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WESTERN AWARDS SIX INSIGNIS SCHOLARSHIPS

St. Joseph, Mo.—April 2, 2003—The honors program at Missouri Western State College recently awarded six Donald E. Hardman Insignis scholarships. Insignis scholars, who will begin their studies at Western in the fall of 2003, receive a \$4,000 per year renewable scholarship in addition to the Presidential Scholarship they were awarded. Criteria for the scholarship include a high school GPA of 3.5 or higher, rank in the top 10 percent of their high school class, a score of 26 or higher on the ACT, and involvement in extracurricular activities.

Scholarship awardees include Kelly Maloy, Brookfield, Mo.; Daniel Kirk, Emporia, Kan.; Maggie Apt, Iola, Kan.; Rachel Lyday, Orrick, Mo.; Natalie Bailey, Sedalia, Mo; and Mary Kariker, Union Star, Mo.

Missouri Western State College is a four-year public institution providing a blend of traditional liberal arts and professional degree programs. The college offers student-centered, high quality instruction that focuses on experience-based learning, community service, and state-of-the-art technology. Western is located in St. Joseph, Mo. and is committed to the educational, economic, cultural and social development of the region it serves.

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