

## The Frank Family Scholarship Award

The Scholarship was established by Michael and Chelsey Frank to provide support for students who are the first generation in their family planning to pursue a secondary education. The award reflects the Franks' belief in the importance of removing barriers to earn a college education. The Scholarship Fund is held by the Education Foundation for Billings Public Schools.

The scholarship is directed at a graduating senior from Billings Senior High School who is planning on attending either Montana State University or the University of Montana. **The Scholarship Award is \$775.00.** Funds are disbursed directly to the institution of higher learning after the Scholarship recipient has matriculated.

The scholarship Selection Committee will use the following criteria to determine the scholarship winner:

- Demonstrated community service and spirit through involvement in school and/or community (including church) organizations.
- Individual initiatives which exemplify character traits such as consideration for others, loyalty to community and country, respect for the beliefs and needs of others.
- Academic achievement with a minimum GPA of 3.5 for the last two years of high school.
- Participation and Leadership in athletic, musical, dramatic or other extracurricular activities.

### Applicant Requirements:

- First generation to attend college (first generation is defined as: parents did not graduate from a four-year college or university).
- Enrolled at a 4 year college/university in Montana
- Household income at or below \$70,000.00 in 2017 based on IRS tax return (based on 2017 Montana Median Household Income using Housing and Urban Development statistics).
- Neatly and thoroughly fill out application and return to your guidance counselor.
- Submit with the application a copy of your most recent high school transcript.
- Submit two letters of recommendation from a school official, teacher, counselor, employer, and/or activity sponsor.

The Scholarship will be presented at the annual awards assembly held at the student's high school in May. For further information, please contact Krista Hertz, Education Foundation, at 245-4133. Thank you.

Please submit applications to the Education Foundation or to your guidance counselor by Wednesday, March 21, 2018.



## Scholarship

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE-HOME: \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE-CELL: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF GRADUATION: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Names: \_\_\_\_\_

### Higher Education Plans:

What college/university in Montana you plan to attend?

Please indicate below which university you plan to attend.

1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you the first generation to attend college (first generation is defined as: parents did not graduate from a four-year college or university):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you meet the financial eligibility requirements?** \_\_\_\_\_

**References:** (Please provide name/phone numbers of non-relatives whom the Selection Committee could contact.)

Academic: 1. \_\_\_\_\_

Personal: 2. \_\_\_\_\_

### **SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:** (Organizations, clubs, athletics)

Name of Organization/Club/Activity

Year of Participation

9 10 11 12

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**LEADERSHIP POSITIONS:** (School & Community)

Name of Organization/Club/Activity                      9   10   11   12


**HONORS (School & Community)**

Awards/Leadership Roles Year of Participation

9   10   11   12


**COMMUNITY SERVICE/JOBS HELD**

9   10   11   12   Name of organization                      Position                      Hours/wk

9	10	11	12	Name of organization	Position	Hours/wk

I confirm that the above information is accurate and complete.

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Signature of Applicant

**Please remember to attach transcript and 2 letters of recommendation.**

**\*\*Additional information, such as a resume and summary about future plans, can be attached.**