

Lenawee Youth Center, Inc.

Maurice Spear Campus

2910 AIRPORT HWY.
ADRIAN, MI 49221

LENAWEE YOUTH CENTER SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____
 First Middle Last Date

ADDRESS _____
 Street City State Zip

EMAIL _____ PHONE/CELL _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____ EMPLOYED Yes No

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION:

Place of employment Position Held Dates of Employment Hrs. per week
(Additional information may be added on the back of this page)

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: (Ninth through twelfth grades)

Name of School	Date of Entrance	Period of Time Attended

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SCHOOL OR COLLEGE CURRENTLY ATTENDING OR LAST ATTENDED:

Name of School/College	Address/City, State, Zip

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SCHOOL OR COLLEGE FOR WHICH SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS ARE NEEDED:

YEAR IN COLLEGE/SCHOOL NEXT SEMESTER: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

DO YOU HAVE RELIABLE TRANSPORTATION TO ATTEND SCHOOL? Yes No

**ACTIVITIES AND INVOLVEMENT IN THE COMMUNITY OR AT MAURICE SPEAR CAMPUS:
FOR EXAMPLE - SCHOOL RELATED SPORTS, ORGANIZATIONS, HONORS IF APPLICABLE AND/OR
CAMPUS ACTIVITIES SUCH AS RAKING LEAVES, FOSTER CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY, DRUM
CORP, ETC.**

CAMPUS INFORMATION:

DID YOU PARTICIPATE IN THE AFTERCARE PROGRAM?

YES

NO

WHAT PHASES DID YOU COMPLETE TO EXIT MAURICE SPEAR CAMPUS?

DID YOU PARTICIPATE IN THE "NEXT STEP" (GOODWILL) PROGRAM? YES NO
IF YES, PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR INVOLVEMENT.

DO YOU PLAN TO CONTINUE ANY VOLUNTEER WORK?
IF YES, PLEASE EXPLAIN:

YES

NO

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

HAVE YOU COMPLETED THE FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID?

(FAFSA)? (Circle one) YES NO

(For additional information, log on to fafsa.ed.gov and/or see attached "Federal Student Aid At A Glance")

ARE YOU WILLING TO SECURE LOANS TO COMPLETE YOUR EDUCATION? YES NO

EXPENSES AND RESOURCES FOR THE FIRST TERM/SEMESTER OF COLLEGE

ESTIMATED EXPENSES:

Tuition expense per semester or as designated by the institution. \$ _____

Please indicate any other expenses that may hinder your Educational success, i.e. child care, housing, auto, etc.

\$ _____

TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENSES: \$ _____

RESOURCES:

Amount

1. Personal/potential Savings \$ _____

2. Parental/family assistance \$ _____

3. Possible financial (FAFSA) aid:
Grants \$ _____

Loans \$ _____

4. Scholarships \$ _____

5. Any other aid \$ _____

TOTAL ESTIMATED RESOURCES \$ _____

TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENSES \$ _____

LESS ESTIMATED RESOURCES \$ _____

TOTAL NEED \$ _____

PLEASE INDICATE THE SPECIFIC DOLLAR AMOUNT YOU ARE REQUESTING FROM THE LENA WEE YOUTH CENTER SCHOLASHIP FUND:

\$ _____

GOALS/ESSAY

BRIEFLY STATE WHAT YOU LEARNED FROM YOUR MAURICE SPEAR CAMPUS EXPERIENCE:

INCLUDE A BRIEF ESSAY (150 WORDS MAXIMUM) DESCRIBING YOUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS, YOUR CAREER GOALS AND HOW YOU EXPECT TO FULFILL THOSE GOALS. INCLUDE YOUR PLANS FOR YOUR EDUCATION AND ENROLLMENT IN AN ACCREDITED POST SECONDARY INSTITUTION AND THE FIELD OF STUDY YOU WISH TO FOLLOW. ESSAY MAY BE INCLUDED IN THE SPACE BELOW, EXPAND TO BACK OF THIS PAGE OR BE ATTACHED AS A SEPARATE COPY TO THE APPLICATION.

X

Applicant Signature

STATEMENTS/RELEASES

**STATEMENT OF APPLICANT -
TO MAURICE SPEAR CAMPUS ADMINISTRATION AND SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE:**

I understand that this scholarship, if granted to me, is for pursuing the course of study at the higher education institution stated in this application. If for any reason my plans change before the beginning the school semester, I will inform the Maurice Spear Scholarship Committee in writing. At that time the Scholarship committee will have the right to reevaluate my application and revoke my scholarship.

I understand that failure to notify the Scholarship Committee of any changes in my college plans will result in an automatic revocation of any scholarship assistance that I might have otherwise received.

I give permission to Maurice Spear Campus to release my high school grades and test scores to the Scholarship Committee.

DATE _____

Parent's Signature (if student is not 18)

Student's Signature

**AGENCY RELEASE
TO MAURICE SPEAR CAMPUS ADMINISTRATION:**

I hereby give my consent to the appropriate Maurice Spear Campus personnel and/or administration to discuss information pertinent to my scholarship application with the members of the Scholarship Committee of the Lenawee Youth Center, Inc. Board.

The purpose of this information is to assist the Committee in making a decision to fund, in whole, or part, a scholarship toward my pursuit of higher education.

I give my consent _____
Signature of Applicant

Date _____

Parent or Guardian Signature (if student is not 18)

Date _____

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General Instructions – Lenawee Youth Center Scholarship Application

1. Application and statements must be legible, filled out completely and include all required signatures.
2. Official high school and (if applicable) post-secondary transcripts are required. They may be photocopied.
3. College admission test scores (ACT/SAT) should be included if you are a recent graduate. They may be photocopied.
4. Proof of acceptance to and enrollment in an accredited institution is required. It may be photocopied.
5. Proof of your completion of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is required. A confirmation notification receipt of your student report is sufficient. It may be photocopied.
6. An essay by the applicant is required (see page 5 of application). This essay should be 150 words or less and explain the applicant's accomplishments, education, career goals and the applicant's plans to fulfill those goals.
7. Two letters of recommendation must be attached to the completed application including one from a Maurice Spear Campus staff member and one from a community member or employer. Please note that it is the applicant's responsibility to guarantee that these letters are submitted with the application. If the recommending party wishes to send them direct to the Scholarship Committee rather than with the applicant, he/she may do so. However, it is imperative that they arrive in a timely manner to be reviewed with the completed application papers.
8. If an applicant is selected for an interview, that applicant must be willing to participate in a personal interview with the Lenawee Youth Center Scholarship Committee at a date/time to be mutually arranged between the two parties.
9. The suggested deadline for submitting the application is **NO LATER THAN TWO MONTHS** prior to the beginning of the appropriate semester in the school year. The following suggested deadlines have been established to meet this time frame.
 - > Deadline for enrollment in fall semester -- July 1
 - > Deadline for enrollment in winter semester – November 1
 - > Deadline for enrollment in spring semester – April 1
10. **MAIL, DELIVER, OR RETURN ALL COMPLETED AND REQUIRED PAPERWORK TO:**

Maurice Spear Campus
Attention: Scholarship Chairperson
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