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FFBC
First Friday Breakfast Club

Scholarship
Program

About the Scholarship

One-time scholarships of **\$3,000** are awarded. Scholarships are paid in two installments upon receipt of the student's proof of enrollment in the institution of secondary education.

Accomplishments of previous scholarship recipients include:

- ☐ Founded a GSA or diversity club and/or provided leadership in the organization at their school
- ☐ Organized Day of Silence activities
- ☐ Organized support to include gender orientation in local civil rights ordinances and/or school district non-discrimination policies
- ☐ Discussed issues facing LGBTQ+ youth with school administration, faculty, and/or community groups
- ☐ Wrote articles in community and school papers addressing LGBTQ+ issues
- ☐ Addressed LGBTQ+ issues in school debates, speeches, and forums
- ☐ Actively affirmed and advocated for LGBTQ+ students in their school
- ☐ Provided positive image and role model as an out and open LGBTQ+ student/ally

**First Friday Breakfast Club
Scholarship Committee
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Who We Are

First Friday Breakfast Club is an educational forum that embraces the LGBTQ+ community and its allies as members, nourishes meaningful dialogue through monthly speakers, and cultivates young advocates for equity and inclusion by awarding leadership scholarships to graduating Iowa high school seniors.

Founded in 1996, First Friday Breakfast Club continues to evolve and to serve as a safe haven for all LGBTQ+ members, allies, and guests. What began as a few friends deciding to meet regularly for breakfast, soon grew into one of Iowa's largest breakfast clubs.

The FFBC scholarship is funded through the generous contributions of our members and supporters in both the LGBTQ+ and straight communities.

For more information, visit online at:
<https://FFBCIowa.org/>



**Recognizing
efforts to promote
lesbian, gay, bisexual,
transgender and
queer (LGBTQ+) acceptance *since*
1997.**

Previous Recipients

Recipients have included students from high schools all throughout the state of Iowa, including:

Algona	Fort Dodge
Ames	Hampton-Dumont
Ankeny	Iowa City
Bettendorf	Marshalltown
Bondurant-Farrar	Muscatine
Boone	Newton
Carlisle	Ogden
Carroll	Pella
Cedar Falls	Sioux City
Center Point	Spencer
Clinton	Urbandale
Council Bluffs	Waterloo
Davenport	Waverly
Des Moines	West Burlington
Dubuque	West Des Moines

Qualifications

- ☐ Graduating senior from an Iowa high school
- ☐ Planning to pursue college or other post-secondary education
- ☐ Participated in significant activities to promote LGBTQ+ acceptance in his/her/their school and/or community
- ☐ Awards are made without regard to gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, race, religion, marital status, or employment status

Apply Today!

Access the scholarship application or digital brochure at:
<https://ffbc Iowa.org/scholarships/>

All applications must be submitted online via the First Friday Breakfast Club website.

Email: info@FFBCIowa.org

Selection Process

Scholarships are awarded to outstanding Iowa high school seniors who have distinguished themselves with significant efforts to counter homophobia, promote LGBTQ+ acceptance and educate their schools/communities on LGBTQ+ issues. Academic achievement and extra-curricular activities are also considered.

Application Timeline

Application Deadline	Submitted online by March 1
Recipients Announced	On, or about, May 1
Recipients Recognized	FFBC June Meeting

