

Chilton Area Community Foundation KaNisha Flemming Smile Beautiful Scholarship

Background:

KaNisha Flemming attended Chilton High School where she was actively involved in numerous sports. She served as football manager, ran cross country and track, played basketball, soccer, and volleyball all while maintaining superior academic achievement.

In December 2013, she was diagnosed with high-risk acute myeloid Leukemia. At that time, she was focusing her attention at the University of Wisconsin Green Bay where she was scheduled to graduate the upcoming May with a double major in Psychology and Human Development. It was KaNisha's desire to pursue a Major in Psychology to follow her passion for helping troubled teens. This was an ideal career for KaNisha because she was a great role model for the numerous young people she mentored and taught.

KaNisha was someone who impacted her community and strengthened the people around her. Since her youth, she actively sought out community service projects to make other people's lives better. There is nothing that can compare to the caring, inspirations and magnetic personality that KaNisha possessed. She lit up a room with her warm, tender smile and showed so much love to her family and friends. She went out of her way to cheer people up; the world was a better place because of the living presence of KaNisha. Her zest for life and positive outlook made everyone wish there were more people like her.



Tragically, KaNisha lost her short battle with leukemia at the age of 22, in January 2014. She received a posthumous degree in Psychology and Human Development. This scholarship was established in her memory by her loving family and friends.

Eligibility: (taken into consideration to determine recipients)

- Graduating seniors from Chilton High School
- Planning to attend an accredited 2- or 4-year college, university, or technical school as a full-time student
- Minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA and on the Honor Roll
- Involvement in athletics and extracurricular activities
- Strong work ethic

Award Amount:

Two \$750 non-renewable scholarship awards for tuition expenses.

Selection:

Recipients will be recommended in the spring by the Chilton High School Scholarship Selection Committee according to the eligibility criteria.

Collecting the Award & Payment Procedure:

Recipients must fill out and submit Scholarship Acceptance Form and Scholarship Verification Form through the [Scholarship Portal](https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=cffvrscholar) (<https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=cffvrscholar>). Recipients are required to provide supporting documents *as instructed* in the Scholarship Verification Form, such as class registration/list **with** credits listed, proof of major, grade transcript, etc.

After approval of online Scholarship Verification Form, the scholarship check will be paid directly to the school the recipient will be attending. The **Community Foundation communicates with students via email**; it is the student's responsibility to keep their Scholarship Portal account updated with their current email address.

Loss of Eligibility:

Failure to register as a full-time student for the first semester of freshman year of college.

Further Information:

- Chilton High School Guidance Department
- Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region
 - Website www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships/
 - Email: scholarships@cffoxvalley.org
 - Phone 920.702.7629