



FARNSWORTH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Farnsworth Memorial Scholarship is funded by an endowment donated from the estate of the late Dr. Ray and Dena Farnsworth. The Farnsworths lived in Bozeman for many years and supported the school in a variety of ways. Their final gift established a scholarship fund to support students in pursuing their academic and spiritual goals.

The Farnsworth scholarship is intended to provide assistance for Montana students to attend Mount Ellis Academy. The scholarship will be awarded (and may be renewed each semester) based on academic performance, citizenship, and need.

MEA's Financial Aid Committee will select the scholarship recipients from the pool of applicants who meet the following criteria. Applicants must meet these minimum requirements to renew or be considered for a Farnsworth Memorial Scholarship:

- Maintain a 3.0 high school GPA on a semester basis (or, for incoming 9th graders, a 3.0 GPA from their 8th grade year).
- Maintain good citizenship as evidenced by no major discipline infractions during the previous semester.
- Fulfill work obligations as outlined in the financial plan.
- Exhibit leadership qualities and a Christian example to other students.
- Send a letter of appreciation to the family of the deceased donors annually. *(Please address the letter to the Farnsworth family but deliver it to the MEA Business Office. We will forward it to the family for you.)*

ESTIMATED SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Village students - \$250 – 1,000 per semester

Dorm students - \$500 – 1,500 per semester

The scholarship may be renewed each semester the student remains in attendance at Mount Ellis Academy and meets the minimum requirements above. Failure to meet the minimum requirements will result in loss of the scholarship.



FARNSWORTH MEMORIAL APPLICATION

Student Name: _____

Grade: _____ Previous semester (or 8th grade) GPA: _____

Were the student's labor obligations fulfilled for the previous school year or semester? If not, please explain why: _____

Have you had any discipline infractions during the past school year? If so, please describe the infraction(s) and what happened: _____

Briefly share your plan for summer-time work and the amount you will personally contribute toward your entrance fees for the upcoming school year. _____

ESSAY

Please attach a typewritten essay outlining how you will help build a caring Christian community and a culture of achievement at Mount Ellis Academy next year.