Emily Weikert Memorial Scholarship

The Emily Weikert Memorial Scholarship is awarded annually to a Valley High School senior intending to study business at Iowa State University. The scholarship will pay $2500 per year (up to $10,000 on a semester basis) to Iowa State University to be applied to tuition and/or room and board. It is renewable upon the attainment of certain academic criteria and upon your application and admission to the ISU College of Business effective your junior year.

Emily Weikert was an accomplished young woman who graduated from Valley High School in 2005 and from ISU College of Business in 2009 with honors. She grew up in West Des Moines, attending Western Hills Elementary and Stilwell Junior High. Her life was tragically cut short on December 27, 2012. In Emily’s honor her family, friends, work colleagues, and West Bank have endowed a scholarship fund to provide financial assistance to VHS graduates who aspire to the goals Emily achieved.

To apply for this scholarship, you must complete the application for the West Des Moines Community Schools Foundation Scholarship by the stated deadline AND answer the following questions:

1. What are your plans and career goals as you enter college?

2. In your life, what was your most memorial moment? Good or bad?

3. What do you hope to be doing in 10 years?

4. What are three words your friends would use to describe you?

5. If you had 10 minutes to talk to anyone (alive or from the past), who would you choose? Why?
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More information about this scholarship and the questionnaire are located on the Valley Counseling web page. To apply for this scholarship, you must complete the application for the West Des Moines Community Schools Student Scholarship Fund Scholarship AND the Weikert Scholarship questionnaire. Please submit both completed applications to Mrs. Gersdorf by Feb. 28th.