Brown Bear Corporation Scholarship
1-$500

Brown Bear Corporation established a scholarship for a SWV graduating senior in the amount of $500. With this scholarship they hope to encourage the retention and return of Adams County's young adults to the local community.

Brown Bear Corporation, located in Corning, Iowa, manufactures and markets equipment that is used in the environmental, municipal, agricultural, and utility industries throughout the U.S. and the world. In 1961, Roscoe Brown, a long-time Adams County resident, founded the company. Stanley Brown, son of the founder, and his wife Jolene Brown, also long-time Adams County residents, have worked in the business since 1969. They purchased the business in 1985 and moved the company to its current location in the Bluegrass Industrial Park in 1989.

Eligibility:

- Senior must have a C (2.0) or better grade point average
- Plans to attend a postsecondary school, majoring in accounting, administrative assistant, secretarial, mechanical drafting, mechanical or agricultural engineering, auto body, welding, machinist, sales and marketing, farm/auto mechanical, industrial technology, etc.
- Financial Need

Additional Criterion: Meets at least one of the following criteria.

- Has the intention of returning to the Adams County area
- Preference given to Brown Bear Corporation employees and their families. *Note this criterion in the letter of application.

Application Procedure: The application should be in the form of a **letter and resume**.

- Include plans for further education and a commitment statement regarding the above criteria and lifetime goals and aspirations
- Resume of school and community activities

Selection Process:

The Corning Education Foundation and Brown Bear Corporation will choose the recipient of this scholarship,

Disbursement:

Payment of the award will be made after the student completes the first term of training/schooling and submits a copy of grades to the SWV guidance counselor by the deadline date. If the student has maintained a 2.0 GPA in at least 12 credit hours and is enrolled in at least 12 credit hours for the second term, the counselor will authorize the Corning Education Foundation to make the payment.

Deadline: The applicant must submit an application **letter and resume** to the SWV High School Guidance Counselor by April 1.

If you receive this scholarship, a thank you note should be directed to:

Brown Bear Corporation
2248 Avenue of Industries
Corning, Iowa 50841

Attach the second page to the scholarship application. Check items included.

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I have included the following information in my application and affirm its truthfulness.

_____ Letter-Statement of Plans and Commitment, Goals/Aspirations, Financial Need

_____ Resume

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____