FSPERA (FREMONT SCHOOL AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION) 2021 ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION SHEET Scholarship Amount: \$500.00

The Fremont School and Public Employees Retirement Association is offering a \$500.00 academic scholarship to qualified Canon City and Florence seniors.

The purpose of this scholarship is to foster advanced education for a student who is pursuing a postsecondary degree.

The scholarship is for \$500 and may be used at any accredited post-secondary educational institution in Colorado. It may be applied toward costs of tuition, fees, books, and/or residence hall expenses.

Applicants for an award must:

- 1. have attended Canon City High School or Florence High School at least two full years;
- 2. have been accepted to, and plan to attend, an accredited post-secondary school—college, community college, in Colorado;
- 3. enter a program which will lead to a two- or four-year degree;
- 4. have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above;
- 5. show evidence of broad interests and leadership roles in worthwhile activities in school, church, and/or community;
- 6. show evidence of the character and citizenship traits which would indicate the maturity necessary to succeed in a higher education atmosphere.

This scholarship will be awarded on the basis of academic excellence, character, and leadership qualities without regard to financial need.

The scholarship award of \$500 will be made only after confirmation of enrollment from the school has been provided and will be paid directly to the school.

The recipient will be chosen by members of the FSPERA Scholarship Committee.

Please attach the following to this Application Form:

Transcript of your academic record
List of your extra-curricular activities and any awards, special honors received or leadership roles.
List of community activities, leadership roles and work experience outside of school.
At least one teacher recommendation
At least one counselor recommendation
At least one recommendation from any other adult of your choice
A personal letter from the applicant to the Scholarship Committee

NOTE: This scholarship is eligible for matching funds of \$500 from the state of Colorado COSI. Please provide the following information.

Did you participate in the free lunch program

What is your estimated family contribution EFC on you federal student aid form

- ** Application should be returned to the High School Guidance Office. **
- ** Application Deadline: ** March 25th

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Phone

Address

Parent(s) Name

High School

Years Attended

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College Plans/Career Goals

Extra-Curricular Activities

Community Activities

Name of College Preferred					
Major Field of Interest	Have you been accepted?	Yes	No		
Other scholarships or financial aid you have received					

Other information you would like us to know about you. (Please attach an additional sheet if necessary.)

Class Rank - (CCHS does not rank)Grade Point Average(*GPA must be 3.0 or above)List classes in which you are currently enrolled if they are not on your transcript.(Please attach an additional sheet if necessary.)