

The Community Foundation of Howard County, Inc.



Richard L. & Marion J. Eller Scholarship Application Form

- For qualified students of Clay, Ervin and Howard Townships in (Howard County, Ind.) who plan to attend a post secondary college, university, or trade school in Indiana on a full-time basis nine months or more per year, unless the trade school is for less than nine months. **Preference will be given to students pursuing a degree in agricultural-related studies.**
- The scholarship recipients will be determined without regard to race, gender, religion or religious affiliation. The scholarship award(s) shall be made based on the following criteria:
 - (1) **pursuit of a bachelor's degree;**
 - (2) **academic achievement;**
 - (3) **good character;**
 - (4) **good citizenship (school & community involvement);**
 - (5) **good work ethic**
 - (6) **recommendation from a faculty or staff member of the high school with respect to the nominated student; and**
 - (7) **financial need.**

Please complete and return this form by March 23, 2012 to:

Community Foundation of Howard County, Inc.
Attn: Richard L. Eller Scholarship
215 W. Sycamore St.
Kokomo, IN 46901

If you have questions, you may contact the Foundation office by phone at:
(765) 454-7298 or e-mail kim@cfhoward.org
Web Site: www.cfhoward.org

(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT THE FOLLOWING DATA)

Personal Profile

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone (____) _____

Date of Birth ___ / ___ / ___ E-mail Address _____ Cell Phone (____) _____

Name of father/stepfather/guardian _____

Employer _____ Position _____

Address if different from student's _____

Name of mother/stepmother/guardian _____

Employer _____ Position _____

Address if different from student's _____

If applicable, please complete the following:

Spouse _____ Number of Children _____

Employer _____ Position _____

Check if applicable ___ Father deceased ___ Mother deceased ___ Parents divorced

Family Information

Number of brothers and sisters: Younger: _____ Older (If dependent) _____

Ages of brothers and sisters: _____

Number (including self) in post-high school education next year: _____

Financial Data for 2011

Student's Income _____ Mother's Income _____ Father's Income _____

If applicable: Stepfather's Income _____ Stepmother's Income _____

If additional questions should arise with regard to the financial data requested, the foundation reserves the right to request for review a copy of the most recent tax return filed by the applicant, or the applicant's parents, if dependent.

Estimated Financial Resources: (List any other financial assistance being received in the form of grants, scholarships and/or loans. Please indicate if these awards are one-time or renewable awards.

Type of Assistance	Source	Amount

Are you a 21st Century Scholar? ___ Yes ___ No

Do you prefer to attend a private college or university? _____

Awards & Honors - List all awards and honors you have received (school & otherwise) during the last 4 years.

Goals and Aspirations (type or print in 50 words or less)

Describe your personal and educational goals including plans for your career and your future.

Application Checklist

This application for a scholarship becomes complete and valid only when completed in its entirety with all required attachments:

- Student Application
- Transcript of grades
- Letters of recommendation from a school faculty member/administrator and also from An employer or community member. These individuals must be someone other than a relative.

Forward to: Community Foundation of Howard County Inc.
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Certification

In submitting this application I certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted.

Applicant's signature: _____

Date: _____

Eligibility Requirements: A child, step-child, grandchild, step-grandchild, great grandchild, step-great grandchild, spouse, brother, sister, and spouses of everyone listed previously of someone who during the last five years has served as a member of the Scholarship Committee, Northwestern High School staff that has been associated with the selection of scholarships awarded by the Community Foundation of Howard County, Inc., been a Board Member or a regular full-time and/or regular part-time employee of the Community Foundation of Howard County, Inc., is not eligible for scholarships awarded by the Community Foundation.