

THE MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

ETHEL O. WASHINGTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

In July, 2004, the Michigan Association of Family and Consumer Sciences first awarded the ***Ethel O. Washington Memorial Scholarship.***

Dr. Washington, who died in March of 2002, was a tireless advocate for Family and Consumer Science education. This **\$1,000** scholarship is given to a student at a two-year or four-year college or university in the State of Michigan, with a major in Human Ecology/ Home Economics/Family and Consumer Sciences or related program (Child Development, Interior Design Nutrition, Human Services, etc.) or to a high school senior who has been accepted into a related program for the school year of 2010-2011. The criteria is high academic ability, evidence of leadership, and career goals in any area of Human Ecology/Home Economics/Family Consumer Sciences.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Name _____
Last First Middle

Address _____
Street City ZIP

Phone (____) _____ E-mail address _____

Name and City/Town of High School _____

College/University you attend _____

Your major _____

REQUIRED INFORMATION: Enclose a separate page(s) with the following information:

RELATED EXPERIENCES: Briefly describe, in a paragraph or two, any jobs or volunteer opportunities or activities in which you have participated that are related to your choice of major and/or future career.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCES: List two or three of the most important leadership roles you have had in your activities or experiences, and explain why these experiences have been important to your career plans.

PROOF OF PROGRAM: Enclose a copy of your college acceptance letter with your major listed, or a copy of your most recent semester's enrollment, with courses and grades listed. If the name of your major does not show somewhere on the document, please also enclose proof of your declared major.

TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION: Ask two persons who are familiar with you and your capabilities to each write letters of recommendation for you. At least one of your letters should be from someone whose background is in the field of home economics, human ecology and/or family and consumer sciences. Your high school F&CS teacher or one of your college instructors would be ideal. Please ask the people who are recommending you to send their letters directly to the address below.

CHECKLIST OF INFORMATION TO BE SUBMITTED FOR APPLICATION:

- _____ The completed application page
- _____ Experiences related to field of study
- _____ Leadership experiences
- _____ Copy of college acceptance letter or copy of your enrollment showing most recent grades and declared major
- _____ Two letters of recommendation, directly to the scholarship committee

SEND INFORMATION TO:

MAFCS Washington Scholarship
Attention: Joy Jacobs
14 Human Ecology Building
Michigan State University
East Lansing, MI 48824-1030

DEADLINE:

Application, supporting information, and letters of recommendation should be received no later than May 31, 2010.

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