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## **SIX STUDENTS AWARDED REIPLINGER SCHOLARSHIP FROM WESTERN**

**St. Joseph, Mo.** —Aug. 1, 2003—The Missouri Western State College

Foundation has awarded the Pete O. Reiplinger Memorial Scholarship to six students:

- Thaddeus Marr, Grandview, Mo., sophomore computer science major.
- Ben Chlapek, Liberty, Mo., freshman commercial art major.
- Amanda Atkinson, St. Joseph, junior general studies major.
- Bradley Nelson, St. Joseph, freshman general studies major.
- Brooke Pasley, St. Joseph, sophomore biology major.
- Dana Winslow, St. Joseph, freshman nursing major.

The scholarship is from the estate of Pete O. Reiplinger, a 1934 St. Joseph Junior College alumnus. Applicants must be a fulltime student with a minimum grade point average of 2.5, and preference is given to children of members of the St. Joseph Fire Department. The award is for the 2003-2004 academic year.

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