

Deb Flemming Memorial Scholarship

Deb Wendland Flemming's passion, after her family and friends, was journalism. She worked as a reporter, copy editor and editor and relished mentoring young journalists. During her lifetime, she worked at the newspapers in Waseca, Owatonna, Mankato and Traverse City, Mich. At the time of her death in 2022, she was the news editor of the Steele County Times. She was a passionate believer in the First Amendment, the public's right to know and open meetings and records.

This scholarship will go to a female individual who plans to major in a field of study related to Journalism. In addition, this individual should strongly exemplify Deb's beliefs.

This \$1,500 scholarship will be awarded to a student in furthering their education at a 4 year university or college in a field of study related to Journalism.

Eligibility:

1. Must be a female graduating senior from OHS
2. Must be committed to a 4 – year university or college
3. Must be planning a major in Journalism or related field
4. Funds must be used in the year awarded

Application

Name:

University or College You Plan to Attend:

Planned Major:

Activities/Hobbies You Are Involved In:

Current GPA:

Please include an essay (200 words or less): Are newspapers still important? Why?

Send completed paperwork to Joni Churchill in the OHS Counseling Office by April 21, 2025.