



## **JAMES W. AND THELMA GARSIDE SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship was established in memory of James W. and Thelma Garside and is awarded annually to least one graduating Gull Lake High School senior.

### **Award**

Up to \$2,000; non-renewable (multiple scholarships may be awarded)

### **Eligibility Criteria**

The applicant must be a graduating Gull Lake High School senior who is planning to enroll in an accredited Michigan college or university as a full-time student. The applicant must have a minimum 3.0 GPA at the end of the first trimester senior year, with preference given to students with a 3.0-3.5 GPA. Participation in school and community activities, part-time work history and financial need will be considered. Finalists for this scholarship will be interviewed.

### **Application Instructions**

The following must be submitted to the Gull Lake High School Guidance Office by February 22, 2019, 3:00 pm:

- One completed copy of the Scholarship Application Cover Page with the box marked for this scholarship
- One completed copy of the Scholarship Application
- One letter of recommendation from a Gull Lake High School teacher
- An essay (up to two pages) addressing why you merit consideration for this scholarship. Include how extra-curricular activities, volunteer experiences and leadership roles helped you prepare for your choice of study, and if you have overcome challenges or improved in motivation and achievement during high school. Provide a description of your family, including information that will assist the advisory committee in understanding a need for financial assistance

### **Interviews**

Scholarship finalists will be interviewed by the Garside Scholarship Advisory Committee.