

## Kauk Family Healthcare Scholarship

Choosing careers in healthcare brought Bruce, a physician, and Jan, a nurse, together. They moved to Kansas City's Northland in 1979 and raised their sons Blaine and Justin, both proud North Kansas City High School graduates. Justin also chose the healthcare profession and practices orthopedic surgery. The Kauk Family is strongly committed to making a difference in our community. Jan serves on the Board of Education for North Kansas City Schools and volunteers for many other local organizations.

Deadline: Number of Recipients: Scholarship Amount: Microsoft Forms Application Link:

Friday, March 31, 2023 At least one annually \$1,000 <u>https://forms.office.com/r/irrRCd4qYr</u> (Students must use their district account to access Microsoft Forms)

## **Eligibility:**

- 2023 graduating senior at North Kansas City, Oak Park, Staley or Winnetonka high schools.
- You must have maintained at least a **3.25 GPA**.
- You must participate in extracurricular and volunteer activities.
- You must plan to pursue a post-secondary program of study at a two- or four-year institution that leads to a career in healthcare.
- You must demonstrate a financial need and your ability to overcome at least one obstacle to be successful in school and life.

## **Supporting Documents:**

- Complete the Common Scholarship Application: <u>https://forms.microsoft.com/r/Sn1zJj2AdX</u>
- Complete the Education Foundation Scholarship Application: <u>https://forms.office.com/r/irrRCd4qYr</u>
  - One Letter of Reference: This letter may be written by a high school teacher or staff member OR another adult who can attest to your character, such as an employer or religious or service group leader.
  - Essay Questions:
    - What career do you plan to pursue in healthcare and why?
    - Explain how you have overcome a personal obstacle and, if applicable, how it has influenced your decision to pursue a healthcare career.

Process: The Selection Committee will consist of members of the Kauk Family.

**Payment:** Payment of the scholarship will be made directly to the institution the recipient plans to attend by the North Kansas City Schools Education Foundation, which holds the funds for the Kauk Family Healthcare Scholarship.

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