# FOUR FRIENDS EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

### administered by the Elizabeth Forward Alumni & Friends Association

### ABOUT THE FOUR FRIENDS EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship was established by Vinnie Delmer, Carla Gealy, Mary Havel, and Lynn Vogt. All are Elizabeth Forward graduates and served as elementary teachers in the Elizabeth Forward School District. They all recognize the importance of early education in a child's life and the dedication of their teachers.

### TERMS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP

One scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded to a graduating senior at Elizabeth Forward High School intent on furthering his or her education as a full-time student at a four-year college or university majoring in education with a preference being given to elementary education.

### SELECTION PROCESS AND CRITERIA

The recipient will be selected by an EFAFA Scholarship Selection Committee based on a sustained record of academic achievement, involvement in school activities and community service, and response to the prompt below.

## NOTIFICATION AND RECEIPT OF SCHOLARSHIP

The recipient will be notified by early May via e-mail or text message 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 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 has inspired me to choose education as my career?
- 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. Email the application, the essay, and the resume as separate PDF

**attachments** to <u>EFAFA.Board@gmail.com</u> as soon as possible but not later than February 28. The filename must indicate the specific scholarship and the component of the application, for example: fourfriends\_application.pdf and fourfriends\_essay.pdf. Place the name of the scholarship in the Subject heading.