**PURPOSE:** This scholarship is available through the Damillion Jaize Legacy Foundation. The intent is to recognize a deserving Weld County High School student who is pursuing further education.

**VALUE:** $1,000.00 (One Thousand Dollars)

**DEADLINE: May 31, 2024**

**ELIGIBILITY:**

1. 2024 graduating senior from Weld County, CO.
2. Minimum 2.5 GPA.
3. Planning to enroll at a trade/technical school, 2 or 4-year college or university.
4. The scholarship will be given in consideration of the applicants:

* Character
* Participation in school and community activities
* Academic promise
* Essay

**DIRECTIONS:**

Complete the application as instructed.

Attach school acceptance letter: From College/University/Trade/Technical school.

Attach a transcript.

Attach a resume that describes extracurricular activities, employment, community service, awards, and honors.

Attach your essay on the specified topic.

Electronic signature and date on final page.

**Application**

Applicant Name:  Type to enter name

Date of Birth: Click or tap to enter a date.

Student Current Mailing Address & Phone:

Type to enter address.

Phone number.

1St Parent's Name, Mailing Address & phone (if different):

Type to enter address.

Phone number.

2nd Parent's Name, Mailing Address & phone (if different):

Type to enter address.

Phone number.

College/Trade School You Plan to Attend Using Scholarship:

Click or tap here to enter text.

Address of Financial Aid Office/Trade School to Send Funds:

Type to enter address.

Phone number.

Course of Study:

Click or tap here to enter text.

Briefly Describe your Educational and Vocational Goals (100 words or less):

Click or tap here to enter text.

**ESSAY REQUIREMENTS:**

Damillion’s passing was, significantly, due to his mental health and his recent battle with depression. The mission of our foundation is to bring awareness and provide support to those who may struggle with their mental health. Our hope is by sharing Damillion’s story and raising awareness to this growing epidemic we can reduce teen suicide in our communities.

**Research an Organization that is dedicated to mental health, crisis management, and suicide prevention. Write a 500-1500 word essay addressing the topic below. Include resources available through the organization found through your research (cite your source):**

**How has mental health or suicide affected you or a loved one? How has your experience with mental health influenced your beliefs, relationships, career, and life goals?**

**Essay**

Click or tap here to enter text or attach typed essay to application.

**Applicant Electronic Signature:** Legal Name

**Date:** Click or tap to enter a date.

**RETURN APPLICATION AND ESSAY**

**TO** [**info@damillionjaize-legacyfoundation.org**](mailto:info@damillionjaize-legacyfoundation.org) **BY MAY 31, 2024**