LOWELL AREA GRADUATING SENIOR
GENERAL LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Application Process:

To apply for scholarship aid, a student must submit a completed application form and any supporting materials requested as indicated by each scholarship. All scholarship applications must be turned in to the Counseling Office no later than 3:00 PM on Monday, February 28, 2022. Scholarship awards will be announced at the Senior Honors Night in May. Payments will be available in late summer or early fall.

Application Instructions:

Application Form: Please fill in all areas that apply, according to the instructions. Incomplete applications will not be considered. A complete listing of local scholarships available through Lowell High School is enclosed. It is only necessary to complete this application once, even though you may apply for more than one scholarship. Some scholarships request a supplemental application and this is noted on the scholarship listing.

Please review the selection criteria for each scholarship carefully. We do not make exceptions to the criteria specified, so there is no benefit in applying for a scholarship for which you obviously do not qualify. This application for a scholarship becomes complete and valid only when you have included the following items:

- **Name**: Use your proper name in the order indicated on the form.
- **Address**: Please provide your permanent address and phone number. All correspondence will be sent to this address.
- **Statement of Aspirations and Goals**: Please write a short statement (not to exceed two double-spaced, typewritten pages) indicating your reasons for wanting to attend college, your chosen course of study, and your career goals. Include other information that will demonstrate to the selection committee that you are a worthy scholarship recipient. Think carefully about this statement. It is very important in the selection process. Applications without a statement will not be considered.
- **Transcript of Grades**: Please provide a transcript of your grades.
- **Two letters of recommendation**: One from a teacher and one other from an employer, pastor, coach, etc.
- **Financial Information**: Since most of the scholarships consider need as part of the criteria, it is necessary to complete the financial aid section of the application. An incomplete financial aid section will disqualify your application.

Please send application documents to:

Scholarship Committee  
Counseling Office  
Lowell High School  
11700 Vergennes Road  
Lowell, MI 49331  
LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL  
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Please type or print information. If the space provided in any section proves inadequate, information may be continued on additional sheets of paper and attached to the application. I am applying for:

☐ Englehardt Scholarships

**Application Information**

Mr. Miss First name Middle initial Last name  
Street Apartment # City State Zip Phone County Date of birth Email  
Last 4 Social Security numbers 1st Generation College Student? yes no Parent or guardian name(s)

**Post-Secondary School Data**

(Please list school(s) you plan to attend in order of preference.)  
School City State School City State Type of School: ☐ 4-year college or university ☐ other  
Attendance: ☐ full-time ☐ half-time or more ☐ other __________________________________________

I will live: ☐ on campus ☐ off campus ☐ home with parents ☐ with spouse Upcoming year in school: ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ graduate school Major course of study ☐ College GPA (if applicable) Anticipated date of college graduation (month/year)  
Have you received a scholarship through Lowell High School before? yes no If yes, please indicate the scholarship, year(s) and amount: ________________________________________________

**Work Experience**

Describe your work experience during the past four years.  
Company Position Dates Hours/Week Amount earned

**Activities, Awards and Honors**

List all school and community activities in which you have participated during the past four years – student government, sports, choir, band, church work, volunteer work. Attach a second sheet, if necessary.  
**Activity Number of years participated Awards/honors; offices held**

**Unusual Circumstances**

Please report any family, personal, or financial circumstances you believe warrant consideration, e.g., financial hardship, disabilities, family separation, or unusual family responsibilities.

**Transcript Information**

High school seniors and college students, please include your most recent available transcript (unofficial transcript will suffice). High school seniors should please also include ACT and/or SAT scores.

**References**

Applicant must provide the names of two people (one can be a teacher and the other an employer, pastor, etc.) who will be completing a scholarship recommendation for this applicant.

Name Address Phone Name Address Phone

**Financial Information**
Information provided in this section of the application is necessary and will be treated as very confidential data.

Name and address of father/guardian Name and address of mother/guardian

Phone Phone
Employer, or business if self employed Employer, or business if self employed

Approximate gross annual family income (required information) $

If your parents have other dependents, please give names and ages: (Do not include those employed full time)

Number of family members in college full time next year and college they attend:

Budget
How do you plan to finance your college education?
☐ Academic Merit Scholarship (Amt: _________________) ☐ Private Loans ☐ Athletic/Special Talent Scholarship (Amt: _________________) ☐ Student Employment/Savings ☐ College Savings Account ☐ Other _________________ ☐ Federal Financial Aid

Aspirations and Goals
Please submit a statement (not to exceed two typewritten, double-spaced pages) describing your personal aspirations and educational goals. Think carefully about this statement; it is very important in the selection process. Applications without a statement will not be considered. All materials should be typed. The pages must be clearly labeled and securely attached to this form.

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

Applicant signature Date

Parent or guardian signature Date

ALL APPLICATION MATERIALS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN
3:00 PM ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2022.

Deadline strictly adhered.

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Local Scholarship Award Descriptions

The Lowell High School scholarship awards are made based on a competitive process which considers academic achievement, extracurricular activities, a statement of the applicant’s personal aspirations and goals, and financial need. Scholarship awards are made at the discretion of the scholarship committee’s recommendations. All awards are made without regard to race, creed, color, gender, religion, or national origin. Awards vary in size depending on the amount of income available in each particular scholarship fund.

The Englehardt Scholarships are awarded to one senior enrolling at Michigan State University and up to four other qualifying seniors attending Lowell High School regardless of residency. In addition, seniors attending any public, private, charter, or home-based school and residing in the city of Lowell, township of Lowell, or township of Vergennes may apply. Scholastics, financial need, extra-curricular activities and leadership are the criteria for this renewable award. This scholarship is awarded in memory of the past president of the State Savings Bank and a dedicated community leader. The scholarships are administered by the Grand Rapids Community Foundation with funds provided by the Lowell Area Community Fund.