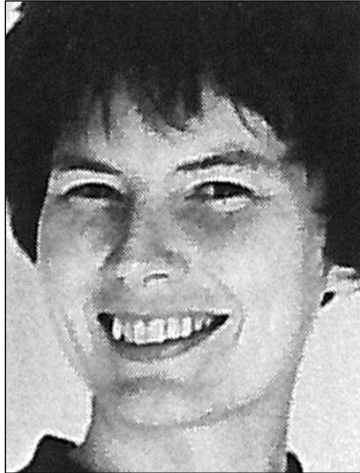




Janet Fraser Scholarship
Greater Worcester Community Foundation

Janet Fraser grew up in Wellesley, MA and attended Wellesley public schools. In 1957, she graduated with a B.A. from Wellesley College, where she was both a Durant Scholar and Phi Beta Kappa. In 1960, she received an M.A. from the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy at Tufts University.

After teaching history at Abbot Academy in Andover, she worked during the 1960's as Director of Adult Education for the Unitarian-Universalist Association headquarters in Boston. She continued her career at Harvard University as the Associate Director of the Kennedy Institute of Politics. In 1979, Janet took over the management of Fraser's Flowers, the Wellesley business that her family founded in 1914. She had purchased the business in 1968.

A student of history and an enthusiast of old buildings, Janet moved into an historic Arts and Crafts home in Medway, MA in 1983. She loved the town of Medway and wished to share some of her interests and educational opportunities with its young people. Janet passed away from a terminal illness in 1996. This scholarship was established in 1999 by an anonymous donor. It is awarded to students from the town of Medway who have demonstrated academic excellence, leadership and service.

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