

THE LORAIN FOUNDATION
A Community Trust

2019 SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

The Lorain Foundation awards scholarships each year from its General Fund to assist students with tuition, room and board at two- and four-year colleges and universities. Graduating high school seniors **must live in the City of Lorain** to be eligible to apply.

Scholarship recipients and award amounts are determined at the discretion of the Selection Committee of the Lorain Foundation. Students who are awarded scholarships from the Foundation are also eligible for a one-time renewal scholarship the following year. If you are eligible for a renewal scholarship, then you must complete the application and return it (along with all other required documents) to the Foundation by the deadline date.

Scholarships are awarded regardless of race, age, gender, creed, physical disability, religion or national origin.

DEADLINE for submitting scholarship applications is *April 15, 2019.*

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA &
MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS**
PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

- ★**Students must live in the City of Lorain to be eligible to apply.**
- ★High school seniors should rank in the top 25% of their graduating class.
- ★Renewal applicants should have a GPA of at least 3.0 (although consideration is given to all applicants).
- ★The scholarship is applicable only to full-time college level study.
- ★All applicants must complete the **FAFSA** (*Free Application for Federal Student Aid*) and submit their entire Student Aid Report (SARS) with the application form.
- ★Attach an official transcript from your present school as well as a copy of ACT and/or SAT test scores (high school seniors).
- ★**All new applications must be processed by the school's Guidance Department/Counselor to confirm class rank and test scores.**
- ★**Renewal applications** only should be mailed to *The Lorain Foundation, P.O. Box 522, Lorain, OH 44052.*
- ★All information supplied on the application form must be accurate and complete.

➤ ***Do NOT return this page with your application packet.***

Will you work while in college? Yes No

Will you live: Off campus On campus

FINANCIAL NEED

College you plan to or currently attend _____ Major _____

Cost:

Tuition \$ _____ + room & board \$ _____ = a. \$ _____

Parental contribution: \$ _____ + your contribution \$ _____ = b. \$ _____

Other known grants, scholarships: \$ _____ = c. \$ _____

Amount of financial need (Subtract b and c from a) = d. \$ _____

Please list other scholarships or financial assistance applied for or received:

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Amount applied for or received</u>
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____

Supplemental information: Use this space to provide the Selection Committee with any additional information concerning your financial need, changes in income, etc. (attach additional sheets if necessary).

By signing below, you acknowledge that all information submitted in this application is accurate and complete to the best of your knowledge.

Applicant's signature

Date

Parent/Guardian signature
Relationship to applicant _____

Date

REMEMBER to include the *FAFSA*, the entire Student Aid Report (SARS) and an official transcript with the application form.

Return renewal applications to:
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P.O. Box 522
Lorain, OH 44052