

## Friends of Grass Lake Township

PO Box 762

Grass Lake, MI 49240

### Re: Scholarship Application and Info

Dear Student:

Thank you for your interest in the Friends of Grass Lake Township Scholarship Program. This scholarship is open to graduating seniors from Grass Lake High School and the funds must be used for post High School education for the Fall 2023 college semester (College, University, or Trade School).



#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON HOW TO WRITE YOUR ESSAY:

Your essay must contain the major reasons that you have performed Community Service, over and above your required community service for graduation. This scholarship will be based on your ability to share with our Scholarship Committee, your desire to continue your service to your community and how you are going to go about that.

The Scholarship Committee will focus on the following criteria:

- Career and Educational Goals - Commitment to your area of interest
- Community Service - Reasons for extended Community Service
- Academic – minimum 2.5 GPA (on a 4.0 scale)
- Financial Need
- Two letters of recommendation (non-family members)
- 250-word essay

*Your completed application must include:*

- 1) Application form
- 2) Letters of recommendation (minimum 2 letters)
- 3) Essay (250 words minimum)

Essay must address the following:

- Career and Educational Goals
- Commitment to your area of interest
- Reasons for extended Community Service
- Financial Need

Staple all pages together and return to The Friends of Grass Lake Township by April 15, 2023.

Applications may be mailed or dropped off to the Dale Fisher Galleries (Call Joanne at 517-522-3705 first).

Applications must be postmarked by April 15, 2023.

Mail to: Friends of Grass Lake Township

Attn: Scholarship Committee

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The Friends of Grass Lake Township Board and the Scholarship Committee, will select the winners of the four \$1,000 scholarships.

Qualified recipients will be notified during the second week of May 2023. Winners and their family will be invited to attend the Friend's Senior Awards Presentation.

We look forward to meeting you and recognizing your achievement at that time.

For further information, call Joanne: 517-522-3705 / GrassLakeFriends@gmail.com

Joanne Ackerman

Scholarship Chairman

Friends of Grass Lake Township

## Application for Friends of Grass Lake Township Scholarship

APPLICANT'S NAME				DATE	
ADDRESS		CITY		STATE	ZIP CODE
PHONE NUMBER		High School Name / County			
EMAIL ADDRESS					
PARENT (S) or GUARDIAN (S)			PARENT (S) or GUARDIAN (S)		
ADDRESS			ADDRESS		
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
DATE OF GRADUATION	GPA (4.0 scale)	NAME OF COLLEGE OR TECHNICAL SCHOOL YOU PLAN TO ATTEND			
CURRICULUM YOU PLAN TO PURSUE				BEGINNING DATE OF SEMESTER	
HOW DID YOU CHOOSE THIS CURRICULUM?					
LIST ANY ACADEMIC, ARTISTIC, SOCIAL, OR ATHLETIC HONORS RECEIVED					
LIST <b>IN DETAIL</b> COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT/SERVICE ACTIVITIES (Including school sponsored activity. Use additional paper to write this)					

*Remember to Include your 250 word essay*

LIST ANY COMMUNITY RELATED AWARDS OR HONORS

LIST ANY SCHOOL SPONSORED EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES PURSUED DURING HIGH SCHOOL

LIST ANY JOBS HELD DURING HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE. INCLUDE THE EMPLOYER AND YOUR POSITION AND/OR DUTIES

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL NEED (use additional paper if needed )

IS THERE ANY OTHER INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF THAT YOU THINK WILL BE HELPFUL TO THE SELECTION COMMITTEE? (Use additional paper if necessary)

**COUNSELOR'S / PRINCIPAL'S CERTIFICATION:**

TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF, I HEREBY VERIFY THAT THE ACADEMIC INFORMATION AND SUMMARY OF SCHOOL ACTIVITIES AS SUBMITTED IN THIS APPLICATION ARE CORRECT AND THAT THE APPLICANT MEETS THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS OUTLINED.

PRINCIPAL/ COUNSELOR'S SIGNATURE (Required)

DATE

PRINCIPAL/ COUNSELOR'S PRINTED NAME

STUDENT'S SIGNATURE

DATE