

The Hartman Family Scholarship

Colfax Elementary School • 2026-2027

The Hartman Family Scholarship was formed in December 2022 to honor Kale & Kathy Hartman. Their family supported and volunteered for many years at Colfax and led the Colfax Basketball and Cheer program for over a decade. The Hartmans have three sons who all participated in the basketball program and attended Colfax Elementary. Kale and Kathy Hartman are amazing stewards of the Viking Community. Their family represents all that you want to see on and off the court. Sportsmanship, teamwork, community leaders and giving hearts. Their family and their service will be forever remembered with this scholarship.

The Hartman Family Scholarship will cover the cost for one basketball player from K-2 and one basketball player 3-5 and one cheerleader from K-2 and one cheerleader from 3-5, including the uniform. The scholarship is supported by the Colfax Elementary PTO.

The application process for the scholarship is as follows:

- Applicants must apply for the scholarship.
- Applications must be received by October 9th at dismissal
- Scholarship recipients will be notified by October 14th

Applications must include the following:

Grades K-2

- A drawing of basketball (for those applying for basketball) or a drawing of cheer (for those applying for cheer) that shows their love for the sport, teamwork, and sportsmanship.
- Drawings must be completed by the student.
- Drawings must be completed on an 8.5x11 white copy paper sheet.
- Must include a recommendation from the child's teacher
- Must be a Colfax Elementary student
- Must try their best in the classroom
- Must demonstrate good sportsmanship
- Student's name, grade and teacher's name must be on all paperwork submitted.

Grades 3-5

- A one-page letter that explains why they love basketball/cheer and how it helps them improve teamwork and show sportsmanship
- Must include a recommendation from the child's teacher
- Must be a Colfax Elementary student
- Must try their best in the classroom
- Must demonstrate good sportsmanship
- Student's name, grade and teacher's name must be on all paperwork submitted.

Please return all applications to the office by October 9th at 2:15pm. Applications that are submitted late will not be accepted. Applications must be completed by the student only apart from the teacher recommendation letter. Recipients will be featured in the 2026-2027 yearbook. If a scholarship recipient has already paid for their basketball or cheer fees, refunds will be given to those scholarship recipients.