Greetings to the Guidance Department,

This email is intended for School Counselors and Department Secretaries who make students aware of scholarship opportunities. If you are not the right person for your district, please let us know via return email to whom this should have been sent.

Fields of Learning (<u>www.fieldsoflearning.org</u>) is pleased to announce the launch of our 2024 Scholarship Program. We began in 2004 with a single award, and have expanded our program to offer five \$1000 scholarships for 2024. Please visit our site and check out the 2023 and Past Winners. Last year our winners were from 4 Ohio schools: Ashland, Kirtland, Madison, Liberty Center and Rockdale County Georgia was the fifth.

Our scholarships are awarded based on an essay contest where students from high schools, primarily in Ohio, submit essays of between 700 and 1500 words with the theme being "Something I learned related to high school football." It is not in any way limited to football players, and we have had almost equal numbers of boys and girls submit essays and win awards over the years. The web site provides complete instructions including how the essays will be judged and where to send emails or hard copies. The deadline for submitting essays this year is April 30, 2024.

Please spread the word in your district about Fields of Learning and our contest. If you have any questions, ideas, or comments, please email us at <u>admin@fieldsoflearning.org</u> or call us at 440-256-3757.

We look forward to receiving essays from your district!

Sincerely,

The Fields of Learning Team