



## *The Cheryl Anstett Scholarship*

In October of 2007, Cheryl Anstett, a retired public school teacher, created this scholarship to help students who have been out of school more than one year and are interested in continuing their education. This scholarship gives non-traditional students an opportunity to apply for assistance. Non-traditional can be described in a variety of ways such as those who have earned a GED instead of a high school diploma, home-schooled students, and those who have been out of school for more than one year.

Cheryl had started her career in education as a teacher's aide at Pleasant Lake Elementary School. Upon support and prodding of her principal, Cheryl began taking classes at Tri State University leading to a degree in elementary teaching. Cheryl completed a long term teaching career at Prairie Heights Community School Corporation. Cheryl created the scholarship to help those students that have been out of high school for a period of time and who had similar experiences to her own.

**The Cheryl Anstett Scholarship**  
is held by the  
Steuben County Community Foundation.  
1701 N. Wayne Street, Suite A  
Angola, IN 46703  
(260) 665-6656



**Requirements:**

- The recipient(s) must be a graduate of one of the four high schools serving Steuben County having been out of school for one or more years or a non-traditional student (home schooled or GED certificate holder from Steuben County).
- The recipient(s) must attend an Indiana institution of higher education (trade or technical school, two-year institution or four year institution).
- Scholarship may be used for tuition, room & board, fees, supplies, or any other class-required expenses.

**Selection Committee:**

- Steuben County Community Foundation Scholarship Committee

**Award**

- The amount of the award per student will be determined each year based on the amount available.
- If they so choose, the selection committee may determine to award multiple, smaller awards rather than one scholarship award.
- The scholarship will be paid directly to the institution of higher learning to be deposited into the recipient's account.

**Miscellaneous**

- If the student fails to attend as planned, the college will be instructed to return the scholarship money to the Steuben County Community Foundation to be deposited in the Cheryl Anstett Scholarship Fund, or an alternate could be awarded the scholarship.

*NOTE: Modifications to the criteria above can be made at the request of the donor, and with the approval of the Steuben County Community Foundation Board.*



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**Scholarship Application**  
**Please print**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Employed At: \_\_\_\_\_

List college/university/trade or technical school where you have been accepted. Indicate your course of study.

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Tell us a little about yourself and what you have been doing since receiving you diploma or GED:

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How do you plan to fund your educational experience:

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Why are you interested in continuing your education?

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### **Attachments:**

**1) Any supporting statements from former teachers or supervisors of any paid or volunteer work in your chosen field will be considered. Please attach to the application.**

**2) Copy of school transcripts or GED certification.**

### **Certification**

I certify that all the information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. If asked by the Steuben County Community Foundation, I agree to give documentation for information given on this form. Further, I certify that I meet the intent of the scholarship fund for which I have applied as stated in their guidelines

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Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

**APPLICATION DEADLINE IS MARCH 15TH OF THE CURRENT YEAR**