

Cohn Family Scholarship

Lee and Laurel Cohn have been employed with the Grand Island Public Schools for 45 plus years. Lee worked in the warehouse and Laurel worked as a cashier at Walnut and Barr. Their children, Lynda, Lewis Cody, Lucinda and Lance all attended Jefferson Elementary, Walnut Junior High, and Grand Island Senior High. All four Cohn children continued their education at Nebraska Colleges. The Cohn's believe that the Grand Island Public Schools have been a part of their family and would like to honor the significance of this relationship by helping GIPS students obtain their goals to further their education. The family offers a \$1,000 scholarship to a Grand Island Senior High graduate based on the following criteria:

Eligibility

- Attended Barr or Walnut Middle Schools
- Graduate of Grand Island Senior High
- 2.0 -3.5 GPA
- Participated in the Arts or Athletics programs
- Must pursue a certificate, associate or college degree or diploma from an accredited post-secondary institution or trade school located in the state of Nebraska.

Essay Question

- How has the Grand Island Public Schools made a positive impact on your life and your future educational plans? (no more than 500 words)

To Apply

Complete the online application form at www.gips.org/foundation/scholarships

Selection Procedure

Applications will be reviewed by a scholarship selection committee appointed by the Grand Island Public Schools Foundation.

Terms of Payment

The scholarship will be paid through the Grand Island Public Schools Foundation to a Nebraska accredited trade school, community college, college, or university. Payments of up to \$1,000 (\$500 per semester) will be made and can be applied to tuition, books, room, board, supplies, or fees. The student must provide proof of enrollment to the Grand Island Public Schools Foundation.

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