

Elsie Jepson Educational Award

Presented by: Ken-Ton Friends of Youth Foundation, Inc

Due No Later Than January 31, 2018.

The “Elsie Jepson Scholarship Award” was established in March 2004 to honor the memory and spirit of Elsie Jepson, Ken-Ton Schools Pupil Services Administrator for over 52 years and a tireless champion for children’s rights— especially those with special needs.

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President, Robert A. Fiordaliso
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Purpose: The purpose of this educational grant is to give financial assistance to individuals classified by the Committee on Special Education who are continuing their education or to individuals going to school for special education training. This educational award may be used for tuition, fees, supplies to continue your education, uniforms, etc.

Awards: The amount of the award will be up to \$1000.00 based on the committee’s recommendation.

Criteria that the committee will consider include:

- Nominee should be a Senior or in their last year of school at the time of applying
- Community Service involvement/ ability to assist others
- Plans for continued education or training
- Commitment to success
- Letter of recommendation from a current instructor
- Must be a Ken-Ton resident

Apply: To apply for the Elsie Jepson Award:

- Fill out the application on next page
- Attach a letter of recommendation from a current instructor

Deadline: All material must be received by January 31, 2018.
Send (4) copies of the completed attached form and letter of recommendation to:

Ken-Ton Friends of Youth
P.O. Box 607 Kenmore NY 14217



**Recommendation Form
Elsie Jepson
Education Award**

(Please Print or Type)

Nominee's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone #: _____ Date of Birth: _____

School: _____

Year/Grade: _____

Teacher or Counselor recommending you for this award:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

School Phone #: _____

Parent(s)/ Guardian(s) Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

(Please Print or Type)

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Please complete the attached "Recommendation Form"

Please attach a letter from a teacher or counselor who will recommend you for the Elsie Jepson Educational Grant.

Please answer the following questions on a separate piece of paper. Please be specific and use examples your words can make the difference.

Please put your name at the top of each separate sheet of page you use:

1. What are your educational/vocational goals & plans for the future?
2. What is the name and address of the school you plan on attending?
3. Why should you be considered for the Elsie Jepson Educational Grant?
4. Explain what community service you have completed or how you have been helpful to others?

Please return the completed original form and four copies to:

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