



Area Community Enrichment Foundation

Algoth and Elma Lee (Bearley) Erickson Scholarship

Elma Lee Bearley Erickson taught many years in Oberlin and in Rawlins County schools and is remembered as a first grade teacher at Atwood Grade School with a passion for the young reader.

She was a graduate of Atwood Community High School and received her BA and MA from Fort Hays State University.

Al graduated from Decatur Community High School and farmed south of Herndon. Both Elma and Al enjoyed being spectators at various events and also enjoyed traveling. Two of the highlights of their travels were attending President Dwight Eisenhower's inauguration and visiting the Holy Land.

Elma Lee and Al would like to present this scholarship to a current Rawlins County High School senior or graduates from the county as an appreciation of each of their own educations.

This scholarship is available to all current seniors of Rawlins County High School (or graduates in the county seeking additional education for a degree) who are planning to attend a community college, vocational-technical school, or a four-year college or university. Two scholarships for **\$1,500** will be awarded. The application is to be typed. The entire application is not to exceed three pages.

Scholarship based on: character, initiative, and scholastic POTENTIAL

Strong consideration will be given to students interested in careers involving education, or working with children, or agriculture

Deadline: April 1st postmark date.

Completed applications can be folded and should be mailed to: Erickson/ACE Foundation, P.O. Box 224, Atwood, KS 67730

Attach: Resume'

Applicant name and permanent address: _____

Phone: _____

7-semester GPA: _____ Composite ACT: _____ Class Rank: _____ out of _____

What college or university are you considering to attend? _____

Address of Finance Office of above (office that will receive the scholarship check)

Student ID #: _____ (will be included on the scholarship check)

Student (at least 18 yrs of age)/parent signature _____
(indicating that information provided is correct)

****** Retype each question and then respond—limit two typed pages.***

1. What is your planned area of study? What experiences have you had that have led you to this area?
2. What motivates you in school when you don't feel like studying?
3. What attributes of teachers and/or adults have inspired you to achieve well in life?
4. How has your faith and family influenced you to achieve your goals?