



Big Family of Michigan \$1,000 Education Scholarship Award Application

Please complete all sections of the application. **The deadline for submission is August 1, 2012.**

SECTION 1 – PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name:	Date of Birth:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:
Campus address:	Permanent address:
Email Address:	

SECTION 2 – ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Name of High School: _____

GPA: _____ Graduation Date: _____

SAT/ACT Scores: _____

Anticipated major(s): _____

University/College/Vocational /Technical School to which you have been accepted for admission and expected start date:

SECTION 3 –ACTIVITIES AND INTERESTS

A. List and briefly describe your high school extracurricular activities, if any (e.g. memberships in organizations, sports, etc.):

Organization Involved	Position Held	Date of Involvement

Brief description of your responsibilities:

B. List and briefly describe volunteer activities in which you have been involved, if any:

Organization	Activity	Date of Involvement

Brief description of how you participated:

C. List honors or academic awards you have received, if any (e.g. scholarly activities, research, etc.):

Award/Honor	Institution/Organization	Date

D. List and briefly describe any work experience, if any:

Position	Employer	Dates of Employment

Brief description of your work responsibilities:

SECTION 4 – SHORT ESSAY

Essay must be a minimum of 500 words (on a separate piece of paper).

Question:

How will you use your educational experience to make a difference?

Applicants must

1. Have been in Foster Care for one consecutive year at the time of their 18th birthday.
2. Be enrolled in or accepted into an accredited post-secondary program at the undergraduate level. (University, College, or Vocational/Technical Institute)
3. Be under the age of 25 on or before March 3, 2012.
4. Have been in Foster Care or orphaned while living in Michigan

Submitting your application

Please submit the following to be considered for the Big Family of Michigan scholarship:

1. Completed application form
2. Three letters of recommendation (one must be from your high school faculty or counselor)
3. Official copy of high school transcript or GED equivalent
4. ACT or SAT test results (official copy, or as part of high school transcript)
5. Confirmation of acceptance to university/college/vocational/technical school.
6. Essay

This application is due no later than AUGUST 1, 2012

**Return application to: Big Family of Michigan
 17560 Helro
 Fraser, Michigan 48026**

Please direct any questions to: John Iras 248-561-3532