

From EFHS Class of 1975: MAKE AN IMPACT EFHS 2025 SCHOLARSHIP

Administered by the Elizabeth Forward Alumni & Friends Association

Description of the Scholarship: *EFHS Class of 1975: Make an Impact EFHS 2025 Scholarship Proud of Our Past, Building Pride in Our Future.* In the last 50 years members of the EFHS Class of 1975 have been making an impact in so many fields: academics, athletics, business, culinary arts, hospitality, education, entrepreneurship, engineering, music, military service, the trades, labor, charitable and nonprofit organizations, medical fields, law, government, public safety, the arts, science, ministry, and volunteerism. We, the EFHS graduating class of 1975, are grateful for the foundation we received 50 years ago from our EFSD and the EF community. EFHS Class of 1975 would like to pay it forward with a one-time scholarship to an EFHS Class of 2025 graduating class member who is passionate about making an impact on *their* community.

TERMS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP One time \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a 2025 graduating senior at Elizabeth Forward High School intent on furthering his or her education as a full-time student to pursue training/education toward their chosen impactful career at a trade school, 2- or 4-year college/university.

SELECTION PROCESS AND CRITERIA The Scholarship Selection Committee will review all complete applications based on the applicant's cumulative grade point average of 3.0 and above, letter(s) of recommendation, and response to the prompt below. Secondly, the student's participation in extracurricular activities and attainment of leadership roles, special awards, certifications, etc. will be considered.

NOTIFICATION AND RECEIPT OF SCHOLARSHIP The recipient will be notified by early May via e-mail and a confirmation letter. The letter will inform the recipient of what needs to be provided to EFABA to receive the scholarship. Information relating to a required thank you letter will be included with the confirmation letter.

THE APPLICATION

1. Using word-processing, submit the following information. Include the number/letter of the item when providing your information.

- a. Name of the scholarship for which you are applying:
- b. Your Name:
- c. Home Address:
- d. Home Telephone Number:
- e. Cell Phone Number:
- f. Texting Number:
- g. Email Address:

- h. Name of the Trade school, 2- or 4-year college/university you plan to attend:
- i. Name of your Intended major/field/trade/training area:
- j. Reference letter needed from a mentor who can give examples of your leadership qualities and extracurricular activity participation:
- k. Briefly explain why you believe you meet the criteria for this scholarship:
- l. Write a 300-500-word essay (double-spaced) on this prompt:
 - **Describe your dream impactful career/passion.**
 - **How will you make a positive impact in this world/your community in the next 50 years?**
 - **What will you do to make this world a better place for the next generation?**

2. As a separate document, prepare an up-to-date personal resume that includes your academic achievements, senior-year courses, extracurricular activities, leadership qualities, and community service, etc.

3. Email the application, the essay, the letter of reference, and the resume as separate PDF attachments to EFafa.Board@gmail.com as soon as possible but not later than February 28. The filename must indicate the specific scholarship and the component of the application, for example: EF2025Impact_application.pdf, EF2025Impact_essay.pdf, EF2025Impact_resume.pdf, EF2025Impact_referenceletter.pdf, and place the name of the scholarship in the Subject heading (From EFHS 1975: Make an Impact EFHS 2025 Scholarship).