatine High School graduating seniors involved in high school, church, or other community activities. To qualify, applicants must demonstrate: financial need, leadership or potential for leadership, character, and citizenship.
- 79. Roberta Sue Thacker Memorial Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award established in memory of Roberta Thacker, a 1980 MHS honor graduate who excelled in many sports. She competed at the state level in softball and track and won many athletic and academic honors. She graduated from UNI with a degree in Special Education and taught for 10 years in Bedford, Iowa, and Wilton, Iowa. The scholarship will recognize a graduating Muscatine High School student athlete planning to major in education with the intent of pursuing a teaching career. The recipient must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher.
- 80. Ronald D. and Marylin A. Sturms Endowed Scholarship:** A \$500 scholarship award for a graduating senior from Muscatine High School planning to attend an Iowa accredited post-secondary educational institution studying a Business-related major or Family and Consumer Sciences major. Students must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher and demonstrate some unmet financial need. Preference will be given to students enrolling in an accredited community college.
- 81. Ronald C. Rohling Scholarship:** Up to three \$4,700 scholarship awards given in honor of Ronald C. Rohling for Muscatine High School graduating seniors pursuing post-secondary education at the

University of Iowa. The amount of this scholarship will vary from year to year and may be considered for renewal. The scholarship is based on financial need, as shown by a FAFSA. The successful applicant should have applied to the University of Iowa and have filed the FAFSA. The scholarship is administered by the University of Iowa Foundation.

- 82. Ronald Rohling Scholarship:** A 2,000 scholarship award given in honor of Ronald Rohling for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing post-secondary education at the University of Iowa, with a preference for students in the College of Liberal Arts. Recipients should demonstrate an appreciation for civic responsibility and human and property rights, as well as have an understanding and awareness of the importance of agriculture in state and international communities. The amount of this scholarship will vary from year to year and may be considered for renewal. The scholarship is administered by the University of Iowa Foundation.
- 83. Rotary Club of Muscatine Scholarship:** Up to five \$1,000 scholarship awards for graduating seniors living within the Muscatine Community School District boundaries not limited to public, private, or homeschooled applicants. This scholarship will be awarded to students planning to pursue post-secondary education at Muscatine Community College or any accredited colleges or universities in the state of Iowa or for vocational, technical, or trade training, which, upon completion, will lead to a professional certificate or college degree. Eligible applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher and be full-time equivalent students (enrolling in 12 or more semester hours). These awards are presented at the Rotary Senior Luncheon.
- 84. Ruth Scholarship:** A \$200 scholarship award established by an anonymous donor who placed a high value on education and believed in the quality of education provided by the Muscatine Community School District. The scholarship will recognize a Muscatine High School graduating senior who has shown academic achievement and educational excellence.
- 85. Saints Mary & Mathias Catholic School Home and School Association Scholarship:** Up to two \$1,500 scholarship awards for Muscatine High School graduating seniors who completed 7th and 8th grades at Saints Mary & Mathias Catholic School.
- 86. Shilah A. Buchele Lindle Memorial Scholarship:** A \$700 scholarship award established in memory of Shilah A. Buchele Lindle for a graduating female from Muscatine High School pursuing post-secondary education in the state of Iowa. To be eligible, applicants must have participated in private or school sanctioned singing and/or piano playing music programs.
- 87. Temp Associates and RJK, Inc. Muscatine High School Scholarship:** Four \$5,000 scholarship awards established by Bob and JoAnn Jensen for Muscatine High School graduating seniors with a desire to further their education and pursue post-secondary education full-time at any accredited two- or four-year college or university in the state of Iowa. To be eligible, applicants must demonstrate: a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher, good character, citizenship, and a desire to further their education. The scholarship is renewable for an additional three years, for a total term of four consecutive years, providing the student is enrolled full-time and maintains a minimum cumulative 2.0 GPA in college. In total, the value of the scholarship award over four years of post-secondary education is \$20,000. Preference will be given to applicants with a relative who is a current or former Temp Associates and RJK, Inc. employee.

- 88. Theodora Zorich Memorial Scholarship:** A \$1,000 scholarship award given in memory of Theodora “Teddi” Zorich for a Muscatine High School graduating senior pursuing post-secondary education at a two- or four- year college or university with preference given to a student who intends to pursue a career in education and/or a degree in foreign language.
- 89. Three Rivers Delta-Delta Waterfowl Scholarship:** Two \$500 scholarships will be awarded to graduating seniors who have maintained a minimum 2.5 GPA. Preference will be given to students who have been active in outdoor activities and possibly continue their education in a conservation-related field.
- 90. The Virginia Lorimor Girls Cross Country, Track and Field Scholarship:** A \$250 scholarship award for a Muscatine High School Girls’ Cross Country or Track and Field participant. The recipient must demonstrate leadership skills, team spirit, and pride. The scholarship was established in memory of Virginia “Ginny” Lorimor to honor her support of the MHS girls’ track team coached by her husband Jerry Lorimor. Ginny always wanted to make sure the track girls had what they needed; it is in this spirit that her family established the award, “for you to carry your joy of sport and learning forward.”
- 91. Toyota of Muscatine Scholarship:** Up to two \$2,000 scholarship awards established by Toyota of Muscatine for graduating seniors who are residents of Muscatine County intending to pursue a career in an automotive program. Applicants must have a 2.5 cumulative GPA or higher and demonstrate unmet financial need. Preference will be given to award one female and one male who are enrolling in an automotive program such as but not limited to automotive technology and automotive collision repair. The scholarship is renewable for the second year of enrollment within the same post-secondary educational program.
- 92. Trueman H., Lucille V., and T. Patrick Wigim Scholarship:** Up to six \$4,000 scholarship awards established by the Trueman Patrick Wigim Trust for college-bound graduating senior(s) of Muscatine High School, where financial assistance is necessary or helpful.
- 93. Wulf Family Scholarship Endowment in Memory of Helen P. Wulf:** A \$500 scholarship award for a graduating senior of Muscatine High School or Louisa-Muscatine High School pursuing post-secondary education in a health-related field of study which, upon completion, will lead to a professional certificate or college degree. The recipient will have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher. Preference will be given to students who can demonstrate financial need in obtaining their post-secondary education. Additional preference will be given to students who are children, grandchildren, or great-grandchildren of members of the Muscatine Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW). This scholarship is given as a memorial to Helen P. Wulf, who served as a Registered Nurse for over 48 years in Muscatine and was honored for 62 years of dedicated service as an active member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary.



Every effort is made to provide a complete and accurate list of scholarships available to Muscatine High School students. However, we reserve the right to award, cancel or substitute scholarships and change award amounts prior to students’ acceptance.