

MARY FINK MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

Sponsored by the
 NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN – INDIANAPOLIS SECTION
 c/o 6905 Hoover Road
 Indianapolis, Indiana 46260

The Mary Fink Merit Scholarship is open to Indiana Jewish high-school seniors planning to attend an accredited university or college as a full-time student. Candidate must exhibit:
 1.) strong commitment to Jewish values through civic involvement;
 2.) activities and commitment in both the general and Jewish communities; 3.) character, leadership and scholastic achievement.

Note: Only one Mary Fink Merit Scholar is awarded per year. Interested students should submit applications for both the Jewish Student Scholarship and the Mary Fink Merit Scholarship.

Complete this application, sign and submit with the following:

Essay – Scholarship is awarded to the candidate who best demonstrates strong commitment to Jewish values through involvement in both civic and Jewish activities, character, leadership and scholastic achievement. Submit a typed, double-spaced essay, *minimum* two pages, explaining how you meet the eligibility requirements.

References – Ask two individuals to write letters of recommendation for you. You may ask teachers, employers, clergy, personal mentors, etc. (no relatives or significant others). *Submit both letters with this application.*

Transcript – Submit an official school transcript with your application.

Photograph – Include a wallet-sized photo with your name on the back.

Application Checklist	<u>Office Use</u>
_____ Application with Signature	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____ Essay	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____ Recommendation Letter #1	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____ Recommendation Letter #2	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____ School Transcript	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____ Photograph	<input type="checkbox"/>
Date Received _____	

**APPLICATION MUST BE
 POSTMARKED BY
 MARCH 15, 2023**

NOTE: Final candidates will meet with members of the Scholarship Committee for a personal interview.



Name _____ Sex _____ M _____ F _____

Address _____ Zip _____

Phone# _____ Birth Date _____

E-Mail Address _____

High School _____ Address _____

Guidance Counselor's Name _____ Phone # _____

Parent/Guardian Names _____

Scholastic standing: Class Rank / Total Class _____ GPA / Grade Scale _____

Extracurricular activities:

Awards / Honors

Employment history:

_____ from _____ to
_____ from _____ to
_____ from _____ to

University/College you plan to attend

Have you been accepted? _____ Course of study/objective _____

How did you learn about this scholarship? _____

**ONLY APPLICANTS WHO SUBMIT THIS COMPLETED FORM WITH ALL
REQUIRED MATERIALS WILL BE CONSIDERED.**

Use the checklist in the upper right corner of the first page to be sure your application is complete.

This scholarship is available to students enrolling in an accredited college or university as a full-time student (at least 12 credit hours per semester). If selected to receive a scholarship, you will receive the financial award in the summer of 2020.

Note: As part of the selection process, final candidates will meet briefly with members of the NCJW Scholarship Committee. The meeting is scheduled to take place on Sunday April 30, 2023, between 12-5 pm

I affirm that the above and foregoing information is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I also understand that supplying incomplete or false information automatically voids my eligibility for this scholarship.

Signature

Date

Send all materials to: NCJW Scholarship Committee
6905 Hoover Road
Indianapolis, IN 46260

Questions?

Call or Text Lori at 317/691-4400, or E-Mail to Lamin317@gmail.com.

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