Jacksonville Promise Scholarship

The Jacksonville Promise is available to all students who graduate from high school in District 117 in May 2018, who live within the boundaries of District 117, and have attended all four years of high school here. This applies to all schools in 117.

Requirements include filing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA form), being accepted to one of our local colleges and enrolling full time (12 hours or more), demonstrating they have applied for other scholarships (not necessarily being accepted), and maintaining a 2.0 grade point average in high school.

Awards are predicated on the amount of time spent in the district 117 schools. Graduates who have attended only high school will receive 65% of a maximal award. 5% will be added for each additional year of documented school attendance in district 117. The amount of the award for each recipient will be determined in May at the close of the fundraising campaigns. We anticipate an increase over last year's award of \$2000.