



The Noah Warren Cohen Scholarship

The Noah Warren Cohen Scholarship was established in memory of Noah Warren Cohen, a young man with great warmth, enthusiasm for social causes and deep compassion for those less fortunate. A leader of his peers, Noah was admired by his many friends and beloved by his family.

To illustrate his philosophy, in 2010 Noah wrote:

“I believe we are born with a certain amount of intelligence but without acquiring knowledge we cannot do anything with it. I believe that for the brain to have better recall, the ability to make connections is important. Without knowledge we cannot make these connections. It is like if there were two carpenters the first one is really good at his job and has lots of talent and the second is a regular Joe, but if the first has a butter knife and the second has saws, sanders, drills and everything else, it doesn't matter how inventive the first person is with the butter knife, the second will always do a better job. So, if person A. is extremely intelligent but is illiterate or is missing basic education they will not be able to function as well as person B....This is why everybody should be educated and given the tools they need to do their best.”

The purpose of the Noah Warren Cohen Scholarship is to support programs that help end the cycle of poverty and mirror the passion and qualities that Noah exemplified. Examples of programs considered for funding include, but are not limited to:

- Special training to lift participants from financial dependency to independence.
- Confidence building experiences to enhance participants' abilities to contribute to society.



The maximum amount that will be awarded in 2015 is \$4,000, and strong consideration will be given to activities that emulate Noah's passions. **Please complete this application form and submit it to grants@jcftucson.org by Monday, April 20, 2015** in order to be considered. Recipients will be notified in May and funding available after June 1, 2015. Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Personal Information

First Name:	Last Name:
Phone:	Email:
Address:	Date of Birth:
If Under 18, Parent/Guardian:	Parent/Guardian Phone:
Parent/Guardian Address:	Parent/Guardian Email:



Educational Information

Current Year in School:	Current School Enrolled In:
Grade Point Average (if applicable):	Area of Study/Studies (if applicable):
Awards and Honors Received:	

Extra-Curricular Activities (community service, orgs/groups, sports, etc.)

Activity/Activities:	Roles & Responsibilities:
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Additional Interests and Hobbies:

Scholarship Information

Why is this scholarship needed?

If you are awarded the scholarship, how would you use it?

Amount Requested:

Total Cost of Activity:

How will this activity make a meaningful impact on your education?

How will this activity have a meaningful impact on the community?



What book has had a meaningful impact on your life, and how so?

You may attach additional information, letters of recommendation and parent information if you like, but please limit it to two pages.

I hereby affirm that all of the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, I must provide evidence and receipts of how the funds are used and ensure that the purpose of the activity embodies the qualities and ideals shared by Noah Warren Cohen.

Signature of Scholarship Applicant

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 18)

Date