# 2021 Universal Scholarship Application

#### Battle Creek Community Foundation

## Instructions

If you have questions contact us **HERE** and you will receive correspondence within one business day.

Each question on the application is designed to save individually. You can revisit your application as many times as you need before submitting. **ONCE THE APPLICATION IS SUBMITTED ALL ANSWERS WILL BE LOCKED IN PLACE!** 

## Common Questions

**Applicant Information** 

#### **Last Name**

Character Limit: 250

## Last four digits of your Social Security Number\*

If you do not have a SSN, please enter 0000

Character Limit: 4

#### Date of Birth\*

Character Limit: 10

#### Gender\*

Please note when selecting "other" you may not be eligible for some scholarships.

#### Choices

Female

Male

Other

# Please specify your ethnicity\*

#### Choices

Asian/Pacific Islander
Black or African American
Hispanic or Latino
Multi Racial
Native American or American Indian

White/Caucasion

#### Other

## High School or High School Equivalency\*

#### Choices

Athens High School

**Battle Creek Academy** 

Battle Creek Central High School

Bellevue High School

Calhoun Christian School

Calhoun Community High School

Climax-Scotts High School

**Delton Kellogg Schools** 

**GED Equivalency** 

Harper Creek High School

HiSet Equivalency

Home School

Homer High School

Lakeview High School

Marshall Academy

Marshall Alternative High School

Marshall High School

Olivet High School

Other

Pennfield High School

St. Philip High School

TASC Equivalency

**Tekonsha Community Schools** 

**Union City Community Schools** 

W. K. Kellogg Prep

## If "other" enter the name of your High School here:

Character Limit: 100

## High School Graduation Date\*

Character Limit: 10

## Type of Student\*

#### Choices

High School Graduating Senior

Adult

#### Cumulative GPA\*

(Current Year Grade Point Average)

Character Limit: 20

#### SAT Score\*

If none, enter 9999

#### Character Limit: 4

#### Residence\*

NOTE: Greater Battle Creek Area includes cities of Battle Creek and Springfield and the townships of Bedford, Emmett and Pennfield.

#### **Choices**

Calhoun County
City of Battle Creek
City of Springfield
Greater Battle Creek Area
Not Specified
Outside of Calhoun County

## Are you a "first generation" college student?\*

#### Choices

Yes

No

## Have you attended the Calhoun Area Career Center (CACC)\*

#### Choices

Yes

No

## Have you attended the Battle Creek Area Math & Science Center\*

#### Choices

Yes

No

## Most Recent Transcript\*

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## College/University or Technical School you are planning to attend\*

#### Choices

Academy of Art University

Adrian College

Albion College

Albright College

Alma College

**Anderson University** 

**Andrews University** 

Aquinas College

Arizona State University

**Austin Peay State University** 

Baker College of Jackson

Baker College of Muskegon

Baker College of Owosso

**Baldwin Wallace University** 

**Ball State University** 

**Baylor University** 

**Bethel College** 

**Boise State University** 

**Bowling Green State University** 

**Brigham Young University** 

Calvin College

Cedarville University

Central Michigan University

Chicago State University

Colorado State University

Columbia College Chicago

Concordia Language Villages

Concordia University

**Cornerstone University** 

Davenport University/B.C.

**Davidson College** 

**Defiance College** 

**Denison University** 

**DePaul University** 

Eastern Michigan University

Ferris State University

Franciscan University of Steubenville

**Frontier Nursing University** 

**Full Sail University** 

Georgetown University

Glen Oaks Community College

Grace College and Seminary

**Grand Rapids Community College** 

**Grand Valley State University** 

Great Lakes Christian College

Greenville College

Hillsdale College

Hope College

**Howard University** 

**Huntington University** 

Illinois State University

Illinois Wesleyan University

Indiana University-Bloomington

Indiana University-Purdue University of Fort Wayne

Indiana Wesleyan University

Jackson Community College

Johnson & Wales University

Kalamazoo College

Kalamazoo Valley Community College

Kellogg Community College

Kendall College of Art and Design

Kent State University

**Kettering University** 

**Kutztown University** 

**Kuyper College** 

Lake Michigan Community College

Lake Superior State University

**Lansing Community College** 

Lawrence Technological University

**Liberty University** 

Louisiana State University New Orleans

Madonna University

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

McDaniel College

McHenry County College

Michigan Career Technical Institute

Michigan State University

Michigan Technological University

Northern Michigan University

Northwood University

**Oakland University** 

Ohio Northern University

**Ohio State University** 

Ohio University

Olivet College

Olivet Nazarene University

Other

**Purdue University** 

Purdue University Calumet

Purdue University of Indianapolis

Regency Beauty Institute

Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology

Sacred Heart Major Seminary

Saginaw Valley State University

San Diego State University

Scripps College

Shelton State Community College

Siena Heights University

Southern Methodist University

Southern Nazarene University

Southwestern Assemblies of God University

Southwestern Michigan College

Spring Arbor University

Spring Arbor University/Battle Creek

Syracuse University

Texas A & M University

The Salon Professional Academy

Trine University

Undecided-College

**United States Military Academy** 

University of Dayton

University of Findlay

University of Indianapolis

University of Kentucky

University of Michigan

University of Michigan Flint

University of Minnesota-Twin Cities

University of Nebraska - Lincoln

University of North Carolina Pembroke

University of Northwestern Ohio

University of Notre Dame

University of Phoenix

University of Tampa

University of Toledo

University of Utah

University of Vermont

University of Wisconsin-River Falls

Valparaiso University

Walden University

Washington and Lee University

Wayne State University

Western Michigan University

Westminster Choir College

## If "Other" enter your College/University or Technical School here

Character Limit: 100

## Area of Study\*

#### Choices

**Arts & Communications** 

Business, Management, Marketing & Technology

Engineering/Manufacturing & Industrial Technology

**General Studies** 

**Health Sciences** 

**Human Services** 

Natural Resources & Agriculture

# **Arts & Communication**

#### **Arts & Communication**

#### Choices

Advertising

Broadcasting

**Creative Writing** 

**English** 

Film Studies

Fine Art

Foreign Languages
Graphic Art and Design
Interior Design
Journalism
Music
Performing Art

**Public Relations** 

# Business, Management, Marketing & Technology

# Business, Management, Marketing & Technology

#### **Choices**

Accounting

**Business** 

Communications

Computer/Information Science

**Economics** 

**Finance** 

Hospitality/Tourism Management

**Human Resources Management** 

Marketing

Office Administration

Sales

Statistics

Web Design/Development

# Engineering/Manufacturing & Industrial Technology

# **Engineering/Manufacturing & Industrial Technology**

#### **Choices**

Architecture

**Automotive Technology** 

Aviation

**Computer Engineering** 

**Construction Management** 

Electrical

**Electronics** 

Engineering

Heating/Air Conditioning

Industrial/Mechanical Drafting

Manufacturing

Math

Mechanical Engineering

**Physics** 

Plumbing

**Robotics** 

Science

**Skilled Trades** 

Technology

Welding

## Health Sciences

## **Health Sciences**

#### Choices

Acupuncture

Art/Music Therapy

Audiology

**Biology** 

Chemistry

**Dental Assistant** 

Dentistry

**Emergency Medical Services** 

**Exercise Science** 

Health

**Holistic Health** 

Medicine

Nursing

Nutrition

Optometry

Pharmacy

Physical Therapy & Rehabilitation

Physician Assistant

Radiology

Science

Speech Therapy

Veterinary Medicine

Veterinary Technician

Therapy and Rehabilitation

# **Human Services**

#### **Human Services**

#### **Choices**

Cosmetology

Counseling

**Culinary Arts** 

Early Childhood Education

Education

**Educational Leadership** 

History

International Relations

Law and Legal Studies

Law Enforcement

Massage Therapy

Nonprofit Administration/Management

Philosophy

**Political Science** 

Teaching-students with a hearing impairment

Theology

# Natural Resources & Agriculture

## Natural Resources & Agriculture\*

#### Choices

Agribusiness Management

Agriculture

**Animal Science** 

Astronomy

**Biology** 

**Botany** 

Chemistry

Crop & Soil Science/Horticulture

Entomology

**Environmental Studies and Sustainability** 

**Food Science** 

Geography

Landscape Architecture

**Natural Resources Management** 

Veterinary Medicine

Veterinary Technician

Zoology

## **GED** Information

## When did you complete a GED, HiSET, or TASC

Character Limit: 10

## **Activities**

#### **Activities**

List the activities you participate in while you are not in class. Activities may include clubs,

internships, volunteer hours, athletics, hobbies, or positions of leadership in your school, community or faith-based organization. List it in order by grade.

## **Activity/Position Held 1:**

i.e. Basketball Team Captain

Character Limit: 250

## **Grade(s) participated 1:**

i.e. 9th - 12th grade

Character Limit: 250

How long did you participate in this activity? 1

Hours / Weeks / Years (i.e. 3 years)

Character Limit: 250

Would you like to add a second activity?

Choices

Yes

## Activities 2

## **Activity/Position Held 2:**

i.e. Basketball Team Captain

Character Limit: 250

## **Grade(s) participated 2:**

i.e. 9th - 12th grade

Character Limit: 250

## How long did you participate in this activity? 2:

Hours / Weeks / Years (i.e. 3 years)

Character Limit: 250

## Would you like to add a third activity?

Choices

Yes

# Activities 3

# **Activity/Position Held 3:**

i.e. Basketball Team Captain

Character Limit: 250

## **Grade(s) participated 3:**

i.e. 9th - 12th grade

Character Limit: 250

# How long did you participate in this activity? 3

Hours / Weeks / Years (i.e. 3 years)

Character Limit: 250

# Would you like to add a fourth activity?

**Choices** 

Yes

## Activities 4

## **Activity/Position Held 4:**

i.e. Basketball Team Captain

Character Limit: 250

## **Grade(s) participated 4:**

i.e. 9th - 12th grade

Character Limit: 250

# How long did you participate in this activity? 4

Hours/Weeks/Years (i.e. 3 years)

Character Limit: 250

#### **More Activities**

Choices

I would like to add more activities

## Activities 5

# **Activity/Position Held 5:**

i.e. Basketball Team Captain

Character Limit: 250

## **Grade(s)** participated 5:

i.e. 9th - 12th grade

## How long did you participate in this activity? 5

Hours/Weeks/Years (i.e. 3 years)

Character Limit: 250

# **Employment Information**

## **Employer 1 Name**

Name of your employer

Character Limit: 250

#### Position 1 Held

List the position that you hold/held with this employer

Character Limit: 250

#### Start Date 1

First day of employment

Character Limit: 10

#### **End Date**

Last date of employment-blank if still working there

Character Limit: 10

## **Additional Employment Information**

#### Choices

I would like to add another employer.

# Additional Employer 2

## **Employer 2 Name**

Name of the employer

Character Limit: 250

#### **Position 2 Held**

List the position that you held with this employer

Character Limit: 250

#### Start Date 2

First day of employment

#### **End Date 2**

Last day of employment

Character Limit: 10

#### **Additional Employment Information**

#### **Choices**

I would like to add another employer

# Additional Employer 3

## **Employer 3 Name**

Name of the employer

Character Limit: 250

#### Position 3 Held

List the position that you held with this employer

Character Limit: 250

#### Start Date 3

First day of employment

Character Limit: 10

#### **End Date 3**

Last day of employment

Character Limit: 10

# Financial Information

# General Scholarship Essay\*

In the space provided briefly explain why obtaining post-secondary education or training is important. If you have chosen an area of study, elaborate on what lead you to this particular area. Choose one activity or experience that you have been involved in and what you have personally gained by participating in that activity or experience.

Character Limit: 5000

# Expected Family Contribution (EFC)\*

This is found on your Student Aid Report (SAR) from your FAFSA

#### **Unusual Financial Circumstances**

Use this portion of the application to describe any unusual financial circumstances or hardships you or your family have experienced that are barriers to achieving post secondary education or training. This may reflect a number of things including, but not limited: loss of employment, debts, health issues, etc.

Character Limit: 1500

## Living Arrangements Summary\*

In the space provided, please describe your current living arrangements: How many people live in your primary home. How many people in your home are in school K-12 and how many are in college? Feel free to share any other living arrangements you feel would be important for the committee to know. If you come from a single parent household (single mother or single father) you may want to identify that here (BCCF has scholarships particularly for this).

Character Limit: 1500

#### 2021-2022 School Year FAFSA\*

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#### **College Financial Aid Award Letter**

For 2021-2022 School Year

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# Essay

## LSEF-Pastor Scholarship Essay\*

"Please explain why you chose this particular major field of study in college and in what ways do you think it will benefit the wider society?"

Character Limit: 5000

## Amy Yeast Tennis Scholarship\*

Type a one page statement and explain what a team concept means to you. As well as, what positive attributes have you gained from learning and participating in the sport of tennis? And, describe some positive experiences you have had while participating in tennis.

Character Limit: 5000

## Ann J. Kellogg/Lincoln Graduates Scholarship Essay\*

Write about our most memorable elementary school experience. Make sure to include your teachers name in your essay.

## ASMO Manufacturing Scholarship Essay\*

Please provide a letter with the full name and your relationship to the parent who works for ASMO Manufacturing.

Character Limit: 1000

## Athens-Stacy Hart Livingston Live Love Laugh Scholarship Essay\*

Write an essay on "Embracing the concept of LIVE, LOVE, LAUGH through adversity."

Character Limit: 5000

## AMBUCS Essay\*

Provide contact information for TWO people not related to you, who you have known for at least two years, and may be contacted for a reference if required.

Character Limit: 2000

## Battle Creek Central High School Class of 1949 Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a statement and identify an adult who has had an influence in their life and how that adult has exhibited the six characteristics of: trustworthiness, respect for others, responsibility, fairness, caring and citizenship.

Character Limit: 5000

## Bill Evans Athletic Scholarship Essay\*

In a one page essay describe how your involvement in athletics has prepared you to meet the challenges of life.

Character Limit: 5000

## Battle Creek Central High School Class of 1951 Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a statement and identify an adult who has had an influence in their life and how that adult has exhibited the six characteristics of: trustworthiness, respect for others, responsibility, fairness, caring and citizenship.

Character Limit: 5000

# CACC Bettie & Jim Cox Manufacturing Technology Scholarship Essay\*

In a one page statement "Why have you chosen to pursue a career in manufacturing technology?"

Character Limit: 5000

## CACC-Roger & Kim Pitzer CACC Scholarship Essay\*

Please provide a brief statement to describe how extra encouragement or effort was helpful to your success.

#### Calhoun County Retired School Personnel Information\*

The Calhoun County Chapter of the Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel (MARSP) was established in 1923, with four objectives: 1) to promote greater interest in legislation affecting retired school employees; 2) to furnish a practical basis for united action among those devoted to the cause of public education; 3) to support in every way possible the MARSP and the American Association of Retired Persons, NRTA Division; and 4) to promote voluntary participation by its members in civic and educational affairs. This scholarship was established for the purpose of providing scholarships to relatives of the current membership of the Calhoun County Chapter of the MARSP who seek educational opportunities beyond high school. Other educational related opportunities may also be supported by this scholarship. Please contact Norm Kersten at 269-965-5372 for an application or more information.

Character Limit: 5000

## Carlos M. Gutierrez Scholarship Essay\*

In a one page essay describe the impact that continuing your education will have on you and your family including whether you are a member of the first generation in your family to attend college. Also, describe how Carlos M. Gutierrez is a role model for those who choose to further education, based on his life and accomplishments.

Character Limit: 5000

## Ceresco Community Club Scholarship\*

If you are a descendant of a resident of the former Village of Ceresco, provide the full name of the person or persons to whom you are a descendant. Also note if you are a Ceresco resident or attend Harper Creek High School but live elsewhere.

Character Limit: 5000

## Crider/Bommersbach Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a one page statement that outlines your post-secondary goals, and why they have been selected, along with how the receipt of this scholarship will help you reach these goals.

Character Limit: 5000

## Dan Petersen Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a one page typed statement titled "Dan Petersen Scholarship Essay" that describes how your participation in athletics at Lakeview High School has influenced your academic career and personal goals.

Character Limit: 5000

## Desiree Fields Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

STUDENT OF THE MONTH - Provide a note stating what month and year you were student of the month in order to be eligible for special consideration.

#### Dandamudi Family Scholarshp Essay

STUDENT OF THE MONTH - Provide a note stating what month and year you were student of the month in order to be eligible for special consideration.

Character Limit: 5000

## Dave Smith Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

Please tell us about someone who has impacted your life in a positive or negative way, and how they shaped the person you are today.

Character Limit: 5000

## Dawn R. Vaive Memorial Essay\*

Using a minimum of 250 per essay question answer the following.

Please answer both questions 1 and 2. In question 1 select either a or b to answer:

- 1. a. Discuss a time when you had to overcome an obstacle/struggle in your own life. How did you get through that difficult time?
- b. Discuss a time when you helped someone who was going through a difficult time in their life. What did you do to help and what were the results?
- 2. What teacher in your 12 years or beyond in schooling had the biggest impact on you and why?

Character Limit: 5000

## **DENSO Manufacturing Scholarship Essay\***

In a short statement let us know the relationship and the name of person you are related to working for DENSO Manufacturing.

Character Limit: 500

# Doris Klaussen Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a one page essay describing why you have chosen to pursue a career in special education.

Character Limit: 5000

## Edward L. & Joanne M. Drewno Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a one page essay titled: "Edward L. & Joanne M. Drewno Scholarship Essay" that describes why you have chosen to pursue a career in the medical field.

Character Limit: 5000

## George L. Howard Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a statement indicating if you have been raised by a single female. (Mother, grandmother, foster mother, etc.)

#### Georgia Rothburg Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a one page statement describing why you have chosen to pursue a career in the nursing field.

Character Limit: 5000

## Glen & June Williams Chapel Hill United Methodist Church Scholarship Essay\*

Let us know the name of the family members that are members of the Chapel Hill United Methodist Church.

Character Limit: 5000

## Gyles/Morton Scholarship Essay\*

Describe "Your sense of God's call to the ministry or mission work"

Character Limit: 5000

## Herbert & Clara Swafford Citizenship Scholarship Essay\*

Provide one or two paragraph statement indicating "What citizenship means to me"

Character Limit: 5000

## Hispanics for Educational Progress Essay\*

Provide a one page typed reply to the following:

<u>If a graduating senior</u>: "The importance of education in today's global society." <u>If you are a current college student</u>: " What is the biggest lesson you have learned while attending college and how will you use what you have learned in the future?"

Character Limit: 5000

## Homer General Scholarship Essay\*

Please answer the following in a two page (maximum) essay:

- 1. Explain what contributions(s) you are personally making to support your education. (Financial, academic, leadership, community service etc.)
- 2. Describe a person in your life who has been a positive influence, and has encouraged you to pursue higher education.
- 3. Explain why philanthropy and giving back to your community is important.

Character Limit: 5000

## Betty Petredean Scholarship for the Arts Scholarship Essay\*

In a short essay explain why the arts are so important in today's world.

Character Limit: 5000

## Homer Area Community Foundation Scholarship Essay\*

List and describe up to three important community services projects you have been involved in. Explain how these projects benefited the community.

## Homer FFA Scholarship Essay\*

Please write a short essay about why you chose your career path.

Character Limit: 5000

## Kay Earline Vanderford Nursing Scholarship Essay\*

Please write a short essay explaining your passion for the field of nursing.

Character Limit: 5000

## Phil Duff Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

Please write a short essay describing your most influential educator and why you desire to work with children.

Character Limit: 5000

## John T. Berry Essay\*

Provide a brief statement to describe how extra encouragement or effort was helpful to your success.

Character Limit: 5000

## Juliee Hazel Norman Scholarship Essay\*

Please share what volunteerism means to you.

Character Limit: 5000

#### Ptacin Nomination Form\*

please describe why you believe that the individual you are nominating should be considered for this scholarship award.

Signature:	Date:
This form must accompany the applicant's scholarship application when submitted.	

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## Beverly L. Pierce & Janet M. Petersen Education Scholarship

**BATTLE CREEK COMMUNITY FOUNDATION** 

# Beverly L. Pierce & Janet M. Petersen Education SCHOLARSHIP NOMINATION FORM

Please have this nomination form completed by an individual associated with your school. This form must accompany the applicant's scholarship application when submitted.

#### **Applicant:**

#### Name and Relationship to Applicant:

#### How long have you been acquainted with the applicant?

#### How well do you know the applicant?

Please rate the applicant in the following categories: Excellent, Very Good, Average or Below

Average

Attitude

**Perseverance** 

Character

**Work Habits** 

**Potential to Succeed** 

If you were to describe the applicant in five words, what would they be?

What would you consider the applicant's strengths? Please provide specific examples of how she uses these strengths.

Please provide a statement describing why you feel this person should be considered for this scholarship.

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## Kiwanis/Hebble Memorial Verification Note\*

Please note the name of the Kiwanis Club of Battle Creek Member and your relationship to them.

Character Limit: 500

#### Curtis Memorial Essay\*

Describe how you are physically challenged (e.g.: flat feet, autism, asthma, learning disabilities, etc.) and the strategies you have used to cope.

Character Limit: 5000

## Judi Dolezal Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a brief statement explaining your your participation in a peer mentoring program or student government.

Character Limit: 5000

## Reverend George & Jean Seifert Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

"Describe the factors or experiences that have influenced your decision to attend a seminary school or equivalent." If not attending Seminary please "describe a time when actions involving your character and citizenship had a positive outcome on one or more people."

Character Limit: 5000

# Robert M. Ward Scholarship Essay\*

Please provide the name of your parent that has passed away.

## Theodore N. Thomas Scholarship Essay\*

Why I feel I deserve to receive the Theodore N. Thomas Scholarship and how I would benefit from it.

Character Limit: 5000

## Mary D. Durham Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a one page essay explaining the importance of family and the Lakeview Community.

Character Limit: 5000

## NexThermal Scholarship Essay\*

Please provide a letter with the full name and relationship of the person that works for Nexthermal.

Character Limit: 1000

## Battle Creek Optimist Club of Battle Creek Youth Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a one page statement addressing how being an optimistic person helped you personally and in serving others.

Character Limit: 2500

## Paul & Mavis Pitzer Scholarship Essay\*

In a one page essay describe your experience(s) in public service through your activities in volunteerism in service to others an your community.

Character Limit: 5000

## Pennfield Schools Retirees Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

Note your relationship and name of your Pennfield Retiree relative.

Character Limit: 1000

## **Bullock Scholarship Essay\***

Title this essay "Reverend Clifton V. Bullock and Voncile "Bonnie" Bullock Minority Scholarship" and include:

- 1. What goals have you accomplished, project completed, or leadership roles assumed that would demonstrate that you share one or more of the values Reverend Bullock exhibited in his advocacy role on behalf of people's rights.
- 2. Also why do you think Reverend Clifton V. Bullock would be proud of you as a Bullock Scholar?

Character Limit: 5000

## Rick & Debra Baron Scholarship Essay\*

In an essay explain what has led to the need for a "second chance" in order to reach your higher education goals, and the attempts you have already made to overcome this personal life challenge or hardship.

Character Limit: 5000

## University of Michigan & McFee Scholarship Essay\*

In a one page essay describe experiences that demonstrate the following characteristics: trustworthiness, responsibility, caring, respect for others, fairness, citizenship, and comment on your course of study at the University of Michigan.

Character Limit: 5000

## Robert L. Nendorf Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

In the space provided briefly explain why obtaining post-secondary education or training is important. If you have chosen an area of study, elaborate on what lead you to this particular area. Choose one activity or experience that you have been involved in and what you have personally gained by participating in that activity or experience.

Character Limit: 5000

## Nendorf Military Service Verification\*

Please state below whether you are a veteran, a disabled veteran or a child of a veteran.

Character Limit: 5000

#### Roberta H. Cirbbs Scholarship Essay\*

Describe the goals, dreams, morals, work, and academic values of a Cribbs Scholar. How do these characteristics relate to you? 2. Who is Roberta H. Cribbs? What contributions has she made to the Battle Creek community and what has been her impact? 3. Now that you have become a young adult, how will you handle obstacles and adversities should they arise during your college career? 4. Upon graduation from college, along with employment, how will you help to open doors for other young people?

Character Limit: 5000

## Russell Scott Hein Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a one page essay titled "Why this scholarship is needed"?

Character Limit: 2500

## Satish Koneru Scholarship Essay\*

In the space provided briefly explain why obtaining post-secondary education or training is important. If you have chosen an area of study, elaborate on what lead you to this particular area. Choose one activity or experience that you have been involved in and what you have personally gained by participating in that activity or experience.

Applicants completing a short essay about their physical limitation or disability will be given preference.

#### Segal Family Essay\*

Provide a one page essay that addresses the question: How would the ability to communicate effectively increase your success in your chosen field?

Character Limit: 5000

#### Shelton C. Penn Memorial Essay\*

Provide a one page essay stating why you are interested in going to law school and what you hope to do with your degree in the future.

Character Limit: 5000

## Sherry HIII Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

In one page, please share how you have persevered and overcome obstacles by attending an alternative education program. What opportunities were provided to you that you would not have had through a "typical high school"?

Character Limit: 5000

#### Spanninga Family Scholarship Essay\*

Write an essay addressing the questions:

- 1. Why have you chosen your field of study, and what lead you to this decision?
- 2. What are your future career goals and the profession or occupation you intend to enter?

Character Limit: 5000

## Stacy Hart Livingston Scholarship Essay\*

Provide an essay on "Embracing the concept of LIVE, LOVE, LAUGH through adversity."

Character Limit: 5000

## Teresa Sue Davis Memorial Scholarship Essay\*

500 word essay on the nation's opioid crisis that demonstrates literacy on the issue and suggest at least one solution that could benefit communities like Battle Creek.

Character Limit: 1500

## Thomas H. Elliott Scholarship Essay\*

In a one page essay describe (as though you were actually being observed) an experience(s) that demonstrate's how you exhibited all six of the following characteristics in your personal behavior or actions: trustworthiness, respect for others, responsibility, fairness, caring, and citizenship.

## Walt & Jackie Redmond Scholarship Essay\*

If you have been involved with Junior Achievement, provide a one page essay titled "Walt & Jackie Redmond Scholarship Essay", which describes your involvement with Junior Achievement and how it has impacted your education.

Character Limit: 5000

## Walter F. & Dorothy A. Morris Essay\*

In an essay tell us how receiving the Walter F. and Dorothy A. Morris Family Scholarship will help you achieve your career goals and make a difference for the future of your family.

Character Limit: 5000

#### William E. Board Scholarship Essay\*

Include a statement titled "William E. Boards, Jr. Minority Scholarship" that addresses: 1. What goals you have accomplished, project completed, or leadership roles assumed that would demonstrate that you share one or more of the values Mr. Boards, Jr. exhibited in his role through service to the community, and 2. Why do you think William E. Boards, Jr. would be proud of you as a Boards Scholar?

Character Limit: 5000

#### Stuckle Scholarship Essay\*

Provide a statement describing why you have chosen to pursue a career in the nursing field.

Character Limit: 5000

## Youth Alliance Scholarship Essay\*

What is the most rewarding community project you've done, and how has this impacted you and your community?

Character Limit: 5000

# Athens-Jacquelyn Barrone Art Scholarship Essay\*

List the art courses you have taken in high school and explain how art courses have benefited you.

Character Limit: 5000

#### Homer Financial Need Statement\*

Please share with the scholarship selection committee, how you and your family are planning to pay for college.

Character Limit: 5000

# DeYoung Essay 1\*

Briefly describe an example of something you have done to make a difference in someone's life.

#### DeYoung Essay 2\*

In 100 words or less, share what lifelong skills participating in Harper Creek athletics has taught you.

Character Limit: 1500

## Multiple Sclerosis Scholarship Essay\*

How has Multiple Sclerosis positively impacted your life?

Character Limit: 5000

## Lakeview High School Class of 2020 Senior Scholarship\*

In a 500-word essay explain how you have persevered in your life, in spite of difficulty, in order to be successful by example.

Character Limit: 5000

#### Letter of recommendation from your tennis coach

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## Letter of Acceptance to the University of Michigan

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#### Athens Letter of Recommendation 1\*

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#### Athens Letter of Recommendation 2\*

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#### Athens Letter of Recommendation 3\*

File Size Limit: 2 MB

## Athens Community Service Listing\*

Please share your community service activities.

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#### Letter or Recommendation from a Teacher 1\*

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#### Letter or Recommendation from a Teacher 2\*

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#### Letter or Recommendation from a Teaher 3\*

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## Thomas R. Kelley Memorial Letter of Recommendation\*

#### AMBUCS College Enrollment\*

Attach proof of acceptance to KCC's Physical Therapy Assistance Program, or acceptance into an accredited program by the appropriate health therapy profession authority in physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech language pathology, or hearing audiology.

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# Attach a copy of enrollment to the School of Veterinary Medicine at Michigan State University\*

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#### Brenda Lee Belt Letter of Recommendation\*

From a coach, teacher, school official, or other community member who can speak to your character as pertains to being kind, thoughtful, tolerant, or compassionate to others (humans and animals alike).

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#### CACC Automotive Service Technology Attachment\*

A letter of acceptance or enrollment from the institution you are planning to attend in the fall.

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## Gifford-Burgy Letter of Recommendation\*

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## Gifford-Burgy Acceptance Letter\*

Letter of acceptance to the institution/college or trade school

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## CACC-Roger & Kim Pitzer College Acceptance Letter\*

File Size Limit: 2 MB

# Christopher Cowan Higgins Memorial Attachment\*

Attach your Medical School Acceptance Letter from a college within the state of Michigan.

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## Crider/Bommersbach Counselor Recommendation\*

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## Crider/Bommersbach Teacher Recommendation\*

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## Desiree Fields Memorial Scholarship Research Project

RESEARCH PROJECT ABSTRACT - Attach a copy of your research project abstract to be eligible for special consideration.

#### **Dandamudi Family Scholarship**

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## Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Letter of Recommendation\*

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#### Recommendation letter from your Pastor\*

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# Recommendation letter from a supervisor of community/volunteer work done outside of the church.\*

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#### **Proof of Attendance\***

You must provide proof of attendance at Northwestern Junior High/Middle School

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#### Higdon Letter of Recommendation - one\*

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## Higdon Letter of Recommendation - Two\*

File Size Limit: 2 MB

#### Letter of Recomendation\*

Swine Club Leader with their contact information

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## Lucyshyn Letter of Recommendation - One\*

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## Lucyshyn Letter of Recommendation - Two\*

File Size Limit: 2 MB

#### FFA Involvement\*

Please provide documentation of your FFA involvement

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#### Westrick Letter of Recommendation - one\*

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#### Westrick Letter of Recommendation - Two\*

#### Sherman Letter of Recommendation\*

One letter of recommendation is required from the applicant's teacher, counselor, principal, agency volunteer supervisor, or employer that specifically addresses the applicant's character, citizenship, work ethic, and ability to succeed academically.

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#### Brutsche Additional Information\*

Gold Girl Scout or Eagle Scout status, a copy of the documentation verifying status must be submitted.

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#### Brutsche Letter of Recommendation\*

A letter of recommendation from member scout troop that verifies active membership.

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#### Ken Ervin Athletic Scholarship Letter of Recommendation\*

Letter of recommendation from athletic director or coach

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#### Kristin & Michael Bauman Additional Documents\*

**High School Students** - Proof of your hearing impairment by providing one of the following documents, or their equivalent: a current audio gram or sections of your lase IEP documenting the hearing impairment with the CISD or their college or university.

**Teaching Students** - Must attach proof of enrollment in a degree program for teaching hearing impaired students.

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## Wood Statement of Membership\*

A statement or letter from your church pastor indicating you are a member.

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#### Leibert Letter of Recommendation\*

One letter of recommendation from an adult (non-relative or spouse) who has been significant in your life.

#### Andert Family Letter of Recommendation\*

A letter of recommendation from an adult (non-relative) describing the applicant's potential in their chosen field.

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#### **Andert Family FINE ARTS APPLICANTS**

FINE ARTS APPLICANTS, you must submit three copies of performance (video or sound) or creative work (e.g. photos of art) or the essay describing experiences which demonstrate your potential in your major.

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## Eldridge Letter of Recommendation - one\*

Must be from a faculty member (teacher, counselor, principal, etc.).

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## Eldridge Letter of Recommendation - Two\*

Must be from someone who knows you outside of the school setting (not a relative).

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#### **Eldridge Letter of Recommendation - Three\***

Must be from a coach.

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#### Pastor Letter of Recommendation - One\*

From English, Communications, Performing Arts, or other related subject area teachers. At least one of these letters must be from an English teacher.

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#### Pastor Letter of Recommendation - Two\*

From English, Communications, Performing Arts, or other related subject area teachers. At least one of these letters must be from an English teacher.

File Size Limit: 2 MB

## Minges Family Letter of Recommendation - One\*

Must be from a faculty member (teacher, counselor, principal, etc.).

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#### Norma J. Reed Reference Form - One\*

You will need to provide TWO of these and you can obtain them from your counselors office.

File Size Limit: 2 MB

#### Norma J. Reed Reference Form - Two\*

You will need to provide TWO of these and you can obtain them from your counselors office.

File Size Limit: 2 MB

## Minges Family Letter of Recommendation - Two\*

Must be from someone who knows you outside of the school setting (not a relative).

File Size Limit: 4 MB

#### Pathways Letter of Recommendation\*

Attesting to the applicant's attendance in school and/or work, responsibility, communication skills, cooperation and service to the community.

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#### Rev. Seifert Memorial Letter of Recommendation\*

From an individual who has been significant in your life.

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#### Theodore Thomas Letter of Recommendation\*

From an individual who has been significant in your life.

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#### Heselschwerdt Letter of Recommendation\*

One letter of recommendation from an adult (non-relative or spouse) who has been significant in your life.

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## Attach your Michigan State University Acceptance Letter.\*

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## University of Michigan & McFee Letter of Recommendation\*

File Size Limit: 2 MB

## Ruble Family Scholarship Letter of Recommendation\*

A letter of recommendation from someone outside of immediate family that can attest to applicants educational vulnerability.

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#### Hein Letter of Recommendation\*

This recommendation must be from your high school counselor.

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## **Schlatter Design**

If you have a portfolio please upload it here

## Schlatter Design Letter of Recommendation\*

From an instructor or professional working in the design field.

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#### Shelton Penn Letter of Recommendation\*

File Size Limit: 2 MB

#### Spanniga Acceptance letter from the college you are transferring to\*

File Size Limit: 2 MB

#### Spanniga Resume of Employment History\*

File Size Limit: 2 MB

#### Staff Sargent Throckmorton Attachments\*

FOOTBALL PLAYER: A letter from the football coach or Athletic Director must accompany your application verifying that you have played football a minimum of two years of high school.

CULINARY ARTS APPLICANT: Please attach proof of enrollment or acceptance in a culinary arts school or program.

File Size Limit: 2 MB

#### Athens Jacquelyn Barrone Letter of Recommendation - One\*

Letter of recommendation from art teacher

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## Athens - Jacquelyn Barrone Letter of Recommendation - Two\*

Good character recommendation from a teacher.

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## **Athens Jacquelyn Barrone Art Attachment**

Art work may be attached here (not a requirement)

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## Lakeview High School Class of 2020 Senior Scholarship #1\*

Letter of recommendation should outline why they feel the student would be an exemplary candidate and must be from a non-family member of the applicant.

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# Lakeview High School Class of 2020 Senior Scholarship #2\*

Letter of recommendation should outline why they feel the student would be an exemplary candidate and must be from a non-family member of the applicant.

## Criteria Questions

#### Veteran\*

Are you a veteran, a disabled veteran, or a graduating senior or graduate of a veteran?

#### **Choices**

Yes

No

## Are you a single parent?\*

#### Choices

Yes

No

## Have you lost a parent due to death?\*

#### Choices

Yes

No

## **Multiple Sclerosis Scholarship Question**

Have you or a member of your immediate family been diagnosed with multiple sclerosis?

#### Choices

Yes

No

Prefer not to answer

## Do you have any physical limitations or disabilities?\*

#### Choices

Yes

No

Prefer not to answer

# Are you a KCC transfer student continuing your studies at another institution?\* Choices

Yes

No

## Class Ranking\*

Based on your first semester cumulative GPA, please indicate to the best of your ability where you rank within your graduating class.

#### Choices

5%

10%

20%

25%

50%

#### Other

#### Sports\*

If you participated in sports during your High School career, please select all that apply.

#### Choices

Baseball

Basketball-Boys

Basketball-Girls

Cheerleading

**Cross Country** 

Football

Golf

Lacrosse

None

Soccer

Softball

**Swimming** 

**Tennis** 

Track

Volleyball

Wrestling

## Have you participated in any sport at the varsity level?\*

#### **Choices**

Yes

No

Does not apply

# Do you reside in the Lakeview School District?\*

#### Choices

Yes

No

# Please indicate the number of years you participated in sports.\*

#### **Choices**

Does not apply

One

Three or more

Two

Two or more

# If you have attended any of the following schools, please select all that may apply.\*

#### **Choices**

Ann J. Kellogg School Lincoln Elementary School Northwestern Middle School Springfield Middle School Valley View Elementary School Does not apply

## What level of college will you enter in the fall?\*

#### **Choices**

Freshman

Sophomore

Junior

Senior

**Graduate School** 

## Parent Employers\*

If your parents are employed by one of the following, please select all that may apply.

#### Choices

**ASMO** 

**DENSO** 

Nexthermal

Asthma Allergy Center

Does not apply

# Have your parents or grandparents participated in, or been members of any of the following?\*

Please select all that may apply.

#### Choices

**BCCHS Class of 1949** 

**BCCHS Class of 1951** 

Calhoun County Chapter of Michigan Association of Retired School Personel

Pennfield Retiree

Does not apply

# Are you or your parents a member of any of the following?\*

Please select all that may apply.

#### **Choices**

Battle Creek Kennel Club

BlueOx Credit Union

Chapel Hill United Methodist Church

**Key Club** 

Kiwanas Club of Battle Creek

Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church

Missouri Synod Lutheran Church within Calhoun County

Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church

Second Missionary Baptist Church of Battle Creek

St. Mark Lutheran Church

United Methodist Church in Michigan

Does not apply

## Are you a member of one or more of the following?\*

Please select all that may apply.

#### Choices

Boy Scouts/Girl Scouts
Calhoun County Swine Club
Harper Creek Honor Guard
Homer FFA
Peer Mentor or student government at Lakeview High School
Does not apply

# Proposal

#### **POSSIBLE SUBJECTS:**

- 1) Dealing with prescription drug abuse
- 2) Helping prevent school drop-outs
- 3) Reducing teen pregnancy
- 4) Developing an e-commerce web-site
- 5) Developing a social media web-site
- 6) Building a safe, teen social center (hang-out) in Battle Creek
- 7) Developing a line of gluten-free deserts
- 8) Other ideas....

## What product or service are you providing?\*

Character Limit: 100

# What need does this product or service address?\*

Character Limit: 250

# How much will the products or services you are providing cost?\*

Character Limit: 20

# Where will you deliver you product or service? How will you deliver your product or service?\*

Character Limit: 1000

#### Differences\*

What is different between what you are offering, and the products or services other organizations and services are providing? Why do you believe your product or service is better

for your target (customers/constituencies) than other products or services currently available?

Character Limit: 1500

#### Communications\*

How will you communicate to the people you are attempting to help or to your customers so that they know your product or service is available?

Character Limit: 1500

#### How much will it cost to start up your organization or business?\*

Character Limit: 20

## How would you go about getting funding for this project?\*

Character Limit: 1000

## Spending \$50,000\*

Regardless of your total budget, if you were given \$50,000 to start this project, how would you spend these first dollars?

Character Limit: 1500

## Is your plan realistic? Why or why not?\*

Character Limit: 1500

## **Brainstorming Sheet Upload\***

Brainstorming sheets describing your preliminary ideas of what you would like to do. This should be handed in on 81/2x11 paper. Handwritten is acceptable. This should be an extensive list. Brainstorming is intended to develop a large number of ideas. For brainstorming your team should not focus on the quality of ideas. Use this list to get you thinking.

File Size Limit: 2 MB

## Description\*

Character Limit: 1500

## Final Proposal\*

Please summarize the questions in this "Proposal" group and enter a final proposal in this space.

Character Limit: 1500

## Final Report\*

Your final report may be uploaded in any format or you can copy and paste it into the text area.

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Prior to the scholarship deadline finalists will be asked to present their project.

# Signature Page

#### **Acknowledgement of Terms and Conditions**

The undersigned hereby acknowledges that the information provided on this application, including attachments, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and that the information may be provided and disclosed to the Battle Creek Community Foundation, to the Officers and Trustees of the Foundation, and to any others authorized by the Foundation to review the information. Verification may be obtained from any source. If any information provided is discovered to be fraudulent, it may result in the revoking of the awarded scholarship and/or other related penalties. Tax forms may be requested for verification purposes. We hereby release from liability any person submitting information to the Foundation for use in the selection of scholarship recipients.

I authorize my school of choice through its agents and employees, to release any financial aid, attendance, demographic or academic information to the Battle Creek Community Foundation to facilitate their analysis of my Scholarship eligibility and the educational and economic impact.

As a recipient of a Battle Creek Community Foundation scholarship, that award information becomes part of my educational record. By consenting to receive any scholarship amount awarded to me, I agree to allow the release of this information in my educational record to third parties specified under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA). FERPA affords certain rights to students concerning the privacy of, and access to, their educational records. While this form authorizes my school, in conjunction with the Battle Creek Community Foundation, to release educational records with third parties, it does not obligate either entity to do so. My school reserves the right to review and respond to requests for release of my educational record based on a case-by-case basis. For additional information, I can visit the U.S. Department of Education's website by clicking here.

The Battle Creek Community Foundation Scholarships can have several impacts on post-secondary enrollment, persistence, degree attainment and overall success in college. To understand these impacts I authorize my post-secondary academic record information, in whole or in part, to be released back to the Battle Creek Community Foundation, in adherence to FERPA for analysis to inform and improve the Battle Creek Community Foundation Scholarship Program.

#### **Universal Terms and Conditions are as follows:**

• I will maintain a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester. In the event that I must only attend part-time (less than 12 hours) I will provide BCCF with written documentation of this change and understand allowance of the award is determined on a case by case basis.

- I will notify BCCF in the form of written documentation if my plans to further my education shall change, this includes interruption of attendance, transfer to another institution, or discontinuance of my education.
- If my address or name shall change while pursuing my education I will notify BCCF in the form of written documentation.
- I will furnish additional documentation to BCCF upon request.
- I understand that scholarship funds are to cover tuition, books, fees, and on-campus room and board in addition to all other expenses that may be transacted through the institution itself. These transactions may vary by institution.

#### **Legacy Terms and Conditions are as follows:**

- I will maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress, as determined by Kellogg Community College, or risk forfeiting my Legacy Scholars Scholarship.
- I will be responsible for having transcripts sent to the Battle Creek Community Foundation (BCCF) at the end of each semester and understand that subsequent payment will be available only after receipt of transcripts.
- I will maintain a minimum of 6 credit hours(fall/spring) or 3 credit hours (summer) per semester. In the event that I must only attend part-time (less than required) I will provide Legacy Scholars with written documentation of this change and understand allowance of the award is determined on a case by case basis.
- I will notify BCCF in the form of written documentation if my plans to further my education shall change, this includes interruption of attendance, transfer to another institution, or discontinuance of my education.
- If my address or name changes while pursuing my education I will notify BCCF in the form of written documentation.
- I will furnish additional documentation to Legacy Scholars upon request.
- I understand the Legacy Scholars Scholarship covers tuition and mandatory fees as well
  as up to a \$2,000.00 book stipend (\$500.00 per semester not to exceed \$2,000.00 over 4
  semesters) to be used at KCC Book Store. All other financial obligations incurred while
  attending Kellogg Community College will be my responsibility.
- I hereby authorize Kellogg Community College to release to the Battle Creek Community Foundation(BCCF) information regarding my financial aid status as well as aggregate information regarding my academic performance. I understand that this student record information will be used by BCCF for the purpose of evaluating the impact of any scholarships awarded on my academic path and performance.

• I understand that I must reapply each year for the Legacy Scholars Scholarship using the BCCF Universal Scholarship Application every year in order to receive the scholarship.

## **Acceptance of Terms and Conditions\***

This award is conditional upon applicant's acceptance of the terms and conditions set forth herein. By selecting the "I accept the terms and conditions" below, Applicant agrees to accept and comply with the stated terms and conditions of this award.

#### Choices

I accept the terms and conditions
I do not accept the terms and conditions

This release is authorized for the duration of the time that I receive scholarship funds, and after scholarship receipt for statistical purposes. In order to rescind this Authorization, I acknowledge that I must submit written notification of the rescission to the Battle Creek Community Foundation. This rescission would result in the review of the terms of my scholarship.

I also give permission to the Battle Creek Community Foundation to use information regarding my scholarship in promotion of the Battle Creek Community Foundation Scholarships.

My signature indicates that I have read this and that I authorized the release of records as described above. My signature also indicates that I have read and agree to adhere to the scholarship conditions as set forth in this document.

#### **AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE\***

By typing in your **FULL LEGAL NAME**, and **DATE** in the spaces below, you confirm that you are authorized to make legal contracts as the recipient and that you agree to enter into this agreement by electronic means.

\*Parent(s) must sign if the student is under the age of 18 and/or was claimed as an exemption/dependent

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Current Date\*

Character Limit: 10