



MIDTOWN Neighborhood Association Scholarship Scholarship Information

For the sixth year, the Midtown Neighborhood Association is pleased to offer a \$1,000 scholarship for a high school senior going on to further their education at a two or four year college or university. While it is not a requirement, students that attend local institutions (Drury University, Missouri State University and Ozarks Technical Community College) will be given special consideration. Applicants may be attending any Springfield high school.

This is made possible by a decision by the Midtown Neighborhood Association Board of Directors in 2002 to invest money with Community Foundation of the Ozarks and accrue income that would allow Midtown to offer this scholarship.

Considerations for scholarship include:

- Community service locally and in the Midtown neighborhood;
- Cumulative GPA;
- Class rank
- ACT test score; and
- Number of years as a Midtown resident.

The applicant will also be responsible for composing a 300-500 word essay explaining their community service to both the City of Springfield and the Midtown neighborhood. Finalists will be interviewed by the scholarship committee before a selection is made.

The higher learning institution chosen by the student will be paid directly by Midtown for expenses incurred by the student.

Past winners include:

- 2006 Jessica Hoffman (Central High School)
- 2007 Brandy Ketel (Central High School)
- 2008 Stephany Hinch (Central High School)
- 2009 Sally Terry (Central High School)
- 2010 Jeremy Petrich (Central High School)

Our neighborhood has that sense of community that few neighborhoods in Springfield have. Our rich tradition and dedication to our schools have consistently shown belief that you as students are the future of our neighborhood, city and country.



**MIDTOWN Neighborhood Association Scholarship
Application**

Name _____ Last four digits of SS# _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____

School you are currently attending _____

College/University you will be attending _____

Class rank _____ of _____ Cumulative GPA on 4.0 _____ ACT Score _____

Number of years as a Midtown Resident _____

Please describe yourself and the goals for your continuing education.

Attach a copy of your cumulative transcript.

Please attach a short essay (300-500 words) explaining your community involvement and services you have provided to your local community. Send application and essay to: Dee Ogilvy, 518 E. Lynn, Springfield, MO 65802..

Application Deadline: April 9, 2011