Rising Scholars is important, not just for the individual scholars who will benefit directly from this program, but also for our entire community. Rising Scholars will raise up individuals, families, businesses and our entire community. We are wrapping the scholars in a blanket of support. We want them to do well academically and also to develop into well-rounded individuals who will stay in our community to work and live.

— Susan Stocker Ph.D.
Dean and Chief Administrative Officer

The heart of the Ashtabula Rising Scholars program is acknowledging the internal spark within each of the students and igniting it to nurture the whole person. The scholars, mentors and director combine our strengths to elevate one another. Everyone learns and grows by forming unique bonds that weave a web of support. Our common ground is our heritage. Our hope is in our future. Together we rise.

— Natalie Huya
Program Director, Ashtabula Rising Scholars

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