

LEONARD MOFFA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

administered by the Elizabeth Forward Alumni & Friends Association

ABOUT THE LEONARD MOFFA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship was established by the family of Leonard Moffa. Leonard worked as an engineer for 30+ years at Chromalox. To honor Leonard, his family wishes to continue his legacy and his love for engineering through this memorial scholarship. They hope this scholarship represents the first step in an EF student's journey to a successful career in the STEM fields, particularly, engineering.

TERMS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP

One \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior at Elizabeth Forward High School intent on furthering his or her education as a full-time student attending a 4-year university pursuing a career in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM), with a heavy emphasis on engineering specifically, mechanical or electrical.

SELECTION PROCESS AND CRITERIA

The Scholarship Selection Committee will review all completed applications based on the applicant's participation in academic activities, helpful reference(s), sustained academic effort with a minimum GPA of 3.75, and the response to the prompt below. Awards or competitions, and academic excellence in a technology field would be helpful but not required.

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 EFAFA 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 4-year 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. Reference letter(s) from an AP teacher in math or physics and/or an employer/project supervisor
 - l. Write a 200-300-word essay (double-spaced) on this prompt: **Describe in detail a project in which you were involved that used the skills required to be a successful engineer or in a career that fits within the STEM fields.**
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 and resume) 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 EFAPA with your EFHS academic transcript.