

**GFWC MONROE COUNTY FEDERATION OF WOMEN' S CLUBS
MARY GEARHART MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Judy Grace, President

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

ADVICE TO APPLICANT

1. **THE ENTIRE APPLICATION MUST BE TYPED.**
2. All information requested must be accurate and complete. An incomplete application will not be considered. If a question does not apply, please mark appropriate line.
3. The application must be completed and returned to the Guidance Department by April 17, 2009. The Guidance Department will complete the last page and forward all completed applications to **Connie Moretz** no later than April 24, 2009.
4. The scholarship will be awarded based on the following criteria:
 - a. The candidate must have a well-rounded personality (character, citizenship, etc.) and a range of interests exhibited through hobbies, community service, extra curricular activities, etc. (40%)
 - b. The candidate must have an average or above-average scholastic record. (40%)
 - c. The answers to the two essay questions. (10% each)

PART I: GENERAL INFORMATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

City _____ Zip Code _____ Telephone () _____

Birth date: _____ Age: _____

Father=s Name: _____

Where employed: _____

Mother=s name: _____

Where employed: _____

Number of siblings: _____ Number living at home _____ Number attending college _____

I, _____, release this application and my school records to the members of the GFWC Monroe County Federation of Women' s Clubs Scholarship Committee and certify that the information stated is true to the best of my knowledge.

Date: _____ Signature of applicant _____

PART II: GENERAL QUESTIONS

Please answer the questions below on a separate sheet(s) of paper. When completed, attach to the preceding page and return to your Guidance Department no later than **April 17, 2009**.

1. List special honors received in high school and for community service. (Honor roll, Honor societies, special awards, etc.)
2. List work experience stating most recent first. Include full time, part time and summer employment.
3. List hobbies & provide a brief explanation where necessary.
4. Have you received any financial aid or other scholarships? List all.
5. If needed, would you appear for a personal interview with the selection committee?
6. List all colleges and vocational schools to which you have applied.
7. List all acceptances received.
8. Which school do you plan to attend?
9. What is the annual tuition for that school?
10. What is the field of study you will pursue? Please be specific.
11. List all extra-curricular activities in which you have participated in school or the community (during grades 10-12). Provide the activity, length involved and positions held.

PART III: ESSAY QUESTIONS (Please answer in 250 words or less)

1. Why did you choose your major field of study?
2. Why do you feel you should receive this scholarship?

For completion by the Guidance Department:

Name of school: _____

Class rank: _____ out of _____ students

Grade point average: _____

SAT scores: Verbal _____ Math _____

Date _____ Signature of Guidance Counselor _____