

MAYC Foundation
Lee Jessup Youth Leadership Award & Scholarship

\$500
(additional \$500 each year up to \$2000)

The Annual Lee Jessup Youth Leadership Award and Scholarship has been established by the MAYC Foundation to honor the memory and legacy of Lee Jessup.

Lee Jessup was a lifelong educator who served for 27 years as Principal at Seymour Grade School and Lincoln Trail Elementary School. More than an educator, he was a “larger than life” leader within the community who exemplified the qualities that he endeavored to impart to the thousands of students who passed through the doors of his school. He was also a founding member and past President of the Mahomet Area Youth Club (MAYC) Executive Board, and served as a leader, volunteer and major supporter of that organization for 23 years, from its founding in 1994 until his death in 2017.

Eligible Candidates:

Any graduating Mahomet-Seymour Student, including Alternative School students, who plans to pursue post-secondary education (college or vocational training.)

Fiscal Parameters:

The scholarship award will be \$500 payable to an accredited institution to which the recipient has been accepted. Recipient will receive \$500 each year of post-secondary education up to 4 years, totaling \$2000.

Criteria:

- Has participated in and been impacted by MAYC supported programs or activities during his/her time as a student in the Mahomet-Seymour School System.
- community service
- Economic need
- GPA: 2.5+ or raised his/her GPA by a significant amount during the academic year.

Applications are due to Mr. Lybarger, Counseling Office by April 2nd, 2018 3:30 pm