

Merrily Jane Lloyd Scholarship

Description/ Qualifying Criteria: *A scholarship awarded to a graduating senior residing in the greater Albion area with plans to attend a two- or four-year institution as a full-time student. Concord, Homer, Marshall, Marshall Opportunity, Marshall Academy, and Springport High Schools may each nominate one student whom demonstrates the characteristics that Merrily embodied: dignity, class, grace, compassion and selflessness. The committee will then select a recipient from this pool of nominees. Financial need and involvement in co- and extra-curricular activities such as, but not limited to, employment and student organizations, may be determining factors. Personal interview with the committee may be requested. The Merrily Jane Lloyd Scholarship is renewable for up to three additional years to a previous recipient who maintains a status in good standing and a 3.0 GPA.*

Essay Question: Please select one person, living or deceased, who embodies or embodied the characteristics that you find admirable, and that you believe are essential for a person to contribute positively to family, community and nation. In your essay, discuss those characteristics, how they are or were demonstrated by this person, and how they have inspired you to better the communities to which you belong.

Recommendation Letters: Two required – one from a school educator/administrator and one from an adult member of the community (not a family member).

Financial Criteria: *Yes, complete the Marshall Community Foundation Financial Information form (available to download from the MCF website) and return, along with the first page only of your FAFSA Student Aid Report, with scholarship application.*

Application Process: Return the completed Marshall Community Foundation **4-page application** (available to download from the MCF website), including recommendation letter(s), essay question(s), transcripts and any other qualifying criteria to your High School Guidance Office.

Deadline: March 1

Contact: School Guidance Office or Marshall Community Foundation 269.781.2273, e-mail: info@marshallcf.org, website: www.marshallcf.org