

Nick McFerren Memorial Scholarship

The Nick McFerren Memorial Scholarship is a \$750 one-time scholarship created in honor of Nick McFerren by his family. Nick was a graduate of Blue Springs High School and the CTC Fire Program. He was naturally talented and was working as one of the youngest reserve firefighters for the Central Jackson County Fire Department when he passed away in a motorcycle accident in 2011 at the early age of 20. This scholarship was created to help others who want to pursue a similar career.

The McFerren family and the Blue Springs Education Foundation are seeking applications from the senior class at any of the three high schools: Blue Springs High School, Blue Springs South High School and Valley View High School. Students will be honored and receive recognition at the *Blue Springs Education Foundation Reception in April*. This scholarship is not renewable. The scholarship will be awarded based on the following criteria:

- Students Anticipated Major Fire Safety/Science, Emergency Medical Technician, Crisis Management or the Medical Field
- Students with a minimum GPA of 3.0
- Students with an influential role model with hopes to help others through their career aspirations

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All scholarship applications are due the last Friday in February.

| ACADEMIC DATA | | | |
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| Current High School | ☐ Blue Springs High School | ☐ Blue Springs South High School | ☐ Valley View High School |
| Cumulative GPA: | | Field of Study: | |
| School you plan to attend (University, Junior College, or Technical School): | | | |
| Anticipated Major: | Fire Safety/Science | Emergency Medical Technician | |
| | Crisis Management | The Medical Field | |
| Future Ambition Tell us about your career goals and plans: | | | |
| Role Models Who has been one of your significant role models and how have they influenced your values and shaped your future aspirations? | | | |

Last Items:

Please submit applications by the **last Friday in February** with the Blue Springs Education Foundation cover sheet attached, to your high school counseling center.

