



# East Grand Rapids Schools Foundation

## East Grand Rapids Schools Foundation Scholarship Application

**Purpose:**

- To provide a \$1,000 post-secondary scholarship to an East Grand Rapids High School senior for enrollment in a college/university, vocational/technical school, art or design school, or school of nursing in the United States.

**Eligibility:**

- Student is a graduating East Grand Rapids High School senior
- Minimum 3.25 cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 unweighted scale
- Extracurricular involvement
- Planned enrollment in a college/university or vocational/technical school, art or design school, or school of nursing in the United States. Scholarship award will be paid directly to the school in which the awardee enrolls.
- EGRSF student board members and children of current EGRSF board members and staff are not eligible to apply.

**Application Instructions: Please fill in all areas that apply, according to the instructions. Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

**Name:**

Mr. /Ms. Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** Please provide your permanent address and phone. All correspondence will be sent to this address. This helps us to confirm residency requirements.

Street \_\_\_\_\_ Apartment # \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (C) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or guardian name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years attending EGR High School \_\_\_\_\_ Date of graduation \_\_\_\_\_

**Post-Secondary School Data—List your 1<sup>st</sup> Choice Academic Institution**

Name of 1<sup>st</sup> Choice School \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

**Attendance:**

- full-time                       half-time                       other

**I will live:**

- on-campus                       home with parents  
 off-campus

Anticipated major course of study \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated date of college graduation (month/year) \_\_\_\_\_

**Work Experience: (Describe your work experience during the last four years.)**

<u>Company</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Hours/week</u>

**Activities, Awards, Honors: (List all school and community activities you have participated in the past four years.)**

**Activity**                      **Awards/honors; offices held**                      **# of years participated**                      **Hours per year**

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**Transcript Information:**

Submit a copy of your high school transcript that includes your first semester senior-year grades and your cumulative grade point average computed on a 4.0 scale.

**Aspirations and Educational Goals:**

Please reflect on your experience in the East Grand Rapids community, whether inside or outside the classroom. How has your experience informed your post-secondary plans? This essay should include what school/university you've chosen to attend and your intended course of study, if applicable. No more than 500 words please.

**References are required for this scholarship:**

Please attach 2 letters of recommendation.

**Certification:**

*In submitting this application, I certify that the information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that falsification of information will result in termination of any scholarship granted. If selected to receive a scholarship, I agree to the use of my name, likeness and information contained in my application in any media form and type of publication, including annual reports and newsletters, and grant the Foundation any and all rights to said use without compensation.*

Applicant's signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Application must be received in the EGRSF office by May 1<sup>st</sup> - 2915 Hall St. SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49506**

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**Application Checklist:** *This application for a scholarship becomes complete and valid only when you have done the following:*

Mail the Completed Application by May 1st to: *East Grand Rapids Schools Foundation 2915 Hall Street SE, EGR, MI. 49506 ♦ Include:*

- Your signed *East Grand Rapids Schools Foundation Scholarship Application*
- Your Statement of Aspirations and Goals (Essay)
- Two letters of recommendation
- A copy of your current transcript of grades