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College Scholarship Application Instructions

The Grants & Allocations Committee encourages you to review the entire application before making your decision to apply. If you have any questions please email Grants@jfed.net.

Directions: Our form is easy to use. Just download the form, click in the boxes and type your data in the forms. Finally, save it and mail along with one copy of your official transcript, your EFC report and 2 letters of recommendation to The Foundation at 444 Main Street North, Southbury, CT 06488.

- The Committee accepts complete application packages only.
- Applications must be received no later than **April 5th**.
- Please read the section instructions carefully.
- All applicants must be in good standing with their current institution (not on academic or other probation.)
- The Committee recommends that you give thoughtful consideration and time to crafting a competitive essay.
- Scholarship awards will be announced on or about **June 15th**.

A Completed Scholarship Application Includes Copies Of Your Signed Application, One Official Transcript, Your EFC Report and Two Letters of Recommendation.

The Dr. William Finkelstein College Scholarship:

Eligibility: Jewish undergraduate students accepted or attending an accredited undergraduate college/university.

Qualifications: Financial Need

Residency requirements: The greater Waterbury area, with special attention paid to Waterbury residents.

Annual Grants: Two new scholarships per academic year of \$3,000 each. Previous awardees will be reconsidered.

Please indicate here if you are applying for this scholarship.

First time Applicant Renewal

The Janet and Alan Hertzmark College Scholarship:

Eligibility: Jewish undergraduate students accepted or attending an accredited undergraduate college/university.

Qualifications: Strong academic record.

Residency requirements: The state of Connecticut.

Annual Grants: One scholarship per academic year of up to \$1,000. Previous awardees will be reconsidered.

Please indicate here if you are applying for this scholarship.

First time Applicant Renewal

The Shobhna Shukla and Matthew Ginsburg College Scholarship:

Eligibility: Post-high school students accepted or attending any accredited technical school, undergraduate college/university, or graduate or post-graduate program.

Qualifications: Financial need, on a non-discriminatory manner as to race or religion.

Residency requirements: Waterbury.

Annual Grants: Two new scholarships per academic year of up to \$3,000 each. Previous awardees will be reconsidered.

Please indicate here if you are applying for this scholarship.

First time Applicant Renewal

Personal Information

Name:

Address:

City, State, Zip:

Telephone #:

Cell Phone #

Date of Birth:

Email Address:

List all family members living in household (excluding self)

Name	Age
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	

Religion: Jewish

Other

Will you be applying for other scholarships/grants? If yes, please list here with possible award amounts:

1.

2.

3.

Do you plan to live with parents?

On campus

Off Campus Housing?

If there are unusual financial circumstances please explain here:

Financial Information – Anticipated Cost of One Year of Education

Tuition \$

Room and Board \$

Textbooks \$

Supplies \$

Transportation \$

Other Expenses \$

Total Anticipated Cost \$

Expected Family Contribution from FAFSA Score:

NOTE: Copy of SAR (Student Aid Report) showing EFC is required to be eligible for consideration

Anticipated Financial Resources

Parent Contribution \$

Work-Study Income \$

Student Loans \$

Confirmed Grants \$

Confirmed Scholarships \$

Summer job \$

Part-time employment \$

Other Source(s) \$

Total Resources \$

Outstanding Loans

Anticipated Need this school year

Total:

Total:

Academic Information

Status – check appropriate box and complete requested data

Entering College Freshman – provide your High School’s name

Continuing Undergraduate Studies - please state your major and year you expect to graduate

Other _____

If entering freshman, please list the institutions to which you have applied in priority order. Place an asterisk next to those to which you have been accepted:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

List any academic honors and awards received:

- ✓
- ✓
- ✓

List organizations, activities, offices in which you have been active:

- ✓
- ✓
- ✓
- ✓

If the amount of any award granted to me by this scholarship is in excess of my need, the overage will be returned. To the best of my knowledge, the above information is true and accurate.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____

Date: _____

The committee desires a carefully and thoughtfully prepared essay to be completed annually. Please provide an essay (250 words or less) illustrating your career goals and aspirations.

