

The Abreu Family Scholarship

In 2020, John Abreu established this scholarship in memory of his beloved late wife Susan. He recognized that FFA and 4H students were particularly hard working and respectful young people. He wanted to honor and recognize their commitment to community by offering scholarships to these students.

The Abreu Family Scholarship is open to all Quitman ISD seniors enrolled in 4H and/or FFA programs and can be applied toward any higher education tuition.

The Board of the Quitman Lake Country Charitable Foundation shall award one scholarship in the amount of \$1000 and another scholarship in the amount of \$500 annually. Should additional money be available in The Abreu Family Scholarship fund then the Board will establish the number of additional scholarships to be awarded and the amount of those awards in budget discussions at the beginning of each fiscal year.

All applicants for the scholarship(s) must be students at Quitman ISD and enrolled during their senior year in 4H or FFA programs. All applicants must complete the application attached and return it to the Board no later than April 15th. The Board will analyze the applications based on scholastic performance and community service involvement. The award will be sent directly to the accredited U.S. college, university, or trade school when the recipient provides proof of enrollment. The awarded funds must be requested within two years of graduation from high school.

Donations of cash are accepted for this fund and are tax deductible. Donations can be made online at the website and include "Abreu Scholarship" in the "add a note" section of the paypal donation page. Please note that donors cannot be closely related or benefit financially from any recipient of the scholarships.

The Abreu Family Scholarship Application

Quitman High School

Begin by filling in the information below, then proceed to parts two and three. The deadline for this application is **3:30 PM on April 15th**. **No applications will be accepted after this date.**

Application should be hand delivered to Joanne Wisdom at Quitman Chiropractic and Acupuncture at 606 E Goode St Ste 400, Quitman, TX 75783. 903-394-8941

Winning recipients will be announced at the awards/scholarship ceremony. The award will be sent directly to the accredited U.S. college, university, or trade school or paid directly to the student when the recipient provides proof of enrollment. The awarded funds must be requested within two years of graduation from high school.

PART 1: General Information

Name: _____ **Phone Number:** _____

Address: _____

College, technical or vocational school you plan to attend:

Name/Location: _____

Already Applied? Yes No Already Accepted? Yes No

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| <u>SAT</u> | Date(s) Taken _____ | and/or<u>ACT</u> | Date(s) Taken _____ |
| | Best Critical Reading _____ | | Best English _____ |
| | Best Math _____ | | Best Math _____ |
| | Best Writing _____ | | Best Composite _____ |
| | Best Combined Composite (R/M) _____ | | (R/M/W) _____ |
| | Rank: # _____ | | in class of _____ GPA _____ Grade Equivalent _____ |
| | Graduation program: ___ Minimum | | |
| | ___ Recommended | | |
| | ___ Distinguished Achievement | | |
| _____ Signature/Verification by School Official | | | |

Part 3 : Essay

The essay is to be written either in your own handwriting or typed (double spaced, font size no smaller than 12), *no more than 2 pages in length*, covering the following topic:

- How you have demonstrated leadership ability and community service
- Personal goals and future plans and how you plan to accomplish these goals
- What it means to you to receive this scholarship

The information provided in this application is true and accurate as of the date below.

Signature

Date