

EFSAF MICHAEL FLEISCHAUER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

administered by the Elizabeth Forward Alumni & Friends Association

ABOUT THE EFSAF MICHAEL FLEISCHAUER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship was established and funded by Jane Fleischauer to honor her deceased husband, Mike Fleischauer, EFHS Class of 1964. Mike was a teacher in the North Allegheny School District and served on the Elizabeth Forward Student Aid Fund (EFSAF) Board of Directors for several years because it was important to him to be able to give back to his community as well as EFSAF that supported him while he was a college student.

TERMS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP

One \$2,000 scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior at Elizabeth Forward High School intent on furthering his/her education as a full-time student at a four-year college or university.

SELECTION PROCESS AND CRITERIA

The Scholarship Selection Committee will review all complete applications based on the applicant's supporting evidence that he/she has met challenges amidst obstacles while sustaining academic excellence and personal accountability and the response to the prompt below. Applicants should document a financial need.

NOTIFICATION AND RECEIPT OF SCHOLARSHIP

The recipient will be notified by early May via e-mail and a confirmation letter. The letter will inform the recipient of what needs to be provided to EFASA to receive the scholarship. Information relating to a required thank you letter will be included with the confirmation letter.

THE APPLICATION

1. Using word processing, submit the following information. Include the number/letter of the item when providing your information.
 - a. Name of the scholarship for which you are applying:
 - b. Your name:
 - c. Home Address:
 - d. Home Telephone Number:
 - e. Cell Telephone Number:
 - f. Texting Number:
 - g. E-mail Address:
 - h. Name of college/university you plan to attend:
 - i. Name of intended major:
 - j. Briefly explain why you believe you meet the criteria for this scholarship:

- k. Write a 300-500-word essay (double-spaced) on this prompt: **What experiences have challenged your education and describe how you have attempted to meet the challenge(s)?**
2. As a separate document, prepare an up-to-date personal resume that includes your academic achievements, senior-year courses, extracurricular activities, community service, etc.
3. Make two copies of all application materials (including your essay, resume, and documentation of financial need) and collate them into two separate packets so each packet contains one copy of each document and then staple each packet.
4. Place the two packets into one **unsealed** 9 x 12 envelope.
5. Write your name and the scholarship name on the outside of the envelope.
6. Submit all materials to your guidance counselor as soon as possible but not later than February 28.
7. Request that your counselor provide EFAFA with your EFHS academic transcript.