

Mary C. Larson Scholarship

This scholarship honors Mary C. Larson who was the Adams County Superintendent of Schools from 1914-1918. Through a request in her will a scholarship was established to assist a deserving Corning High School graduate to pursue a college degree.

The scholarship will be awarded once every four years beginning in 1984. The scholarship will be in the amount of approximately \$1000 per year (\$4000 total.) The student recipient will be eligible to reapply for the award during his or her second, third and fourth year in college. Grants in those years will be given at the discretion of Corning Community Schools after the student submits his or her semester grades and a letter reviewing the previous semester's progress and future direction.

Basis of Selection

The scholarship award will be based on the following criteria:

- Scholarship
- Rural background (of which all Corning students are)
- Character
- Citizenship
- Leadership
- Future Potential
- Financial need, although this will be no more important than any of the other criteria.

Application Procedure

Any Corning High School senior is eligible to apply who intends to pursue a four year college degree. A student wishing to apply for the scholarship must fill out a formal application provided by Corning Community Schools and submit an essay not to exceed 300 words entitled "My Plans for the Future." The application and essay will be due on a date announced by Corning Community Schools.

Application forms and other information regarding the scholarship is available from the high school guidance office.

Method of Selection

The selection of the scholarship recipient will be determined by a committee comprised of the superintendent of schools, the high school principal, and the high school guidance counselor. They may call on members of the Corning faculty to review and evaluate the applications that are received.

The decision of the selection committee is final in all matters including selection and renewal and the right is reserved to not award the scholarship if no applicant appears to be of adequate merit.

MARY C. LARSON SCHOLARSHIP
Application Form

Name _____

Address _____

Grade Point Average _____

Class Rank _____

ACT Composite _____

Intended college major _____

College of attendance _____

Discuss the accomplishment you are most proud of that occurred during your high school years.

The application form and essay are due on or before April 30th. They should be submitted to the high school guidance counselor.