



**Marion**  
Independent School  
**Foundation**  
& Alumni Association

## 2026 Scholarship Application Worksheet - 1

Use this worksheet to gather the information needed to complete the actual scholarship application.  
The final application **MUST BE** completed online at [\*\*marion-foundation.org/scholarships\*\*](https://marion-foundation.org/scholarships).

Information submitted in the application is used only for scholarship eligibility, evaluation, selection, and transfer of awarded funds to colleges/universities. Each scholarship has unique requirements and eligibility as designated by the fund donor(s). Applicants are **NOT** guaranteed to receive an award just by completing the application.

Questions regarding the application may be directed to the Marion High School Guidance Office or to the Marion Foundation, 319-377-4691 x1110 or [marionfoundation@marion-isd.org](mailto:marionfoundation@marion-isd.org).

It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure all fields of the application are complete and accurate. Incomplete applications may be deemed ineligible or may not score as highly in the review process. Note that space is limited to where you may not be able to list all activities or achievements. Choose to list those which differentiate you as a student, or where you had the most involvement or impact.

**Final application is due**

**Monday, February 9, 2026 at 4 p.m.**

**and MUST BE completed online at**

**[\*marion-foundation.org/scholarships\*](https://marion-foundation.org/scholarships)**

### Applicant Contact Information

Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)		Preferred or nickname (optional)	
Mailing Address		City	State Zip
Phone		Email	
Birthdate (00/00/0000)		Non-school Email	
Name of parent(s)/guardian(s) who can be contacted if we can't reach you			
Parent Email		Parent Phone	
Parent Email		Parent Phone	

### Education

<input type="checkbox"/> May 2026 graduate of Marion High School <input type="checkbox"/> May 2026 graduate of Marion Home School Assistance Program		
GPA	Class Rank	Volunteer Hours while in high school (Silver Cord = 160)
College credits earned while in high school		Name(s) of Colleges where these credits were earned

### College Plans

Intended Major	Intended Minor (optional)	Intended Start Date (Month/Year)
Intended College, University, Trade School or Program		<input type="checkbox"/> I've been accepted to this school/program <input type="checkbox"/> Applied, but not yet accepted
Admissions Address, City, State, Zip		Admissions Phone
(optional) Other Intended College or Program (ie: plan to transfer after 2 years)		<input type="checkbox"/> I've been accepted to this school/program <input type="checkbox"/> Applied, but not yet accepted
Admissions Address, City, State, Zip		Admissions Phone

### High School & Community Activities

List involvement in school-sponsored activities (athletics, music, drama, leadership, clubs, etc.) community, church, 4H, scouting, civic organizations, club athletics, etc. Note accomplishment or recognition if any.

(ex: Boy Scouts - Eagle Scout Award, Girls Basketball - varsity letter 3 years, Athletics or Band - All-State, etc.)

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### Scholarship Specific Information

Check all that apply to you

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I will be the first generation of my family to attend college<br><input type="checkbox"/> I participated in at least one school sport each of my four years of high school<br><input type="checkbox"/> I have a diagnosed learning disability, work with an IEP, or been an English language learner<br><input type="checkbox"/> I have a varsity letter and first-team award in soccer<br><input type="checkbox"/> I have been an AYSO, NFHS or US Soccer referee<br><input type="checkbox"/> I have lettered in a varsity sport<br><input type="checkbox"/> I have been enrolled at MISD for all K-12 years | <input type="checkbox"/> I plan to study Industrial Technologies<br><input type="checkbox"/> I plan to study a trade<br><input type="checkbox"/> I plan to pursue an apprenticeship in the plumbing trades<br><input type="checkbox"/> I plan to study fire science or EMT/paramedic fields<br><input type="checkbox"/> I plan to study dentistry/dental hygiene/dental tech<br><input type="checkbox"/> I plan to be involved with ROTC/National Guard |
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### Employment

List jobs you've held, hours worked per week, and in which year(s) you held the jobs.

Employer/duties/years (ex: Greg's Coffee Shop/server/11&12)	Hours per week
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### Apprenticeships or Internships

List positions you held, hours worked per week, and in which year(s) you held the position.

Employer/duties/years (ex: Healthy Hospital/patient care tech/12)	Hours per week
Employer/duties/years	Hours per week

### Volunteer Positions

List ONGOING volunteer positions you've held, hours per week, and in which year(s) you were active.

Organization/duties/years (ex: Linn Care Center/activities with seniors/10)	Hours per week
Organization/duties/years	Hours per week



**Essay Questions (300 words or less each)**

Please provide a short statement about yourself and your interests both in and outside of school.

Describe your education and/or career aspirations and goals.

Describe any financial challenges, learning disabilities/barriers, or other obstacles to your learning that you face in pursuing postsecondary education. How might these challenges be alleviated if you were to receive a scholarship?