AWARDS

One scholarship is awarded each year.

- Scholarship winners receive a one-time $1,000 award.

- Scholarships are for undergraduate study for one year only and cannot be renewed.

- The scholarship is paid in two installments of $500 at the beginning of each semester.

- Verification of enrollment for each semester is required for payment.

- Scholarship checks are mailed to the school on behalf of the student.

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HOW TO APPLY

To apply for the Lyda M. Locke Scholarship, interested students must submit:

- A completed application.

- An essay describing how Junior Achievement programs that you attended influenced your career planning goals. Please limit your essay to 500 words.

- Current, complete official high school transcript of grades.

- Two letters of recommendation — one from a business person, community leader or JA classroom volunteer and one from a teacher or school administrator.

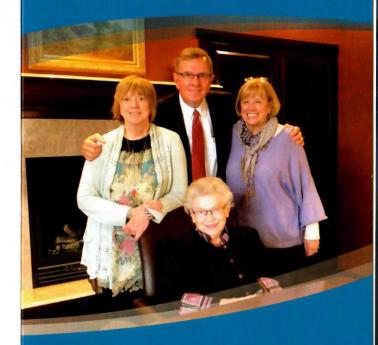**All scholarship application materials should be postmarked by April 30, 2020**

The materials should be mailed to:
Junior Achievement of Wisconsin, Inc.
2800 Royal Avenue, Suite 207
Monona, WI 57313

Applications are available from your High School Guidance Office or by contacting:
Junior Achievement of Wisconsin, Inc.
Phone: 608.288.8201
jnicholson@jawis.org

LYDA M. LOCKE SCHOLARSHIP

Helping students pursue studies in the fields of
- **Business**
- **Finance**
- **Banking**

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A MESSAGE FROM THE FAMILY OF LYDA M. LOCKE

The annual Lyda M. Locke Scholarship is given to recognize the values and lifelong dedication to family demonstrated by Mrs. Locke. These values led her to ensure that her children had the education they needed to be successful In life.

Mrs. Locke encouraged her son, David, to pursue entrepreneurship and financial literacy opportunities available through Junior Achievement while he was an Alton, Illinois high school student. David developed an interest in banking due to the influence of his Junior Achievement advisor.

Through Mrs. Locke's encouragement and support, David finished college by attending night school while carrying a full time job in the banking industry. Mrs. Locke credits Junior Achievement for the success she and her family have enjoyed and for eventually bringing her family to Madison, Wisconsin. David has said, many times publicly that, "Junior Achievement changed my life".

Mrs. Locke was born May 31, 1924 in Worden, Illinois and lived in Madison. She has two daughters, Carol and Mary Beth. Her son, David, is the Chairman and CEO of McFarland State Bank.

Given the impact of Junior Achievement on the Locke family, this scholarship recognizes and supports students pursuing a degree in the field of business, finance, or banking.

JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT BACKGROUND

Junior Achievement (JA) is the world's largest organization dedicated to inspiring and preparing young people in a global economy. Through a dedicated volunteer network, Junior Achievement provides K-12 in-school and after-school programs that focus on three key content areas: entrepreneurship, financial literacy, and work readiness The goal is to teach concepts through experiential learning, allowing young people to put their new knowledge and skills into practice.

2017 Award recipient Kylee Kroneman, with Lyda M. Locke and two of her children, Carol and David.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Applicants must be eligible to graduate during the current school year from a Dane County high school.

- Applicants must have participated in at least one Junior Achievement high school classroom program.

- Applicants must be eligible for admission to an accredited technical school or college where the student will pursue an Associate or Bachelor's Degree in business, finance, or banking.

SELECTION OF RECIPIENTS

Scholarship recipients are selected on the basis of their application to a committee appointed by Junior Achievement of Wisconsin in Dane County. Financial need is not considered.

The applicant will be notified of the award by **May 31, 2020.**

Photo on cover:
Lyda M. Locke with her children - Mary Beth, David and Carol.