

Shenango Area Education Association  
"Learning for a Lifetime"  
Scholarship Application Information Sheet

The Shenango Area Education Association is pleased to announce the availability of a scholarship offered by the organization.

**Award Amount:**

- One scholarship in the amount of \$1,000

**Eligibility:**

- Awarded to a graduating senior, from Shenango High School, for the first year of college, who will be enrolled full-time at a post-secondary institution pursuing at least a two-year degree.

**Application Procedure:**

- Applicants must include the following items with the SAEA Scholarship Application Cover Sheet:
  - Proof of enrollment at a recognized post-secondary institution
  - Personal responses in 100 words or less to each of the given prompts

1. **Who or what motivates you and why?**
2. **If you could travel back in time and had a choice of sitting down and talking with someone, who would you choose and why?**
3. **Would you consider yourself a giver or a taker? Explain.**

- A type written essay of no more than two double-spaced pages in reference to the following quote by Claire Fagin. Consider your K-12 education and life experiences in your reflection.

*"Knowledge will bring you the opportunity to make a difference."*

— *Claire Fagin*

**Criteria for Judgment:**

- Application Assessment (Rubric Score ~15 pts.)
  - Each Personal Response will be graded on a scale of 1-5 for a total of 15 points.
  - Refer to the Scholarship Application rubric for scoring guide.
- Scholarship Essay (Rubric Score ~25 pts.)
  - Refer to the Scholarship Essay rubric for scoring guide.  
The essay will be scored based on the following categories: Thesis, Progression, Readability, Conclusion, and Grammar/Mechanics.

**Deadline:**

- All application materials are to be returned to the guidance office **no later than 3:00 p.m. on April 20, 2023** to be considered eligible.  
(Race, sex, creed, religion, or handicap has no bearing and is not a consideration in the selection process)

**Shenango Area Education Association Scholarship Committee:**

Kimberly Rudesill, SAEA Scholarship Committee Chairperson  
Katie Catanese    Brandi Crowl    Deanna Othites  
Stacey Panei    Sarah Piper    Katie Sherry

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## SAEA Scholarship Application Cover Sheet

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' / Guardians' Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of institution you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Were you formally accepted?      Yes              No      (Attach Proof of Acceptance)

Major or Professional Goal: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Be sure to attach other requested materials, as specified on the Scholarship Application Information Sheet to this form.  
Scholarship inquiries may be directed to Kimberly Rudesill, Committee Chairperson.