



Frank Walden Memorial Scholarship

Instructions for Scholarship Application

The Frank Walden Memorial Scholarship was established by the First Presbyterian Church of Caro on August 9th, 1985, by a gift from Mrs. Walden. The Frank Walden Memorial Scholarship, a charitable designated scholarship endowment in the Tuscola County Community Foundation, was established on November 23, 2011.

The purpose of the Frank Walden Memorial Scholarship is to provide a scholarship for Caro High School Students who are members or attend the First Presbyterian Church of Caro or to other students as determined by a scholarship review committee appointed by the session of the First Presbyterian Church of Caro. The scholarship is open to Caro High School students of any age graduating high school or currently in college and a graduate of CHS, for one year. All application requirements must be completed by the posted deadline to qualify. The scholarship available for 2025 is \$300. The recipient of the award will be recommended by the session of the First Presbyterian Church of Caro to the TCCF Board of Trustees.

Applications and required attachments must be **postmarked by March 15, 2025**:

Tuscola County Community Foundation
Frank Walden Memorial Scholarship
P.O. Box 534
Caro, MI 48723

1. Applications are to be typed or legibly printed in ink and must be signed by applicant. Applications not signed will not be considered.
2. Submit the **original application and one official high school transcript along with four (4) copies of each (including letter of recommendation and any attachments)**. Please have original printed single sided and no staples.
3. Attach to the application **and each of the four (4) copies of the application** an essay (double-spaced, 12 point font) addressing the following:
 - a. Describe in 100 words or less any unusual or applicable financial situation?
 - b. Describe in 500 words or less your extracurricular and community service experience, including participation in a faith community?
 - c. Describe in 100 words or less your employment history?
 - d. Describe in 100 words or less your course of study, educational goals, career choice (if determined), and objectives.



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All applications must be completed by the posted deadline to qualify for the Scholarship. Follow all instructions closely. Do not send materials other than those requested. Variations will cause immediate disqualification.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: _____ County of Residence: _____

Email: _____ Telephone: _____

ACT Score: _____ SAT Score: _____

High School Grade Point Average: _____ OR

College or University Grade Point Average: _____

Number of College Semesters Completed by August of this year: _____

Anticipated Expenses (Tuition, Room/Board, Books for the coming year): _____

Total Value of any other Scholarships Received: _____

Expected Family Contribution from FAFSA Application: _____

ESSAY - Double Spaced, 12 Font

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- Describe in 500 words or less your extracurricular and community service, including participating in a faith community.
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CERTIFICATION

I hereby affirm that the information provided on this form is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I consent to having my name and image likeness included in public/media releases. If under 18, parent/guardian must also sign.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature (if applicable)

Date