



EAST VANDERGRIFT COMMUNITY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION FORM

Deadline: This application form and all other required documentation must be received as one packet by May 1, 2023.

The application packet should be mailed to:

East Vandergrift Community Foundation, PO Box 100, East Vandergrift, PA 15629.

Questions? Call (724) 664-1519 or e-mail: EVFoundation@comcast.net

All fields are required to be completed to be eligible for a scholarship.

Eligibility: Students must meet these criteria to be eligible.

Please initial:

1. ____ I confirm that I am or will be a graduate of a Westmoreland or an Armstrong County high school.
2. ____ I live in East Vandergrift or,
____ I have a relative residing in East Vandergrift to sponsor my application (a letter of sponsorship is required from the resident of East Vandergrift (must include their name, address and phone number, at a minimum).
3. ____ I will be attending an accredited college, university, or trade school
4. ____ If chosen for a scholarship, I will attend the East Vandergrift Community Foundation meeting to accept my award.

5. Name:

- a. First name-- Middle name(s) -- Last name:

- b. If it is different from your formal name, what do you prefer to be called?

6. Home address:

Address: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

7. Telephone: _____

8. E-mail: _____

9. Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): _____ / _____ / _____

10. What school do you currently attend?

Name: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone number: (_____) _____

What is your current GPA (attach a copy of the transcript): _____

11. Required for high school students only—GPA and college admission composite test score(s). Attach photocopies of all score reports.

GPA _____ ACT _____ SAT _____ Other _____

12. What college, university or trade school will you attend in 2023-2024? Attach a copy of the acceptance letter?

Name: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

13. Classification in fall semester 2023: _____
(i.e., Freshman, sophomore, junior, senior, graduate, PhD candidate, postgraduate)
Provide most recent grade transcript from the previous semester.

14. What degree(s) are you pursuing? _____

15. What profession or field of employment do you wish to enter with your college degree:

16. Anticipated year of graduation: _____

17. List any other postsecondary institutions you have attended:

19a. Name: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Years: _____

19b. Name: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Years: _____

19c. Name: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Years: _____

18. Provide a list of your community service activities in your application packet.
19. Provide two letters of recommendation (at least one should be from current teacher);
20. Provide an informal letter enabling the Foundation's Scholarship Committee to:
 - a. Become acquainted with the applicant;
 - b. Understand why the applicant wants to attend or is attending a college, university or trade school; and,
 - c. Understand what the applicant expects to gain from the education.
21. Include an Essay as part of the application packet:

The essay is limited to no more than 1,000 words, double-space the essay and use one-inch margins. Use an easily readable 12-point font.

Recommendation: Carefully proof your essay and know that well-done, short essays are admired.

The Foundation is looking for ideas and ways to improve the East Vandergrift community for its current residents and to attract new residents.

- What ideas do you have to improve East Vandergrift for its residents?
- What suggestions do you have to bring young families to the community to reside in?
- Why is East Vandergrift important to you as the applicant?
- What role can you have in making changes to improve East Vandergrift?
- What are the benefits?

22. *Certification Statement:

By signing my name below, I confirm that all the information provided above and in the accompanying documents is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signed: _____

Date: _____