



## VANTEN FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

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Dear Peotone 207U High School Student;

This is a financially need based scholarship and is the goal of the VanIten Family to enhance and aid the education of a current Peotone High School student. The \$1,000.00 earmarked for this scholarship is to lighten the financial need. This money has been donated from our family because of the high value we place on education. We truly wish you success in your future endeavors.

The scholarship application package consists of this cover letter, three (3) certified reference pages and an application which has a required essay question which you will submit using your own paper. The application, except for the essay, may be completed in your own handwriting or typed; however, the essay must be typed. These forms may be downloaded from the Peotone Education Foundation (PEF) Facebook page.

### **Other pertinent information that you need to be aware of is:**

1. The scholarship applicant must be a United States of America citizen or legal immigrant at the time of the scholarship application deadline.
2. The scholarship applicant must be graduating from Peotone High School at the end of this current school year or the semester prior and have attended PHS for at least two consecutive school years.
3. The scholarship money will be awarded to one applicant who will be attending as a full or part-time student at a not-for-profit accredited institution, university, college, community college, or trade school during the summer or fall session immediately following the end of the PHS current school year.
4. This scholarship is a one-time non-renewable award. The scholarship money will be a one-time distribution paid directly to the institution for tuition purposes only.
5. The completed scholarship application must be submitted to the Peotone High School Registrar/Student Services Department on or before March 1<sup>st</sup> or the **designated date**\*\* set by the PHS Registrar of this current school year and must be submitted as one complete package.
6. You will request the Peotone High School Registrar to provide the VanIten Scholarship Committee with one current official Peotone High School transcript as a part of your scholarship application package.
7. The applicant should be of commendable character, in good standing with the school and community, has shown a continuous high work ethic and conveys that post high school education is dependent upon scholarships and grants.
8. The Peotone Educational Foundation (PEF) is the caretaker of this Scholarship.

*If you have questions concerning the application process, please contact the Peotone Educational Foundation Scholarship Committee by emailing [edfoundation@peotoneschools.org](mailto:edfoundation@peotoneschools.org).*

**\*\* DEADLINE TO APPLY IS MARCH 8, 2022**