

The Re'Ana Mekaeil Memorial Scholarship is a one-time award of \$500 for a graduating senior from Derby High School. The only requirements are that the student be a current graduating senior at Derby High School who will be furthering their education in the fall. Preference will be given to students who are able to demonstrate through their transcript and their essay that they are going to strive to make the world a better place.

Re'Ana Mekaeil was a 9 year old girl from Derby who lost her battle with cancer on August 25, 2017 - just one week into her 4th grade year. She attended Pleasantview Elementary from Kindergarten through 2nd grade, and then Park Hill for 3rd and the beginning of 4th grade. When she grew up she wanted to be a missionary or an art teacher. Although she will never get the opportunity to achieve her grown-up dreams, her family would like to honor her memory by supporting that opportunity for another Derby student as they pursue their dreams.

Good luck!



Re'Ana Mekaail Memorial Scholarship Application

NAME: _____
 First name Middle Initial Last Name

ADDRESS: _____ PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

DOB: _____ AGE: _____ GENDER: MALE FEMALE

APPLICATION CHECKLIST PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT ALL ITEMS ARE INCLUDED BEFORE SUBMITTING APPLICATION TO THE DERBY HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELING OFFICE. PARTIAL APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. **DEADLINE – MARCH 31.**

- This Application
- High School Transcript
- Essay

PLEASE LIST YOUR HIGH SCHOOL ACADEMIC AND EXTRA CURRICULAR ACHIEVEMENTS:

WHAT ARE YOUR EDUCATIONAL AND CAREER GOALS AFTER HIGH SCHOOL?:

3 NON-FAMILY ADULT REFERENCES (CAN BE TEACHER, COACH, EMPLOYER, ECT):

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone Number: _____

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ESSAY INSTRUCTIONS:

Your essay should introduce the scholarship selection committee to *you* – your personality, your interests, educational and career aspirations, and your motivation for those pursuits. Please include how you feel you can have a positive impact on the world and what this scholarship would mean to you.

Your essay should be a minimum of 2-3 pages, typed, and double-spaced. The essay should reflect competent writing skills with correct grammar and punctuation. Please proofread your essay before you submit it.