



### **CHS Class of 1954 Scholarship**

*The alumni of the Clarinda High School Class of 1954 will award a scholarship to a Clarinda High School graduating senior or post-graduate who is pursuing a degree in higher education, with special consideration based on need, scholarly achievement, character and reputation. The Foundation will make an annual scholarship award from the fund of \$500 as long as the fund balance permits.*

The following guidelines will be used in making the scholarship selection:

1. The scholarship must be used to help pay the cost of any college program leading to a four-year college degree.
2. The Clarinda Foundation shall disburse the scholarship grant to a college or university indicated by the recipient in one payment prior to the beginning of the fall semester of year in which the scholarship is awarded.
3. The selection committee shall consist of 5 individuals: 1) one named by the Clarinda Foundation (who shall serve as chair of the committee); 2) one named by the CHS Principal; 3) one named by the CHS Faculty and 4) two named by the CHS Class of 1954. The committee will select the scholarship recipient from those students submitting applications.
4. The selection committee reserves the right to not award the scholarship should they determine that no applicant is worthy.
5. In selecting the recipient, special consideration will be given to need, scholarly achievement, character and reputation.
6. The application must be typed or computer generated and shall include an essay addressing the following:
  - a. College you plan to attend or those you are considering.
  - b. Your intended major and why you have chosen this as your major.
  - c. Your contributions to CHS and the community.
  - d. Any work history you may have.
  - e. Your extracurricular activities.
7. The scholarship shall be awarded without regard to race, color, creed, gender, nationality, origin or physical handicap.