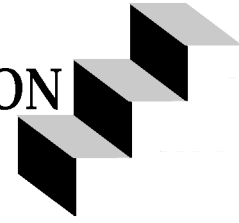


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**Education Foundation of Bloomington awards 18 Senior Scholarships**

Eighteen Kennedy and Jefferson high school seniors received the Education Foundation of Bloomington's Senior Scholarships at spring awards ceremonies.

"Bloomington's support for the 2008 Senior Scholarships gives these outstanding students a financial boost at a time when college costs are soaring," said Laura Schmit, EFB scholarship committee chair.

"These scholarships also support our deserving recipients with the belief of their community, businesses and teachers that our graduates will succeed as college students and as citizens," she said.

The \$1,000 Donaldson, Inc. Foundation Scholarships were awarded to Kennedy seniors Phuong Lam, Briana Nielsen and Phanny Phay. Christina Ranasinghe, Jefferson senior, and Kennedy senior Taymara Williams received the \$1,000 Bloomington Lions Club scholarships.

Receiving the \$1,000 Bloomington Federation of Teachers scholarships were Katie Yohn, Kennedy, and Jazmyn Becker of Jefferson. The Bloomington School Food Service Association's \$600 scholarships were presented to Rachel Rockwell, Kennedy, and Jefferson's Christopher Cannady. Awarded the \$500 Bloomington Retired Educators Association scholarship was Anh Nguyen-Pham, Kennedy.

The Bloomington PTSA Council's \$1,000 scholarships were presented to Anicia Anya, Kennedy senior, and Jefferson senior Zoe Halladay while Melissa Nemchek, Jefferson, received the PTSA's \$600 scholarship.

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Jefferson senior Jacob Larkin and Kennedy's Olutoye Famodu received the \$500 Gregory J. Lampe Memorial Scholarships. The \$1,000 Dorothy Ziebell Scholarship, supported by a former Bloomington home economics teacher, was presented to Robert Fong, Kennedy. Ajibike Ayinla of Kennedy received the Kathryn R. Dewey Memorial Scholarship in nursing, which honors the founder of the Bloomington student health service.

The EFB Board of Directors Scholarship for \$500 was awarded to Kennedy senior Oluremi Famodu. For more information about the Education Foundation of Bloomington and how to support a scholarship, go to [www.Educationfoundationofbloomington.org](http://www.Educationfoundationofbloomington.org) or call EFB President Karyn Arazi at 952-854-0049.