

THE SYNNOTT SCHOLARSHIP

In 2003, Dr. Tom Synnott, a caring and visionary educator, created Aurora Public School's (APS) Options School program. Since that beginning eleven years ago, thousands of home-schooled students have benefitted from the many educational programs and services provided by the Options Program. Many have earned a significant number of college credits through Options' Concurrent Enrollment and ASCENT Programs while countless others received sound preparation for the next chapters of their lives.

Once again, the APS Options Program is pleased to announce the Synnott Scholarship which will be given to a graduating senior who is pursuing a college or a technical school degree. The scholarship may be used for any college expense (tuition, room and board, fees, books) and will be paid directly to the recipient's college. Applications for the Synnott Scholarship will be available from any of the Options sites beginning in January.

The Synnott Scholarship will be funded by generous donations made by families and by Options faculty/staff members who recognize the value of the APS Options program to students, families, and the home school community. It is why we ask you to donate to the Synnott Scholarship. Donations are tax deductible and do not have to be large. In fact, it would be wonderful if a great number of individuals contributed just a little bit to fund this Options scholarship. Ten (\$10) dollars from many generous souls will make a huge difference, and we hope you can commit this small amount to The Synnott Scholarship.

100% of your donation will go directly to the Synnott Scholarship. It is hoped that through your generous donations, Aurora Public Schools Options Program will be able to give a \$1000-\$1500 scholarship to a worthy and deserving Options senior each year. Please take a moment, at this time of Thanksgiving, to show your appreciation for the Options Program by making a generous donation to The Synnott Scholarship. Please mail your donation to Options Synnott Scholarship, 11351 E. Montview Blvd., Aurora, Co 80010. We appreciate your support for The Synnott Scholarship, and we look forward to hearing from you!

As your donation is tax deductible, and you may detach the summary below for your income tax records.

The Synnott Scholarship is thankful for your generous donation of \$_____ made on _____.

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