THE PAULETTE AND JERRY ADAMS SCHOLARSHIP FOR EXCELLENCE IN LEARNING

This scholarship was established by Dr. Paulette Freeman Adams '60, a former member of the Board of Directors at Assumption High School, and her husband Jerry Adams to provide a tuition grant to a current freshman or sophomore student who qualifies for financial aid.

Dr. Adams was a well-rounded student in her high school days at Assumption. She was involved with many student activities such as the Glee Club, Scholarship Club, Sodality, CAP's and Speech Clubs. Today, Dr. Adams, a former Board Member, is parishioner at St. Michael's Catholic Church and is retired as a Professor of Nursing at the University of Louisville School of Nursing.

Paulette and Jerry's careers were dedicated to education. They endowed this scholarship to ensure that more young students have access to the academic and faith-filled education that is offered at Assumption.

This \$500 scholarship is awarded to a **current** freshman or sophomore who meets the following criteria and it will be applied to their tuition for the following school year:

- 1. Students(s) must demonstrate need and apply for aid based upon the School's formal financial aid application process,
- 2. Maintain B average or above,
- 3. Be involved in school-related activities,
- 4. Demonstrate academic achievement,
- 5. Demonstrate leadership in community service or extracurricular activities and,
- 6. Applicants should be positive role models both in and outside of school; good representatives of AHS values; a and be in good academic and disciplinary standing and not have any significant attendance issues.

Submissions for this scholarship should be in the form of a typed essay which refers to the criteria above and includes your goals for high school and aspirations for your future. The essay should be two double-spaced pages.

DEADLINE - Submit to jackie.bloyd@ahsrockets.org by **8:00 p.m., Monday, January 16, 2023**. You will receive a confirmation email within 24 hours. **IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE A CONFIRMATION EMAIL** you must contact Jackie Bloyd at 271-2511 within 24 hours of the deadline. The winner will be contacted by February 27, 2023 and announced at an assembly on May 12, 2023.