

Frank Schnabl Scholarship for Nursing

Frank J. Schnabl, Jr. established this scholarship prior to his passing in September 2014, at the age of 87. He graduated from Seymour High School and earned a bachelor's degree in chemistry from UW Oshkosh in 1952. He later attended UW Eau Claire and received a Master of Science in 1965. Frank taught chemistry in Orfordville, WI, Kewaunee, WI and at UW Fox Valley in Menasha, WI. He also served as a research associate at The Institute of Paper Chemistry.

Frank was a World War II Army Veteran, a member of the Three Lakes Legion and Appleton VFW. He was an avid historical buff and was a member of the Nichols and Seymour Historical Societies and wrote the Nichols Historical Newspaper for many years. He had a love for animals and enjoyed traveling, especially to the Kentucky Derby for which he attended several times. At his cabin in Three Lakes, he remarked often, "This place is the closest to God that I ever could get."

Frank felt that he had a very rewarding career and wanted to share that feeling of reward with others through this scholarship.



Eligibility:

Graduating high school seniors who plan to pursue a four-year degree in nursing, and who attend UWO-Fox Cities campus for the first two years of college. This scholarship is a four-year renewable scholarship and will follow the recipient to another school for years three and four, so long as they continue to pursue a career in nursing and maintain a minimum 2.75 GPA. The following will be taken into consideration in determining the recipient:

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Involvement in school and community activities
- Preference may be given to students who have volunteered or worked at a medical facility

Amount:

One \$750 per year, renewable award for a total of four years for tuition expenses (total \$3,000). This scholarship will be offered every fourth year.

Selection:

A recipient will be selected by the UWO-Fox Cities campus scholarship selection committee, and selection will be based on the above eligibility.

Payment Procedure:

Scholarship payment will be released after submission of the following to the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region: completed scholarship verification form (located at www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships), proof of major, and verification of full-time student status (class list with credits). For subsequent years, the student must submit all the above documentation along with prior year's grade report (unofficial grade report will suffice). After approval of submitted documentation, the scholarship check will be paid directly to the school the recipient will be attending during the first semester. This scholarship cannot be deferred. Most communications between the Community Foundation and the student will be via email. **Please keep us advised of your current email address.**

Loss of Eligibility:

Recipient must remain a full-time student, majoring in nursing, with a minimum cumulative 2.75 GPA. First two years student must attend UWO-Fox Cities campus.

Students changing their major should contact the Community Foundation to verify continued eligibility.

Further Information:

For more information regarding this scholarship and to obtain scholarship forms please visit the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region's website at www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships or contact us at 920-702-7619 or scholarships@cffoxvalley.org.