



KANSAS
FINANCIAL
SCHOLARS

2nd Annual Essay Scholarship CONTEST

Grand
Prize=
\$2500

Sponsored by the Offices of the Kansas Securities Commissioner and Bank Commissioner

Seniors-You can win one of SEVERAL scholarships by writing about the importance of *personal finance!*



Last year's \$2500 scholarship winner, Abby Oberle from De Soto High, with the Governor

THE ESSAY:

In a 1-2 page profile, discuss someone whose personal financial decisions and example have positively impacted your life or the lives of others. The person may be personally known to you or world-renowned.

Then, in a 3-6 page analysis, provide application of the financial decisions you are making now in light of what you've learned from the person you profiled.



ELIGIBILITY

The contest is open to any public, private or home-schooled Kansas high school SENIOR who is planning to attend a KANSAS school of higher education and who has or is participating in 1 of 3 KSC or OSBC sponsored programs: EverFi, The Stock Market Game or Life\$markets.

To enroll for free today in a sponsored program & be eligible for the contest, call 800.232.9580

For complete information on eligibility, writing assignment and prizes, visit ksc.ks.gov/scholarship or email shannon.stone@ksc.ks.gov.

PRIZES

- 1st Place: \$2,500
- 2nd Place: \$2,000
- 3rd Place: \$1,500
- 4th Place: \$1,000
- 5th Place: \$500

Plus ten \$100 Honorable Mention awards!

IMPORTANT

ESSAYS DUE:
**Friday,
April 1, 2016**