

# Shiawassee

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## INFORMATION AND APPLICATION FORM

### APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED:

October 1, 2017 - March 9, 2018 4:00pm EST

(Late/incomplete applications will not be considered)

*If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at 989-725-1093  
or [lisa@shiacf.org](mailto:lisa@shiacf.org)*

## **HOW TO APPLY FOR SCF SCHOLARSHIPS:**

Read through the listing of available scholarships included in this packet. You may apply for as many scholarships as you like, as long as you meet the criteria of the scholarship. If you are applying for more than one scholarship, you are required to submit a separate application form and the required attachments listed below for each scholarship.

In order to be considered for a scholarship, the following requirements must be completed and submitted to the Foundation office by **March 9, 2018, 4:00 p.m. EST deadline**. Applications that are received after the deadline or that are not entirely complete will not be considered (no exceptions). The Foundation does not accept faxed or emailed applications. It is recommended that you keep a copy for your records in case your application is lost or damaged in transit.

### **Required documentation for each scholarship you are applying for (in this order):**

- 1) **All three pages of the scholarship application must be filled out completely.** Make sure your application is either typed or legibly printed using blue or black ink. Applicants must use this year's scholarship application form in order to be considered. Review the scholarship criteria carefully and only select those scholarships for which you qualify.
- 2) **A one-page personal essay is required with every application submitted.** The essay should be typed and double-spaced. The essay should state your personal and educational goals for your career and your future. Include details about yourself so the various selection committee members can get to know who you are and why you should be selected for a scholarship. Please pay close attention to the criteria of the scholarship you are applying for as some ask for specific information in the essay.
- 3) **A typed current resume is required with every application submitted.** A sample resume is included on the last page of this packet and can be used as a guide to help create your own.
- 4) **Two signed and dated letters of recommendation from two different individuals are required with every application submitted.** These letters must be dated within the past year and be **signed** by the person writing the letter. These letters can be from your school administrators/educators or adult members of the community (not family members). Some of our scholarships require letters of recommendation from specific sources. Please carefully review the criteria for each scholarship.
- 5) **Most recent high school and/or college official transcript of grades is required.** The transcript must be sent directly to the Foundation Office from your guidance counselor, school official or through Parchment by the due date. Applicants who are currently attending college must submit an official transcript from their college or through Parchment **in addition** to their official high school transcript. It is the responsibility of the student to request the transcript and make sure it is received at the Foundation office by the due date. Scholarship applications will not be considered without official transcript(s). The Foundation will make the necessary copies of your transcript(s).
- 6) **For Scholarships Based on Financial Need Only - A copy of your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form or your family's most recent income tax return is required.** Because financial need is an important factor in some of our scholarships, the Community Foundation looked for an objective way to assess need among applicants with a variety of family financial situations. **Please submit the page(s) from your FAFSA showing parents'/student's adjusted gross income or your most recent income tax return that includes your family adjusted gross income.** The application form also includes a section to describe any unusual financial circumstances in your household.

**All applicant information is kept confidential to protect your privacy.**

**SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION AND THE REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS BY THE DUE DATE TO:**

**Mail To:** Shiawassee Community Foundation  
P.O. Box 753  
Owosso, MI 48867

**OR**

**In Person:** Shiawassee Community Foundation  
217 North Washington Street, Suite 104  
Owosso, MI 48867

**Please do not put applications and attachments in a binder or staple them together. Each application and required attachments should simply by paper clipped together in the same order listed above.**

***SHIAWASSEE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD POLICIES:***

- ❖ *Shiawassee Community Foundation Staff, Board, and Selection Committee members and their relatives are not eligible to apply for scholarships with the exception of the SCF Youth Advisory Council Board members. Youth Advisory Council Board members abstain from the entire scholarship selection and award process. (The term "relatives" is defined as parent, child, stepparent, stepchild, grandparent, grandchild, aunt, uncle, nephew, niece, first cousin, or sibling.)*
- ❖ *The Shiawassee Community Foundation Board of Directors reserves the right to extend any and all scholarship deadlines and to not award any and all scholarships at their discretion.*
- ❖ *Completing and submitting a scholarship application does not guarantee a scholarship award.*
- ❖ *All scholarship awards are made on an objective and nondiscriminatory basis from a pool of persons based on the criteria of each scholarship fund and upon the qualifications provided to SCF by the applicant.*
- ❖ *Alternate recipients may be selected for scholarships in the event the chosen recipient becomes ineligible.*
- ❖ *SCF is not responsible for applications or required documentation that is delayed or lost in the mail. Late and/or incomplete applications will not be considered for a scholarship.*
- ❖ *Scholarship monies are to be used within a year of being approved by the SCF Board.*
- ❖ *All scholarship application information submitted to SCF is handled in a strictly confidential manner.*
- ❖ *Scholarship amounts for each fund vary from year to year as determined by the SCF Board of Directors.*
- ❖ *Scholarships that are refunded to the Foundation from a grantee institution will be deposited back into the scholarship fund. Reissuance of a refunded scholarship is at the discretion of the Shiawassee Community Foundation.*
- ❖ *Scholarships are awarded based on the criteria of the scholarship fund and the information provided to SCF on the scholarship application of each student. If any information provided to SCF on the scholarship application changes and the student is no longer eligible to receive the scholarship awarded to them, then the scholarship will be rescinded.*

**SCHOLARSHIP CYCLE TIMELINE:**

OCTOBER 1, 2017	Scholarship applications are available
MARCH 9, 2018	Completed scholarship applications and attachments are due by 4:00 p.m. EST
MARCH/APRIL 2018	Scholarship Selection Committees review the applications and recommend recipient(s) to the SCF Board of Directors for final approval
JUNE 2018	Scholarship recipients are notified of their awards
JULY 2018	Scholarship recipient payment forms are due. Scholarship checks are mailed directly to the colleges on behalf of the scholarship recipient

# 2018 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

(Please type or print legibly in dark ink)

Name of scholarship you are applying for:

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(Enter only one scholarship name on this line – a separate application form and attachments are required for each scholarship. Please feel free to make copies of this form as needed.)

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ SAT Score: \_\_\_\_\_ or ACT Score: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any other scholarships you have applied for or been awarded from other institutions. Do not include the scholarships you are applying for through the Shiawassee Community Foundation. Please feel free to use additional sheets if necessary.

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Name of Institution and amount awarded (if known)

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**For Shana Dumond Scholarship only:** Please indicate whether you are an organ donor: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**For Cheryl Hrcka and Andrew Rehmann Scholarships only:** Please indicate the name and city of your church:

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(Name of Church and City)

**For Durand Lions Club Scholarship only:** Please indicate whether you are visually or hearing-impaired.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am visually impaired

\_\_\_\_\_ I am hearing-impaired

**COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY INFORMATION**

Class year you will enter college (fall 2018):

Freshman \_\_\_\_\_ Sophomore \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_\_

List colleges or trade schools, in order of preference, to which you have applied or are attending:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Accepted \_\_\_\_\_ Application Pending \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ Accepted \_\_\_\_\_ Application Pending \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ Accepted \_\_\_\_\_ Application Pending \_\_\_\_\_

Area of Study/Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Time Student? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ If no, # of credits per semester: \_\_\_\_\_

Where do you plan to live? On Campus \_\_\_\_\_ With parent \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Are you the first generation in your family to attend college? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Current Post-Secondary Education (if any): 5<sup>th</sup> Year Early College \_\_\_\_\_ Dual Enrolled \_\_\_\_\_

Full Time \_\_\_\_\_ Part Time \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY INFORMATION**

Name of Parents/Guardians: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of family members in college as of the fall 2018 semester: \_\_\_\_\_

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION (Complete this section only if the scholarship you are applying for is based on financial need) Also include the page of your FAFSA application showing parent (or student) adjusted gross income or your most recent income tax return page that shows the adjusted gross income.**

A. Have you filled out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

B. Total family income (adjusted gross income from most recent tax return) (check one):

\_\_\_\_\_ Below \$20,000          \_\_\_\_\_ \$20,000 to \$40,000          \_\_\_\_\_ \$40,000 to \$60,000

\_\_\_\_\_ \$60,000 to \$80,000          \_\_\_\_\_ \$80,000 to \$100,000          \_\_\_\_\_ Over \$100,000

**ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

Describe any unusual financial circumstances in your household (please use an additional page if necessary):

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**CERTIFICATION**

In consideration for receipt of this scholarship (if awarded), the undersigned hereby agrees to the acceptance of the scholarship terms and conditions as follows:

1. All information provided to the Shiawassee Community Foundation is true and accurate.
2. If selected for a scholarship, the educational institution will receive a check on my behalf.
3. Permission is given to the Shiawassee Community Foundation to use my photo(s) in brochures, annual reports, press releases, or on their website to publicize their philanthropic efforts.
4. I will notify the Shiawassee Community Foundation in the event of my voluntary or involuntary withdrawal of this scholarship.
5. I am not a member or a relative of the Shiawassee Community Foundation's Staff, Board, or Selection Committee with the exception of Youth Advisory Council Board members.
6. I understand that completing a scholarship application does not guarantee a scholarship award.

I hereby affirm that the information provided in this application is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

***If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at 989-725-1093  
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## **FUNDS AND SPECIFIC CRITERIA**

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### **Alexander Women's Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Female Seniors
- Awarded to applicants attending a four-year program of study
- Priority is given to those students who live on campus outside of Owosso and are the first generation to attend college
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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### **Karl F. and Ziritha H. (Lowers) Allert Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Applicants must be sincere about learning
- Must be attending a college or trade school in Michigan
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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### **Dr. Bhaskaran Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to hard working Owosso High School Seniors
- Must plan to pursue further education in the health field
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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### **Nancy Ruth Patenge Bever Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Seniors
- Must attend Michigan State University
- Honors caliber student, preferably not receiving many other scholarships

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### **Elsie Blair and Suzanne Blair Anderson Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Female High School Seniors
- Pursuing a career in business
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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### **Olive Blanner Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Graduates
- Students must possess consistent academic achievement and good citizenship
- Must have a 3.3 GPA overall
- Must include personal goals/aspirations in their essay

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### **Byron Community Scholarship Fund (includes Byron Chase Bank and Duncanson Scholarships)**

- Available to Byron High School Graduates
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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### **PFC Shane W. Cantu Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Must plan to study in the field of law enforcement and/or studying to become a U.S. Marshal
- Applicants must possess good leadership skills
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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### **Emily Chapman Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Durand High School Graduates
- Pursuing a career in the medical or nursing field
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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### **Philip and Inez Colton Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County High School Seniors
- Must plan to study either skilled trades or engineering
- Preference is given to working students and/or those who have significant volunteer work as stated in essay
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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### **Phyllis L. and Alton D. Crandell Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Durand High School Graduates
  - Must attend a college in Michigan
  - Offered to students with genuine economic need, reasonable academic ability, and determination of character
  - Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)
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**Karen K. Dasen Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Corunna High School Female Seniors
- Must demonstrate civic responsibility, compassion and concern for others, good character, and value system to live life to its fullest potential
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Rollin V. Dasen Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Must be attending either Michigan State University's College of Communication Arts and Sciences or College of Education or College of Arts and Letters or Natural Science **OR** be attending Central Michigan University's College of Communication and Fine Arts or College of Education and Human Services
- Must demonstrate good character and community service
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Drew Decker Memorial Music Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Pursuing a career in music
- Not grade point sensitive
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Norman L. and Marcella C. DesJardins Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Seniors
- Must plan to attend a four-year college or university
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Shana Lynne Dumond Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Graduates
- Preference is given to those students who are organ donors, have a healthy lifestyle and are artistic
- Include evidence of a healthy lifestyle and artistic abilities in your essay

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**Durand Lions Club Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Byron and Durand High School Graduates
- Preference is given to applicants pursuing a career in Ophthalmology or Audiology or who are visually or hearing-impaired themselves.

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**Durand St. Mary's Knights of Columbus Council 7955 Scholarship Fund**

- Available to high school graduates
- Must be a member in good standing of Durand St. Mary's Catholic Church as verified by the parish Pastor
- Must demonstrate leadership in the parish and community

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**Durand Rotary Club Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Durand High School Seniors
- Preference to students having improved academic performance and with a GPA that is adequate to predict completion of college or trade school program
- Student must demonstrate good character

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**Shelli (Bowles) Edgington Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Corunna High School and Owosso High School Graduates
- Preference is given to nursing and medical students

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**Alford and Alice Emmert Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Seniors
  - Awarded to applicants attending a four-year accredited college or university
  - Applicant must be self-motivated and involved in community service
  - Preference is given to students planning to study: agriculture, forestry, hard sciences, (engineering, physics, chemistry, etc.), natural sciences, biology, veterinary medicine, economics, international studies, history, computer sciences, accounting, teaching, or other studies not specifically excluded.
  - Areas of study that are excluded: pre-law/law, pre-med/med, political science, sociology, psychology, and athletics/sports.
  - Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)
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**Don and Becky Galloway Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Available to nursing students only

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**Cheryl Gapinski Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso and Corunna High School Students
- Must be planning to study music education or attending music camp

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**The GFWC Owosso Woman's Club Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Applicants must have a high scholastic standing
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Cyril C. and Ella M. Gregoricka Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Seniors
- Must be planning to study environmental engineering or agriculture (applicants applying for the agriculture scholarship must also be involved in FFA)
- Qualifications also include civic responsibility, compassion and concern for others, good character, and value system as evidenced in essay and letters of recommendation
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Phyllis Lundie Gruver Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso and Durand High School Seniors
- Must plan to study in the medical field
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Harold J. Haas Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Seniors
- Must attend Michigan State University
- Should have participated in any high school athletics (not necessary to have excelled in athletics, but shows qualities of true sportsmanship and being a team player)
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Coach Tom Harkema Athletic Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Seniors
- Applicants must have participated in athletics with priority given to those who participated in football and track
- Qualifications also include compassion and concern for others; should be good citizens with high moral character
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Ellane I. Hogan Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Seniors
- Must attend a college in Michigan
- Must plan to pursue a career in nursing

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**C.S. Hood Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates (preference given to Owosso H.S. Students)
- Must be education majors (preference given to history and/or social studies teachers on the secondary level of public schools)
- GPA may be average or higher
- Good character and citizenship are also considered
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Cheryl L. Hrecka Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County High School Religious Education Seniors
- Must be members in good standing of a Shiawassee County Catholic Church
- Must be a good citizen with high moral character
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Harold V. and Ima B. Johns Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Seniors
  - Planning to pursue a career in either NURSING or in the field of Christian Ministry
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**Donald A. Knieper Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to New Lothrop High School Seniors
- Planning to attend an accredited college or trade school

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**Kris Marie Kulhanek Memorial Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Preference is given to agri-science students and members of 4-H

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**LaJoye-Shenk Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Durand High School Seniors
- Must plan to attend a college in Michigan

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**Jackie Leone Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso and Corunna High School Graduates
- Preference is given to journalism majors, English majors will also be considered
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Jill Malzahn Health Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Available to medical students only
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**New Lothrop Schools Endowment Fund**

- Available to New Lothrop High School Seniors
- Preference is given to business students

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**Nathan Nover Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Must be an accounting or medical student
- Must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Must have participated in at least one extracurricular activity

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**Nover Owosso High School Sparkplug Award Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Senior Male Athletes
- Must personify athletic skills, team spirit, leadership, and courage as recommended by Owosso H.S. Athletic Director and/or staff
- Athletes from football, cross-country, and track are given first consideration
- Candidates should show some type of community service and good citizenship including high school extracurricular activities, job experience, and volunteer work

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**Martin and Leona O'Brien Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Students
- Must attend a 2 or 4 year accredited program in the field of Agriculture, Agribusiness, Agricultural Science, Farm Management, Soil Conservation, other farming related fields of study, or Veterinary Medicine.
- 500 word personal essay must include the student's school/farm related activities, personal interests, goals and why the applicant has chosen a career in the field of agriculture.

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**Owosso Education Association's Mary E. Harper Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Seniors
- Must be motivated for a career requiring at least four years of college or an associate's degree from a two-year college
- High academic achievement (cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher)
- Must be of honorable character giving promise of completion of career goals
- Must have participated in high school activities
- Must demonstrate leadership
- Preference is given to a student who has a parent presently a member in good standing of the Owosso Education Association, second consideration will be given to students interested in the teaching profession

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**Owosso High School Leadership Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Seniors who have demonstrated outstanding leadership in student organizations
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**Paul Penjaska Family Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Primary focus on trade, physical science, or engineering students
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Michael Anthony Randolph Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Senior Band Percussionists
- Qualifications also include civic responsibility, compassion and concern for others, good character, and value system as evidenced in essay
- A letter of recommendation from the Owosso H.S. Band Director is required

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**David A. Reed Agricultural Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Seniors
- Must be planning to study agriculture

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**Evan James Reed Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Must be planning to study in the field of special education to aid the mentally or physically challenged or impaired

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**Andrew Rehmann Memorial Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates, Ovid-Elsie, Chesaning, Powers Catholic High School (Flint) Graduates, and Lansing Catholic High School Graduates
- Must be active in their church and include their church affiliation on their application form
- Must have a love of animals and include a humorous animal story experienced by the applicant in their essay
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Owen A. and D. Arlene Rood Journalism Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County area graduates. Preference given to Durand High School Graduates
- Must plan to study journalism as a major in college

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**Erwin Ryckman Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Students
- Preference given to Pharmacy students
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Bill and Kay Scarlett Family Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Applicant must plan on attending a college or university within a two-year period after high school graduation
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Ronald K. Seelhoff Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Graduates
- Pursuing a career in finance, accounting, or mathematics
- Priority is given to those students who live in the Henderson area

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**Shiawassee County Bar Association's Patricia Carmody Memorial Scholarship**

- Available to students who either reside in Shiawassee County, have graduated from a high school in Shiawassee County, or will graduate from a High School in Shiawassee County.
  - Must be planning to study any one of the following programs: Paralegal program, Court Reporter, Criminal Justice, Law Enforcement, Legal Secretary, Legal Administrative Assistant, Law or Pre-Law Curriculum, or any other Law-Related field.
  - Write an essay covering one or more of the following topics:  
(The essay should be between one to five pages in length, double-spacing and at least a 12-point font)
    1. Describe your current hopes for your career after completing college. How will your education, experience, and development so far support those plans?
    2. How might your perspectives and experiences enrich the quality and breadth of the intellectual life of our community or enhance the legal profession or law enforcement community ?
    3. Describe your educational experiences so far. What kinds of learning environments, teaching methods, student cultures, and/or evaluation processes have you found lead you to thrive, or contrariwise, thwarted your success?
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**Joseph T. Sierzenga, III Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Graduates
- Preference is given to those students who have demonstrated determination and commitment to overcome many obstacles in life as described in their essay

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**Robert G. Skinner Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Byron High School Seniors
- Must have participated in any high school athletics (not necessary to have excelled in athletics)

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**Stephen and Pauline Smith Family Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Durand Area High School Seniors
- Must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Must attend an accredited college or trade school
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Devin Allen Swatman Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Graduates
- Planning to attend either an accredited college or technical/vocational school and study any one of the following fields: Automotive, Construction, Electrical/Electronics, Graphic Arts, Industrial Technology, Mechanical Technology

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**Roger and Marian Talbot Family Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Byron High School Graduates
- Preference is given to students attending Baker College, Central Michigan University, Ferris State University, Lansing Community College, or Michigan State University

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**Irene Turk-MSU Art Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Corunna and New Lothrop High School Graduates
- Majoring in Art at Michigan State University
- Must have at least a “B” average
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Iris (Turk) Lott Library Science Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Byron and Durand High School Graduates
- Specializing in Library Science
- Must have at least a “B” average
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Brad A. VanPelt Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Seniors
- Must have participated in any high school athletics
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Troy A. Vincke Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to New Lothrop High School Seniors
- Preference is given to a well-rounded, deserving, good students
- Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)

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**Mary Bea deBoom Wasper Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Seniors
- Pursuing a career in business
- Must have a satisfactory school attendance record
- A copy of the applicant’s high school attendance record is required with this application

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**Merijo Wieber Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Owosso High School Graduates
- Must be pursuing a career in special education with the goal of becoming a teacher

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**Carl R. Woodbury Memorial Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Corunna High School Seniors
  - Must be pursuing a career in engineering or metallurgy
  - Community involvement
  - Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)
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**Kevin A. Zmitko Agricultural Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County High School Seniors and Graduates
- Must plan to study agriculture
- Include any agriculture experience in essay

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**Zonta Club of Owosso Scholarship Fund**

- Available to Shiawassee County Area High School Female Seniors
  - Applicants must possess strong leadership skills and academic excellence
  - Pursuing either an Associate's or Bachelor's Degree
  - Based on Financial Need (a copy of FAFSA or income tax return required)
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For more information on the history of our scholarship funds, please visit our website at [www.shiawasseecommunityfoundation.org](http://www.shiawasseecommunityfoundation.org)

## ***SAMPLE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION RESUME***

**Name**  
**Address**  
**City, State, Zip**  
**Phone Number**  
**Email**  
**Current Date**

### **College Plans**

Include the name of the college or trade school you plan on attending and what you plan on studying.

### **Educational Experience**

Include the name of your high school and college (if you have taken college courses). Also, include any additional educational experience that you have.

### **Academic/Scholastic Activities**

Include your activities in clubs, student government, National Honor Society, etc.

### **Sporting Activities**

Include your involvement in sports.

### **Extracurricular and Community Activities**

Include civic activities, clubs, volunteer work, etc.

### **Leadership Positions**

Include number of years you have participated in these activities and your leadership position, letters earned, awards received, and recognitions.

### **Work Experience**

Include the name of employer, nature of work, positions held, and dates employed.