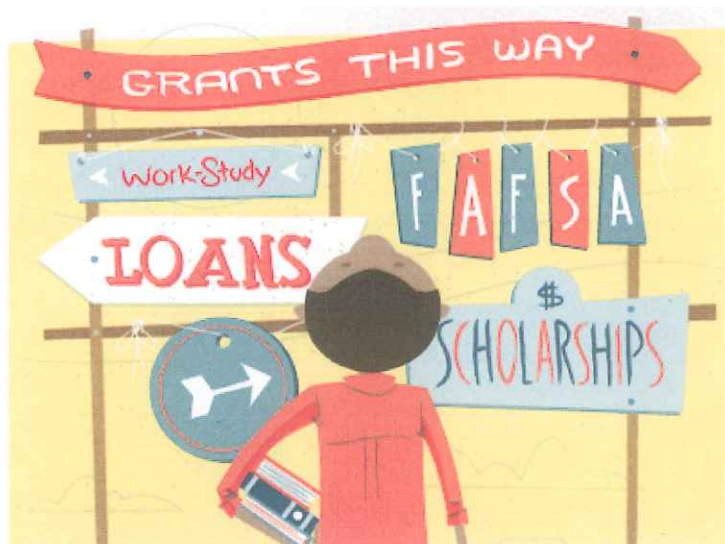


Take Charge of Your Future



There's a lot to think about when picturing your college experience – including the cost of attending! Take one step in addressing that need by applying for the

JEAN M. R. SMITH FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

- WHO:** Huron County high school seniors seeking to obtain an undergraduate degree
- WHAT:** Fill out an application for the Jean M. R. Smith Foundation Scholarship
- WHERE:** Applications can be obtained from your high school counselor, Bad Axe District Library or by writing to: Jean M. R. Smith Foundation, P.O. Box 42, Bad Axe, MI 48413
- WHEN:** Applications **MUST** be postmarked by March 1, 2017
- WHY:** Current Jean M. R. Smith Foundation Scholarship grants are up to \$24,000 over 4 years (up to \$6,000 per year)
- HOW:** Mail completed applications to:
Jean M. R. Smith Foundation
P.O. Box 42
Bad Axe, MI 48413

The Jean M. R. Smith Foundation was established in 1996 for the primary purpose of granting college scholarships to Huron County high school seniors seeking to obtain an undergraduate degree. Scholarships may be awarded to students initially attending community colleges who will transfer to a bachelor degree granting institution after two years. The Foundation has awarded 164 scholarships since its inception.

The Foundation is planning to award up to twenty scholarships to high school seniors. The current grant is up to \$24,000 (\$6,000 per year) per scholarship. Scholarships may be renewed each year up to three additional academic years if the recipient maintains satisfactory academic progress. The scholarship may be used to pay tuition, fees, room, board, books and in place of student loans.

Applicants must be Huron County residents. Scholarship selection criteria include character, academic achievement, extra-curricular activities, community service activities and financial need. ACT scores, EFC, anticipated loans and scholarship amounts must be included or the application will be designated as 'incomplete.' Incomplete applications will not be considered.

JEAN M. R. SMITH FOUNDATION

P.O. Box 42
Bad Axe, MI 48413

2017 College Scholarship Application

Application Must Be Postmarked By March 1, 2017

For Foundation Use Only:

Date Postmarked ____ / ____ / ____

Initials: _____

Student - Personal

Name _____ Age _____ Date of Birth ____ / ____ / ____

Address _____

City or Village _____ Zip _____ High School _____

Cell Phone No. (____) _____ Home Phone No. (____) _____

County _____ (Student **must be** a current Huron County Resident)

Email Address _____

Employed? _____ If Yes, Place of Employment _____

College/University/Community College you plan to attend _____ Part Time _____ Full Time _____
(please circle one of the above)

When will you begin? _____ Intended Major and/or Career Choice _____

If Community College student, do you plan to transfer to a Bachelor degree-granting institution? Yes _____ No _____

Name of college/university you plan to attend after Community College _____

For School Use Only:

G.P.A. _____ Class Rank _____ ACT or SAT _____

I have verified the preceding information and approve this application:

Signature: _____ Title: _____
Guidance Counselor or Principal

Other College Financial Assistance

Did you file a FAFSA form to apply for financial aid? _____ (Requirement for consideration for scholarship)

If yes, list the EFC amount appearing on page one (top right) of your Student Aid Report (SAR) \$ _____

Include a copy of page 1 of your SAR with your application.

List all financial assistance from colleges and any other sources, of which you are currently aware.

Grants(s) \$ _____ Scholarship(s) \$ _____ Loan(s) \$ _____ Other \$ _____
☐ None known ☐ None known ☐ None known ☐ None known

Parent/Guardian

Name _____

Occupation _____

Place of Employment _____

Name _____

Occupation _____

Place of Employment _____

Other Children in family

Name _____

Age _____ Year Attending College _____

Name _____

Age _____ Year Attending College _____

Name _____

Age _____ Year Attending College _____

Name _____

Age _____ Year Attending College _____

Activities (May include **one** typed page (8 ½ X 11", 10 pt or 11 pt) of activities instead of listing below.)

List your high school extra-curricular activities and years of participation.

List your community service activities.

Attach a total of **two** written and signed recommendations from non-family members:
one from a community service activity director (not affiliated with your school), employer, pastor, or family friend and
one from a teacher, principal, guidance counselor, or superintendent of the high school from which you are graduating.

I verify that all the information contained herein is accurate as of this date:

Student Signature _____

Date ____/____/____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date ____/____/____