



# FRED & LENA MEIJER SCHOLARSHIP

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APPLICATION

## Fred & Lena Meijer Scholarship Application Form

### Student Information

Name:

Mr. Last Meijer, Jr. First Sample Middle Initial A

**Address:** Please provide your permanent address. All correspondence will be sent to this address

Street 123 Main Street Apartment #

City Anywhere State OH Zip 49999

Phone (H) 616-123-4567 Phone (C) E-mail sample@sampleemail.com

Birth Date 8/5/1989 SSN xxx-xxx- 1234 Ethnicity

Parent's Email (if applying as a child of a Meijer employee only) sampleparentemail@gmail.com

### Education

1<sup>st</sup> Choice College/University Ohio State University

If not listed, other approved college/University

City Ada State OH

Upcoming Year in College/University Sophomore Major Course of Study Education

Will you be a full-time or part-time student? Full-time (12 credit hou Anticipated Profession/Career Teacher

Expected Date of College Graduation May 2022

Are you a 1st Generation College Student? (Neither parent has a 4-year college degree) Yes

Cumulative Grade Point Average 3.00 ACT or SAT Score 1200

Transcript will be submitted via Upload Transcript upload sampletranscript.pdf

### Work History

Include your Meijer Work History in this section if you are applying as an employee

Company	Position	Start Date (Month & Year)	End Date (Month & Year)	Hours/Week	Amount Earned
Meijer	Cashier	03/16		10-30	\$10
Wendys	Food Prep	01/15	02/16	Less than 10	\$8
					\$0
					\$0

### Activities, Awards, Honors

Activity/Awards/Offices Held	# Years Participated	Hours/Year
Future Teachers Club	1	10-30
High School Tennis Team	4	31-50
Choir Award	1	

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### Unusual Circumstances

Please report any family, personal, financial circumstances or unusual family responsibilities you believe warrant consideration.

This is an optional field where you can share anything you would like the selection committee to take into consideration.

### Tell Us About You Essay

(Provide an essay 3000 Characters, 500 Words Max) All points must be addressed for committee review: reason for choice of college, chosen course of study, career goals, how will you finance college, and past activities and community service.

This is the section of the application where you answer the points listed in the essay prompt. Make sure you use appropriate grammar, spelling and punctuation. You are not writing a text message.

This is your opportunity to set yourself apart from other applicants and help the selection committee understand your hopes, dreams, and goals and your plan for successfully reaching your goals.

Make sure you share how you plan to finance college. Are you applying for FAFSA? Are you applying for other scholarships or grants? Are you putting a portion of your income away to help finance your college tuition?

Your statement does not have to be the maximum length; however make sure you take the time to write more than just three or four sentences. Essays are all read and the information is important to the selection committee. Use examples and explain any volunteer activities you have participated in.

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**Financial Information**

Grand Rapids Community Foundation reserves the right to request documentation to verify financial information provided by the applicant.

You must complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) in order for you to answer the required financial information questions. For more information about FAFSA go to [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). If you are not eligible to complete a FAFSA you will be directed to self report in Question B below. Consult your high school guidance counselor or college financial aid office if you are unsure how to complete the FAFSA.

**Income Information:**

Adjusted gross household income of parent(s), spouse, and student.  
Applications without parent income information (unless student is 24 or married)  
will not be considered complete. \$45000.00

Number of dependents claimed on 2017 tax form (include yourself) 5

Number of family members who will be attending college during the upcoming year (include yourself) 2

**Need:**

Applicants complete the financial information based on your FAFSA Student Aid Report and the financial aid award/offer received from your first-choice academic institution

**Expenses:**

A. Anticipated Expenses (including tuition, room/board, books, etc for the coming year) \$25000.00

**Resources:**

B. Expected Family Contribution from your FAFSA Student Aid Report. The EFC can be 0 but not blank. If you are not eligible? to file a FAFSA, provide the amount you and your parents will contribute for the coming year. \$2000.00

C. All Scholarships and Grants offered to date for the upcoming academic year (this includes other scholarships provided by the college and Pell Grant, etc). Returning college students provide last year's awards if your new award package is not available yet. \$4000.00

D. Any other resources—can be 0 but not blank (Do not include loans offered) \$0.00

E. Total Resources (B+C+D) \$6000.00

Assessed Need (Expenses less Resources) (A minus E) \$19000.00



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**Instructions and Submission Checklist**

- Yes I understand that my scholarship application must be submitted by 5 PM EDT (Eastern Daylight Time) on March 1 (**NOTE NEW DEADLINE**) and is not considered complete until my unofficial transcript is received.
- Yes In submitting this application, **as the applicant** I certify that the information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that all information is subject to verification and 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 (excluding financial information) in any media form and type of publication, including annual reports and newsletters, and grant the Foundation and Meijer any and all rights to said use without compensation.

Grand Rapids Community Foundation collects and uses personal information such as: name, address, phone number, secure SSN, and e-mail address when a grant applicant voluntarily provides it to us. The information is used to generate reports for advisory committees as part of the selection process. In addition, the Foundation keeps applicant information on file for auditing purposes and ensures that documents are properly disposed of. Grand Rapids Community Foundation does NOT sell, trade, or share personal or financial information with any other organization.