



# PLATTSBURGH CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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SARAH S. VERT STUDENT AID FUND  
AND  
THE GENERAL HARRY E. KNIGHT SCHOLARSHIP  
APPLICATIONS TO BE CONSIDERED

The **Sarah S. Vert Student Fund Committee** will meet to consider applications for aid from the fund. This committee was formed under the provisions of the will of Charles J. Vert, which established the Sarah S. Vert Student Aid Fund. The purpose for this fund is to help worthy but needy students of Clinton County to a college education. **Worth and need alone are the determining factors in granting aid from this fund.**

The **General Harry E. Knight Scholarship Fund Committee** will also meet to consider applications for scholarships. This committee was formed under the provisions of the will of Mrs. Harry E. Knight which established the Gen. Harry E. Knight Scholarships to **Cornell University at Ithaca, New York for needy and deserving young men and women, irrespective of race, creed, or color, who are graduates from Clinton County High Schools, public, parochial, or private. (Students must be attending Cornell to qualify for this scholarship).**

Interested students should mail separate applications to the acting secretary, Mr. John C. Lebrun, Plattsburgh City School District, 49 Broad Street, Plattsburgh NY 12901-3396 so they will be received no later than May 1, 2025. Applications must be made in writing and must contain a clear statement of the circumstances, which make financial assistance necessary. The applicant must also indicate the college to be attended. The funds at the disposal of the committees are limited. Complete application is necessary to ensure consideration by the committees.

February 25, 2025

#### MISSION

*Our mission is to educate each student of the Plattsburgh City School District by creating challenging, supportive, and interactive learning that advances intellectual, physical, social, and cultural development.*

**PARENTS' CONFIDENTIAL STATEMENT  
IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL AID FOR**  
\_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_  
(year) (name of scholarship)

**► PERSONAL**

- Name of applicant \_\_\_\_\_ SS# \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_
- Address \_\_\_\_\_
- City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_
- Telephone \_\_\_\_\_
- Applicant attends (name of school) \_\_\_\_\_  
and will graduate in June \_\_\_\_\_.
- Applicant has been accepted at \_\_\_\_\_  
for a \_\_\_\_\_ year program preparing for a career in \_\_\_\_\_
- Applicant's academic average for high school to date is \_\_\_\_\_, ranking \_\_\_\_\_ in a class of \_\_\_\_\_.

**► FINANCIAL**

• Estimated expenses to attend the college named _____		• Resources available during _____	
Tuition & Fees	\$ _____	From parents/guardians	\$ _____
Books & Supplies	\$ _____	From friends/relatives	\$ _____
Room & Board	\$ _____	From applicant's assets	\$ _____
Transportation	\$ _____	From other sources	\$ _____
Personal	\$ _____	(specify)	\$ _____
			\$ _____
			\$ _____
TOTAL \$ _____		TOTAL \$ _____	

- Net taxable family income falls within following range (check one):  

_____ less than \$9,999	_____ \$10,000 - \$19,999	_____ \$20,000 - \$29,999
_____ \$30,000 - \$39,999	_____ \$40,000 - \$49,999	_____ above \$50,000
- There are \_\_\_\_\_ children in the family younger than applicant.
- Applicant has \_\_\_\_\_ brothers or sisters who will be in some type of advanced schooling next year.
- Father/Guardian's occupation \_\_\_\_\_
- Mother/Guardian's occupation \_\_\_\_\_

**► GENERAL**

Any special condition that might affect application not reflected above. If necessary, use back of application.

*The Scholarship Committee does not discriminate against any candidate on the basis of race, creed, color, sex, age, national origin, handicap or veteran status, sexual orientation or other protected class per law.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

Date \_\_\_\_\_