

Richard Elswick Scholarship

Selected by Corning Education Foundation Scholarship Committee

\$750

Richard Elswick graduated from Villisca High School with the class of 1950. He attended Clarinda Community College for a year prior to joining the Navy. He served in the Navy for four years. After leaving the Navy he settled in the Rockford, Illinois, area. He remembers his roots in Southwest Iowa and wants to support the youth to attend college to gain additional skills and expertise beyond high school.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Plans to attend a postsecondary school: Preference will be given to students planning to attend community college or a vocational or technical institute with a major that supports the local community.
 - nursing, farm management, basic computer technology, etc
- Citizenship and leadership as demonstrated by activities in school or community
- Preference will be given to those students who support community activities/events.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA:

- Character
- Citizenship
- Leadership
- Financial Need

APPLICATION:

Any Southwest Valley High School senior who meets the above criteria is eligible to apply for this scholarship. The application should include the reasons why the applicant feels that he/she is qualified to receive this award.

- Include a statement of plans for further education and commitment statement regarding intent to graduate from college.

METHOD OF PAYMENT: The scholarship will be paid after successful completion of 1st semester of college study and submission of a copy of 1st semester grades and enrollment for the second semester of college to the SWV school counselor's office.

If you receive this scholarship, send a thank you to:

Corning Education Foundation

PO Box 333

Corning, IA 50841

Deadline: Submit a **letter of application and resume** to the SWV High School Counselor by **April 23rd.**