

**Lawrence W. Kuper Memorial Scholarship**  
**717 2<sup>nd</sup> Street SE**  
**Independence, IA 50644**

1. DEADLINE: Scholarship application must be postmarked no later than February 10, 2012.
2. Refer to criteria below for eligibility requirements.
3. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
4. If any question does not apply to you in this application please put N/A in the space.
5. Type or print legibly. Illegible applications will be returned to you and not reviewed.
6. Recipient will be announced at the Dollars for Scholars Banquet.
7. If you have any questions about the application, please call Janet Kuper, 319-939-7083.

**NOTE:** Scholarship funds will be awarded to the student upon evidence of registration in an accredited post-secondary institution.

**Purpose:** To Provide a scholarship to one (1) deserving Independence High School graduating senior interested in or intending to pursue post-high school course of study at either college/university or other post-secondary educational institution.

**Award Components:** One (1) \$500.00 scholarship awarded to one (1) student selected by The Kuper Family. Scholarship will be disbursed in the Spring Semester after student follows Dollars for Scholars and The Kuper Family guidelines. Student must maintain a 2.0 GPA or higher after the first semester to receive the second disbursement.

**Criteria:**

1. Applicant must be a student at Independence Jr./Sr. High.
2. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior in the year of the award.
3. Applicant must demonstrate positive-impact involvement – in the complete sense – consistent with capacity and circumstances and/or significant improvement/success in scholarship and community involvement, determined through letters of recommendation.
4. Entering the field of Architecture, Constructional Engineering, or Structural Engineering.
5. Must be registered for at least 9 credit hours at post-secondary institution.

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**Lawrence W. Kuper Memorial Scholarship Application**

Please <b>type</b> or <b>print</b> your answers. If application is illegible it will be returned to you.			
1.	Last Name:	First Name:	
2.	Mailing Address: Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____		
3.	Daytime Telephone Number: (     )		
4.	Date of Birth:    Month	Day	Year

5.	Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale)
6.	I will be attending the following school in the <u>Fall of 2012</u> : Name: Address: City/State/Zip Financial Contact Name:
7.	What specialty/major do you plan to pursue?
8.	How many hours of credit will you be taking per semester? _____.
9.	Estimated date of college/trade/vocational school graduation: _____

**Use an additional sheet if you need more room to answer questions 10 and 11.**

10.	What are your educational and professional goals and objectives? (Attach if preferred)
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11.	List any academic honors, awards and memberships as well as your community service activities, athletics, hobbies, outside interests, and extracurricular activities: (Attach if preferred)
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12.	Personal Essay. Please submit a one to two page essay answering this question: <b><i>How have you made a positive difference?</i></b>
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Signature of scholarship applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**REMEMBER**  
Please return application to:  
**Independence High School Guidance Office**  
**Deadline is February 10, 2012 No exceptions!**

Please call Janet Kuper, (319)939-7083, with questions