



Jo Anne Baker Memorial Scholarship 2023 Fact Sheet

Jo Anne Baker was an essential part of Oakwood Manor Elementary since its annexation by North Kansas City Schools in 1959. She opened the library, and it's where her own children went to school. For 34 years, she served as an office clerk. She loved her job and the thousands of young people who attended school there over the decades. This memorial scholarship will be awarded to a graduate of North Kansas City Schools who is also a former student at Oakwood Manor.

Deadline Friday, March 31, 2023
Amount One annual \$500 scholarship
Microsoft Forms Application Link: <https://forms.office.com/r/WnNf86hsqr>
(Students must use their district account to access Microsoft Forms)

Eligibility

- You must have attended Oakwood Manor Elementary School and be a 2023 senior graduating from North Kansas City, Oak Park, Staley or Winnetonka High Schools.
- You must plan to pursue a post-secondary program of study at a two- or four-year institution.
- You must have maintained a GPA of 2.5 or higher during high school career.
- You must have performed at least 50 hours of community service during high school.

Application Requirements

- Complete the **Common Scholarship Application:** <https://forms.microsoft.com/r/Sn1zJj2AdX>
- Complete **the Education Foundation Scholarship Application:** <https://forms.office.com/r/WnNf86hsqr>
 - **Community Service:** Submit documentation showing that you have performed at least 50 hours of community service.
 - **Personal Essay:** Write an essay of at least 250 words explaining the community service you performed during high school and how it has made an impact in life.

Process: The Selection Committee will consist of Jo Anne Baker's family and Oakwood Manor staff.

Payment: The scholarship will be paid directly to the institution you plan to attend by the North Kansas City Schools Education Foundation, which holds the funds for the Jo Anne Baker Memorial Scholarship. If you do not complete a minimum of one semester, the funds must be returned to the Education Foundation so the first alternate may receive them.

Questions? Contact:
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