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BROWN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP GRANT

ACT Composite Score _____

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Rank in Class _____

Grade point Average _____

Five $2800 scholarships shall be awarded, two of which are to be awarded to a graduating Abilene High School senior qualified and desirous of attending a vocational technical college or school. The remaining three scholarships shall be awarded to a graduating Abilene High School senior qualified for and desirous of attending a Kansas Junior College or a four-year Kansas college or university. In the event of a lack of interest in the vocational scholarships, one or both of the first two may be awarded to students in the academic category. A total of five scholarships are to be granted if there are five qualified graduating seniors seeking them. In addition, applicants must have a 2.5 grade point average in order to be considered. The selection date for the Brown Memorial Scholarships shall be after other area scholarships have been awarded, to avoid duplication of scholarship recipients.

Name _____ Birthdate _____

Home Address _____ Home Phone _____

Father's Name _____ Place of Employment _____

Mother's Name _____ Place of Employment _____

Number of Children in Family _____ Ages _____

How many in Post High School (College or Vocational) next year? _____

PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF THE STUDENT AID REPORT (SAR) WITH YOUR APPLICATION. If that is not available include a copy of the original FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID. (FAFSA)

HONORS – AWARDS – MAJOR ACTIVITIES

High School	Community

REFERENCES

Contact at least 3 people who can tell the selection committee about your eligibility and need for a scholarship grant. (NO NOT USE RELATIVES)

1. One teacher
2. One person from a financial institution. (Bank or Savings & Loan) (See special reference form)
3. Other person (neighbor, teacher, employer, etc.)

Name	Position	Address
	Teacher	
	Financial	

Give each of these people one of the appropriate recommendation forms and stamped envelope addressed to: Abilene High School Guidance Office, 1300 N Cedar, Abilene, KS 67410. Ask them to return the completed form before April 14, 2016. (No stamps are necessary for high school teachers.)

Estimate costs and resources for the period of your request for a Brown Memorial Scholarship Grant.

Estimated Budget

Required Fees and Tuitions	$ _____	Lunches and Travel Expenses	$ _____
Books, Instructional materials & equipment	$ _____	Clothing	$ _____
Board	$ _____	Personal & Recreation	$ _____
Room	$ _____	Other Costs	$ _____
		TOTAL	$ _____

Do you own a car? Yes ____ No _____ Make _____ Year _____

Will you have this car on campus next year? Yes _____ No _____

I plan to attend _____next year. I will receive $ _____ from sources other than my parents and Brown Memorial to help defray my education expenses.**

**These sources include: List college financial aid, relatives, etc…

The Brown Memorial Scholarship Grant Committee has my permission to use my Student Aid Report or Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

_____
Signature

THIS YOU MUST DO

- ☐ 1. Complete and return the scholarship grant application and autobiographical sketch to the Guidance Office by April 14, 2016.
- ☐ 2. Have three persons fill out recommendation forms and return them to the Guidance Office by April 14, 2016. (One must be from a Financial institution).
- ☐ 3. Turn in a copy of the Student Aid Report (SAR) or Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to the Guidance Office.

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AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Date _____

Student's Name _____

Address _____

Write below a paragraph telling why you are making application for a scholarship grant and what you hope to do with your college or vocational school education. Describe any unusual circumstances that the Committee might need to know to better assess your financial need.

_____

Student Signature

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FINANCIAL REFERENCE

Concerning _____ son/daughter of _____

Address _____

The above mentioned has applied for a Brown Memorial Scholarship Grant. In a short paragraph would you make any comments about the above name applicant's financial need that would be helpful to the selection committee. This form will be kept in strictest confidence and will only be shown to the selection committee.

Would you rate the student on Financial need by circling your most accurate estimate of the family financial need.

No help needed 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Total help needed

Signature _____ Position _____

Address _____ Date _____

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BROWN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Concerning _____ Address: _____

The above named student has applied for the **Brown Memorial Scholarship Grant.** Would you rate the student on each of the following characteristics by circling the appropriate number. Remember to compare this student to the average student. This form will be kept in strict confidence and will only be shown to the selection committee.

Motivation	Low	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	High
Industry	Just enough to pass	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Hard Worker
Initiative	Needs prodding	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Does more than assigned
Concern for Others	Little	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Very
Leadership	Follower	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Exceptional
Responsibility	Not Very	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Highly
Social Maturity	Immature	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Outstanding
Personal Appearance	Poor	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Very Neat / Appropriate
Financial Need	No Help Needed	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total Help Needed

Any additional comments you might want to make regarding the applicant's financial need and/or suitability to receive a Brown Memorial Scholarship Grant.

In what capacity were you associated with this person? _____

Signature _____ Position: _____

Address _____ Date: _____

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Concerning _____ Address: _____

The above named student has applied for the **Brown Memorial Scholarship Grant.** Would you rate the student on each of the following characteristics by circling the appropriate number. Remember to compare this student to the average student. This form will be kept in strict confidence and will only be shown to the selection committee.

Motivation	Low	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	High
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Signature _____ Position: _____

Address _____ Date: _____