For Office Use: Application No: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**ADEL-DESOTO-MINBURN SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION**

**APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP**

**Who Is Eligible: Any senior at Adel-DeSoto-Minburn High School who plans to attend a post-secondary institution.**

**Type or print legibly. Return this form to the Counseling Office by the specified deadline.**

**Name:**

**Street Address:**

**City:**

**Parent or Guardian:**

**PLEASE NOTE: THE APPLICATION SCORING PROCESS IS ANONYMOUS. YOUR IDENTIFYING INFORMATION WILL BE SEPARATED FROM YOUR APPLICATION BY THE SCHOOL COUNSELOR BEFORE IT IS SUBMITTED TO THE SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION COMMITTEE.**

**ONLY COMPLETED APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED BY THE SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION COMMITTEE. PLEASE NOTE THE AREAS CONSIDERED:**

**1. Scholastic Achievement**

**2. Extra-Curricular Activities**

**3. Financial Need**

**4. Personal Statement**

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**Please type or Print:**

**SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT**

**Information in this shaded box shall be completed by the School Counselor:**

**Class Rank:**       **Grade Point Average:**

**ACT Composite:**       **Grade 11 ITED Composite:**

**List the scholastic honors you received in grades 9 through 12. Please put the most significant honors first. *Additional awards may be discussed in the Personal Commentary section, if necessary*:**

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| **1.**       |
| **2.**       |
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| **4.**       |
| **5.**       |
| **6.**       |
| **7.**       |

**List the most important school and community activities in which you have participated during the past four years (e.g. student government, music, sports, 4-H, church, volunteer activities) including any offices or leadership positions you held in each activity. *Additional activities may be discussed in the Personal Commentary section, if necessary*:**

**ACTIVITIES**

|  |  |  |  |
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| **Activity** | **No. of Years Partic.** | **Special Awards, Honors** | **Offices Held** |
| **1.**       |       |       |       |
| **2.**       |       |       |       |
| **3.**       |       |       |       |
| **4.**       |       |       |       |
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**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Describe your work experience during the past four years (including working for your parents or other family members). Indicate dates of employment for each job, approximate number of hours worked each week, and amounts earned. *Additional jobs may be discussed in the Personal Commentary section, if necessary*:**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Employer/Position** | **From-Mo/Yr** | **To – Mo/Yr** | **Hours/Week** | **Annual Earnings** |
| **1.**       |       |       |       |       |
| **2.**       |       |       |       |       |
| **3.**       |       |       |       |       |
| **4.**       |       |       |       |       |
| **5.**       |       |       |       |       |
| **6.**       |       |       |       |       |

**FINANCIAL NEED**

**College You Plan to Attend:**

**Intended Major:**

**First Year Cost (will be completed by School Counselor): $ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Most recent family adjusted gross income:**

**[ ]  Less than $60,000** **[ ]  $60,000-$100,000** **[ ]  $100,001-$150,000**

**[ ]  $150,001-$200,000** **[ ]  More than $200,000**

**FAFSA Expected Family Contribution (EFC):**

**Number of people supported by household income:**

***If applicable, please explain any unusual financial need situations in the Personal Commentary section.***

**PERSONAL COMMENTARY**

**In 300 words or less, please provide any comments you feel would be helpful in giving a complete picture of you to someone who knows nothing about you, except the information on this form. PLEASE DO NOT INCLUDE YOUR NAME.**

**Application Instructions for the Nile Kinnick Scholarship, the Eric Cutler Fine Arts Scholarship, and the Stan Norenberg Memorial Scholarship**

These are three additional scholarships offered through the ADM Scholarship Foundation. These are named for Nile Kinnick and Eric Cutler, two fine individuals who attended our high school, and for Stan Norenberg, a former principal in our high school who was instrumental in starting and growing the ADM Scholarship Foundation. A financial award will be given along with each scholarship. The amount will be determined each year by the ADM Scholarship Foundation Board of Trustees.

To apply for any of these scholarships, you will need to apply for the regular ADM scholarship AND you will need to complete the short application on the next page. You may apply for one or more of these scholarships.

You will also need a letter of recommendation from an ADM teacher or school administrator. **When you request the letter of recommendation, ask that the teacher or administrator submit the letter in a sealed envelope to the School Counselor’s office.**

Note that the deadline for these scholarships (including the letter of recommendation) is the same as the deadline for the regular ADM scholarships.

**Criteria for the Nile Kinnick Scholarship:**

1. Applicant must qualify for an ADM scholarship.
2. Applicant must have participated in athletics at ADM High School.
3. Applicant must rank academically in the top 20% of his or her class.
4. Applicant must seek a written letter of recommendation from an ADM teacher or school administrator.

**Criteria for the Eric Cutler Fine Arts Scholarship:**

1. Applicant must qualify for an ADM scholarship.
2. Applicant must have participated in fine arts at ADM High School.
3. Applicant must rank academically in the top 20% of his or her class.
4. Applicant must seek a written letter of recommendation from an ADM teacher or school administrator.

**Criteria for the Stan Norenberg Memorial Scholarship:**

1.        Applicant must qualify for an ADM scholarship.

2.        Applicant must rank academically in the top 20% of the class.

3.        Applicant must be involved in at least one community service project.

4.        Applicant must hold at least one leadership position in a school activity or organization.

5.        Applicant must seek a written letter of recommendation from an ADM teacher or school administrator.

**Application for the Nile Kinnick Scholarship, the Eric Cutler Fine Arts Scholarship and/or the Stan Norenberg Memorial Scholarship**

**Name:**

**I wish to be considered for the following scholarship(s):**

[ ]  **The Nile Kinnick Scholarship**

[ ]  **The Eric Cutler Fine Arts Scholarship**

[ ]  **The Stan Norenberg Memorial Scholarship**

**By signing below, I hereby certify that I meet the criteria for the scholarship or scholarships for which I am applying.**

**Signed:**

**Date:**