

# Henry Hynes Scholarship

## Essay Cover Page

The Henry Hynes scholarship was created by family, friends and classmates in loving memory of Paul J. "Henry" Hynes. It is given annually to a freshman entering Routt Catholic High School.

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**Parent(s) Name(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Current School: \_\_\_\_\_

The Henry Hynes scholarship is named after Paul "Henry" Hynes, a 1983 graduate of Routt Catholic High School. Henry Hynes went to Our Saviour Grade School for 8 years before attending Routt. Henry was never the tallest kid in the class, but he always had the biggest heart. Whenever you saw Henry, he always had a big smile for you - sometimes it was an ornery smile - but always a smile. Henry was a good student and a good athlete. Because of Henry's stature, he was often the underdog on the football field or the basketball court, but that was a role he relished. He proved over and over again that size didn't matter as much as determination. After attending RCHS, Henry attended the University of Illinois in Champaign-Urbana and then ran his own business in Jacksonville. Like in school, Henry never met a stranger at his business.

Given the information above on Henry Hynes, please reflect on another sheet of paper in 2-3 paragraphs why you believe that you should be selected for the Henry Hynes Scholarship. The prospective Routt scholar who will receive this award will be a well-rounded individual involved in extra-curricular activities as well as being community oriented and charitable.

Complete and submit this form with the essay. This sheet should be the only page to contain student information, parent information, or family information. For judging purposes, each paper is assigned a number. No judge will know the name of the student who has written this essay. The Development Office will keep this information confidential.

**\*\*Remember, do not place your name, parents' names, or any family members' names in any other areas of the essay, or your paper will be disqualified.**

Essays will be judged on the following listed in order of importance:

1. Overall quality
2. Grammar
3. Spelling

Your essay must meet the following requirements:

1. Must be typewritten
2. Must be double-spaced
3. Work must be an original essay by the student. Any plagiarized work will be disqualified. (Plagiarism is the submission of any portion of the essay that is not the student's own work.)

**Submit essays to the Routt Development Office by deadline.** Please call the Development Office if you have any questions at (217) 243-8563 ext 6.