



# FRED AND ETHEL SHAFFER SCHOLARSHIP

2024 Application

## Scholarship Background

The scholarship was created by donors with a firm belief in the value of education to encourage high school graduates who need financial assistance to pursue higher education. With many years of strong ties to the Grove City community, the fund provides financial assistance to academically talented students in the Grove City, OH community who otherwise might be unable to attend college.

## Eligibility Criteria

- Candidates must be seniors or graduates of Grove City High School in Grove City, OH
- Candidates who are graduating seniors must have a 3.5 grade point average (assuming a 4.0 scale)
- Candidates who are graduates must have a 3.0 grade point average (assuming a 4.0 scale)
- Candidates must be pursuing a four-year (or more) degree full-time at an Ohio, state-supported university.

## Award Amount

\$20,000 payable over four years at \$5,000 per year

## Deadline

March 29, 2024

## Send COMPLETE Applications to:

John Sayer  
Senior Guidance Counselor  
Grove City High School

## Application Requirements

Return documents listed below in ONE envelope on or before deadline.

<input type="checkbox"/> Page 1	<b>Cover Sheet</b>	This shows that all boxes are checked to ensure all documents are included.
<input type="checkbox"/> Page 2	<b>Application Form</b>	Contact and College/University Information.
<input type="checkbox"/> Attachment 1	<b>Essay</b>	See application form for more information.
<input type="checkbox"/> Attachment 2	<b>Activities Profile</b>	Create an outline or resume including year for the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• High School Activities &amp; Awards</li> <li>• Community &amp; Extracurricular Activities</li> <li>• Leadership Roles</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/> Attachment 3, 4, & 5	<b>Three Letters of Recommendation Transcript</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. High School Faculty member (not serving on the selection committee).</li> <li>2. High School Guidance Counselor</li> <li>3. Community Service Organization or Employer</li> </ol>
<input type="checkbox"/> Attachment 6	<b>Transcript</b>	Most recent transcript (unofficial transcript is sufficient).
<input type="checkbox"/> Attachment 7	<b>FAFSA Submission Summary</b>	This is the form you receive when you complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid. All pages are required.





Applications are considered INCOMPLETE until all pages and attachments have been received.

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## Student Contact Information

Name:

Mr.  Ms. \_\_\_\_\_  
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

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

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
Area Code Month /Day/Year

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

## Applicant Education Information

### High School

Graduating High School: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name City, State

High School Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank: \_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_ .

Unweighted High School GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ on a 4.0 scale

Testing Act Score: \_\_\_\_\_ SAT Composite Score: \_\_\_\_\_

### College or University

In the 2024-2024 academic year, I plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

College/University: \_\_\_\_\_ Intended Start Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State

Planned Major or Course of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Plan to attend college:  Full-time  Part-time

Have you been admitted:  Yes  No  Waiting to hear back

Have you received any received any other tuition assistance?  Yes  No

## Essay

In 300 words, explain why you feel you are qualified for this scholarship and how a college education will help you achieve your goals.

