

Milton and Joy Brooks Scholarship for Teaching

Milton Brooks was an educator. He believed everyone should have an opportunity to receive an education and he believed that as adults it was our responsibility to insure that all children had that opportunity. He always said he knew from the time he was in high school that was what he was supposed to do with his life. Many things got in the way that kept him from pursuing his career right out of high school, such as building ships and later serving in the Army Air Corp during WWII. He married, started a family, and then pursued that dream. He was 29 when he graduated from college at Northwestern in Alva, Oklahoma. He spent 34 years in education, as a teacher, coach and administrator. He never doubted that he had taken the right course for his life.

Because of his beliefs and the life work that he chose we have established a scholarship fund to help someone else with their goal. This scholarship is available to a Cunningham High School senior who wishes to pursue a career in education. If you are a senior at CHS and this is the goal you want to pursue, please submit an application for this scholarship.

Please submit a short essay on why you believe that teaching is the career you have chosen. Include the area of teaching you wish to pursue and if there has been someone in your life that has influenced your decision.

Please send to: Joyce Gridley
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 Cunningham, Kansas 67035

Please remit no later than April 30th.