



Ashley Marie Easterbrook Internet Scholarship Application Spring 2009

Deadline: Must be postmarked by Tuesday, Midnight, March 31st, 2009

Award

One \$1,000 Scholarship

Required

- Applicant must **CURRENTLY** be a High School student (or home schooled) in the United States, graduating in the spring of 2009.
- Cumulative 4-year Grade Point Average between 3.50 and 3.74. (Unweighted).
- Transcript verifying GPA (as of at least 12/31/08) must be included.
- Student should be attending an accredited 4-year University or College.
- Each applicant must submit an application. Application includes a document providing background information, a 500 word essay and one letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor or administrator. This recommendation letter is to focus on two subjects: 1) how the student is viewed by other students and 2) how the student is viewed by the teaching staff.
- ***Applications will be accepted between January 1, 2009 and March 31, 2009. We can not accept applications outside of these dates. Postmarks will be used as verification of date. Please plan accordingly.***

Preferred

- Student should have involvement in organized programs/activities that are designed to help other students improve the quality of their life.
- Student should have work experience either paid or volunteer.

PLEASE DO NOT FOLD THE APPLICATION!

Application Process

Step 1: Complete application with your background information listed below.

Step 2: Create a document that answers the following questions:

- Please list any organizations/activities that you were involved in during your 12 years of school.
- Please list any leadership positions that you held any time in your 12 years of school.
- Please provide a recap of your work experience. This should include volunteer work and/or work which you were paid for.
- Please provide a 500 word essay on *one* of the following two subjects:

Subject 1: Preventing Teenage Binge Drinking
OR

Subject 2: Preventing Drunk Driving

Step 3: CHECKLIST: Ensure the following is in the envelope in this order:

- Essay
- Background Information
- Document regarding organizations, leadership roles, work experience
- Letter of recommendation as mentioned in “Required”
- Verify submission date between 1/1/09 and 3/31/09.
- Transcript verifying GPA as of 12/31/08.
- Please don’t fold the application, keep all paperwork flat.

Step 4: Staple all the paperwork together, essay on top, and *mail this entire package (in a 9” x 12” envelope) to:*

**Foundation for Ashley’s Dream
675 E. Big Beaver Road
Suite 101
Troy, MI 48083**

“Ever since I was a little girl, I dreamed of helping people.....I am very determined, and know that through my experiences of helping others, I will continue to receive a sense of pride (and) satisfaction.....just knowing that I have put a smile on someone’s face.”

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September 14, 1978 - June 3, 1997

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION

FIRST NAME:
MIDDLE NAME:
LAST NAME:
STREET ADDRESS:
CITY:
STATE:
ZIP CODE:
BIRTH DATE:
HOME PHONE NUMBER:
EMAIL ADDRESS:
GRADUATION DATE:
NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL:
STREET ADDRESS:
CITY:
STATE:
ZIP CODE:
NAME OF PRINCIPAL OR COUNSELOR:
PHONE NUMBER OF SCHOOL:

Please note:

We did not ask for your Social Security Number. However, you will be asked for it if you are selected as a recipient. (By the way, it's not a good idea to provide your SSN to anyone unless you know exactly what it is to be used for).

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