

Manchester Scholarship Foundation, Inc.

2012 Application for High School Seniors

Eligibility

All listed qualifications are required.

- Residency in Manchester for at least six months duration immediately prior to the application deadline, April 6, 2012
- Graduate of Manchester High School, East Catholic High School, Howell Cheney Technical School, Cornerstone Christian School, Great Path Academy, or another secondary school in January or June of 2012
- Accepted into a college, university, community college, or other post-secondary school as a full-time student for the fall of 2012
- Ranked in top 65% of graduating class and have financial need

In addition to scholarships for students with financial need, a total of \$5,000 of MSF funds is available to divide among up to 10 students who are in the top 10% of their class and do not have financial need.

Criteria

- Demonstrated financial need
- Scholastic achievement
- School/community service and work experience

Awards

- Scholarships are for one year and are non-renewable
- Money is paid on a semester basis directly to the college
- Amount of individual awards will vary
- Applicants must notify the foundation of any change in school
- Scholarships will be presented at Awards Ceremony to be held at MCC in June, 2012

The Manchester Scholarship Foundation, Inc. does not discriminate against applicants on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, disability, sexual orientation, or source of income. MSF preserves and protects the confidentiality of all information received on this application and will release it only on a need to know basis.

Part A: Due April 6, 2012

This form should be completed by the applicant. Part A compiles information on your high school and community activities and gives permission to your high school to release records to the Manchester Scholarship Foundation, Inc.

Please mail all of Part A to: **Manchester Scholarship Foundation, Inc.**
P. O. Box 51
Manchester, CT 06045-0051

Name _____
Last First Middle Initial

Address _____
Street City State Zip Code

Phone # _____ E-Mail _____

Date of Birth _____ Male _____ Female _____

Ethnic Background (optional) African American _____ Asian _____ Caucasian _____
Hispanic _____ Italian _____ Other _____

Number of years a resident of Manchester, CT _____

Name of high school _____ Graduation Date _____

Name of elementary school attended _____ Middle School _____

Father's Name _____ Living _____ Deceased _____

Father's Address _____

Mother's Name _____ Living _____ Deceased _____

Mother's Address _____

List your high school extracurricular activities. Please be specific and provide complete names of organizations. Include athletics, clubs, offices held and awards won.

Extracurricular Activities	Grades 9,10,11,12	Awards, Offices Held
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

For what profession are you preparing? _____

What is your intended major or are you undecided? _____

List non-high school organizations to which you belong and have regularly volunteered your services. Examples: scouts, church, hospital.

Organization/Volunteer Activity	Grades				Approximate Hours Per Week, etc.
	9	10	11	12	
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Describe any talents, interests, awards, or recognition you have received while in high school that you have not previously mentioned. Indicate grade level of participation.

List work experience with grade level indicated.

Did you ever play in Little League? Yes _____ No _____
If yes, what team? _____ What years? _____

(OPTIONAL) On an attached sheet of paper, please state any matters that you feel warrant attention such as unusual family or personal circumstances.

CERTIFICATION SECTION

I affirm that, to the best of my knowledge, the above statements are correct. Permission is granted for my high school to release my class standing to the Manchester Scholarship Foundation, Inc. I understand that I am responsible for the submission of all required documents by the deadline. The Manchester Scholarship Foundation, Inc. reserves the right not to process applications found to be late or incomplete as of the application postmark deadline.

Student's Signature Date Parent or Guardian's Signature

Part C: Arthur Goodman Strong Memorial Scholarship

Due Friday April 6, 2012

Criteria to qualify for this scholarship

- Residency in Manchester for at least six months immediately prior to April 6, 2012
- A physical disability or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities as interpreted under the Americans With Disabilities Act
- High School diploma or GED of any year
- Plans to begin or continue post-secondary education

Documents needed to apply

- Part A of this application
- Part B of this application
- The MSF Physician's Statement
- Transcripts from all post-secondary schools attended
- If applicable, verification of GED completion

Please answer the following questions.

Name _____

State physical disability or mental impairment

Name and phone number of medical doctor who will fill out the MSF Physician's Statement

List special equipment and/or personal assistance you need to participate in your education plan. Provide estimated prices for these items. This information will help determine your financial need overall.

If you think you might qualify for this scholarship, you should contact Betsy Anderson at 860-646-5890 or <betsy.anderson@snet.net> and she will immediately mail the MSF Physician's Statement to you. Be sure to allow your doctor sufficient time to complete the form and return it to our organization before the deadline for all materials, April 6, 2012. If you have difficulty reaching Ms. Anderson, you can receive assistance by calling 860-645-1673.

Qualified applicants who are presently high school seniors and will graduate in June of 2012 will be considered for this scholarship and our other scholarships. Qualified applicants who graduated prior to 2012 or received the GED will be considered only for the Arthur Goodman Strong Memorial Scholarship.

Applicants who qualify for this scholarship may also apply again for an award for the next year of post-secondary education or training, whether or not an award is received in 2012.

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