

## **Paxton Consolidated Schools Foundation Scholarship**

*"The mission of the Paxton Consolidated Schools Foundation is to encourage, solicit and receive gifts for the benefit of the Paxton Consolidated Schools."*

### **Award**

- \$1000 Annual Scholarship Award to a Paxton graduate.
- A Scholarship Committee shall review the applications based on the stated criteria and select the recipient and alternate. Committee members shall excuse themselves from the selection process if a conflict of interest arises.
- Recipient will be announced at Paxton High School graduation ceremonies.
- The scholarship will be paid to the post-secondary institution of the student's choice upon proof of enrollment.

### **Eligibility**

- The applicant must be a Paxton High School senior.
- The applicant must have a "C" or higher grade point average.
- The applicant must intend to enroll in post-secondary education, which may include any college, university, community college, trade school or other similar institution.

### **Criteria**

- Academic achievement
- Leadership and community service
- Future career and educational goals
- Presentation of the application
- Essay
- Interview (To be held at the school in April)

### **Application**

- Complete the application form. Include essay.
- Attach a transcript of your high school grades, which includes your GPA and a resume.

- Applicants will be asked for a personal interview. The committee will notify all applicants of the interview schedule.
- Give your completed application to the Paxton Schools' School Counselor:
- All materials must be completed and turned in by April 4. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.