



Darlene Minx Memorial Journalism Scholarship North Kansas City High School

A graduate of the University of Missouri with a degree in journalism, Darlene loved words – those she wrote and those she read in books throughout her life. Darlene’s career with North Kansas City Schools spanned more than two decades and began in the computer lab at Briarcliff, where her sons attended elementary school. They later graduated from North Kansas City High School. Darlene also worked in the district’s YouthFriends office and eventually joined the Communications team, serving as newsletter editor and web master. These roles reflected her interest in technology, talent for writing and passion for making a difference in children’s lives.

Deadline: Friday, March 31, 2023

Recipients: 1-2 students, annually

Amount: \$500 or \$1,000

Microsoft Forms Application Link: <https://forms.office.com/r/AtZgqzKqRs>

(Students must use their district account to access Microsoft Forms)

Eligibility:

* A 2023 graduating senior from North Kansas City High School.

* An active contributor to a journalism publication staff or staffs during high school, including NTV news, yearbook, newspaper, website and/or social media outlets.

Requirements:

- Complete the **Common Scholarship Application:** <https://forms.microsoft.com/r/Sn1zJj2AdX>
- Complete the **Darlene Minx Memorial Journalism Scholarship Application:** <https://forms.office.com/r/AtZgqzKqRs>
 - List the publication staff(s) you were involved with and the positions you held.
 - List special honors/ awards/ recognitions you may have received on a publication staff.
 - Describe any additional information you wish committee members to consider when reviewing your application.
 - **One-page letter.** In your letter, address the following as completely as possible: Review your time on the publication staff and what you have learned; then explain how you believe being involved in journalism during high school has prepared you for your goals after high school or influenced your life.

Process: The Scholarship Committee, consisting of faculty from North Kansas City High School, will review the applications and select a recipient. Family members of the Minx family may also review the applications. The scholarship will be awarded during the Senior Honors Program in May.

Payment: Payable to the college, university, or institution the recipient plans to attend by the North Kansas City Schools Education Foundation, which holds funds for the scholarship.

Questions? Contact:

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