

Jensen Family Scholarship

The Jensen Family Scholarship Fund was established at the South Dakota Community Foundation by Eldon & Mary Jean Jensen. This scholarship was established to encourage graduating seniors to return to the area to work and live in their community, no matter the trade or vocation they choose.

To be eligible to receive the Jensen Family Scholarship, the following criteria must be met:

- A graduating senior of a high school in Lemmon, Bison, McIntosh, Faith, and Hettinger, ND.
- United States Citizen
- Must have a minimum 2.0 or higher GPA.
- Must be planning on attending a post-secondary **technical/trade school, university, college**. Preference will be given to students going to technical/trade college.
- Students must have a strong intent of returning to the area served by their high school of graduation.

Scholarship Details:

- Selected recipient(s) will be announced during the scholarship award ceremony night.
- \$2,000 scholarship will be awarded directly to post-secondary **technical/trade school, university, college** at the beginning of the fall semester of the second year of school (sophomore year) after providing proof of good standing, full time student status, and successful completion of first year of school at the institution of higher learning. Please email documentation to info@sdcommunityfoundation.org

Attachments with scholarship application:

- A copy of the acceptance letter from the post-secondary school attending.
- A personal data sheet listing participation in work, school, church, and community.
- Two letters of reference are required from people who know you best outside of your school district's teachers and staff. The Scholarship committee wants to know about your community involvement, experiences at work through an employer or community member's perspective.
- Essay of 200 words or less "Expressing your plans and what you see yourself doing after graduation from post-secondary school."

SUBMIT ALL REQUIRMENTS IN ONE PACKET BY APRIL 1:

JENSEN FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

c/o Scholarship Coordinator

PO Box 296

Pierre, SD 57501

Or email application/attachments in one PDF file to

info@sdcommunityfoundation.org

Jensen Family Scholarship Application

Personal Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

School you are planning on attending: _____

Intended major of study: _____