

# 7 SCHOLARSHIPS IN 1 INFORMATION

## 2009 – 2010

JOAN KOLBERG LOWEN (\$4,000) – The Joan Kolberg Lowen Scholarship Fund was established in 1996 by the husband and children of Joan Kolberg Lowen to provide an annual scholarship in her memory. The Lowens live in California, but Joan lived in Davenport as a child and always regarded it as her hometown. Since she received most of her early education in the Davenport schools, where she acquired a deep respect for learning, the family chose the Davenport schools as the memorial recipient.

DAVENPORT SCHOOLS FOUNDATION (\$1,000) – The Davenport Schools Foundation Scholarship Fund was started by an initial gift from Elizabeth Schaller, a former West High School guidance counselor. Subsequent gifts to this fund continue to make larger awards possible.

CLASS OF '59 (Two \$1,000 scholarships) – The Class of '59 Scholarship Fund is made up of donations from members of the 1959 graduating class from Davenport High School.

DR. LISA ARBISSER (\$500) – The Dr. Lisa Arbisser Scholarship Fund was created by the Davenport Schools Foundation Board to honor Dr. Arbisser, past president of the board, for her outstanding efforts toward excellence in education in the Davenport schools.

JANE GRADY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE (\$5,000 over four years) – for a female graduate of Davenport School District who has demonstrated a high level of proficiency in English (especially in writing), Mathematics and Science.

DAVENPORT SCHOOLS FUTURE EDUCATOR SCHOLARSHIP (three \$500 awards) One scholarship will be awarded annually to a graduate of each Davenport high school with the intention of majoring in education in college. Original funding came from the Davenport PTA Council in 2008.

MARIE LINKE POWELL SCHOLARSHIP (\$1,000) One award annually to a graduate whose intention is to major in education in college. Funded as a memorial to former DSCD teacher by her family in 2008.

### ELIGIBILITY

Applicants must graduate from a Davenport community high school by June 30, 2009. Recipients must be enrolled for the 2009-2010 term in an accredited two or four-year college or university in the U.S.

### SELECTION CRITERIA

Recipients of the seven scholarship awards will be chosen from the graduates of the Davenport community high schools. Selection of recipients is based on financial need, academic achievement (no less than 24 ACT and 3.25 G.P.A.) and other conditions considered appropriate by the Selection Committee. All selections will be made on an objective and non-discriminatory basis.

### AWARDS

Awards are for one year only (with the exception of the Jane Grady Scholarship - \$5,000 spread over four years) and will be applied toward tuition, books and fees. The amount of each award is as stated above. Awards will be paid directly to the student recipient upon receipt of verification of enrollment.

### APPLICATIONS

**One application will cover all seven scholarships.** Application forms are available in the guidance offices at Davenport community high schools. Completed applications are due April 8, 2009. Please prepare for mailing with your counselor or mail directly to:

7-in-1 Scholarship Application  
Davenport Schools Foundation  
Attn: Norm Bower  
1606 Brady Street  
Davenport, IA 52803