The Joseph A. and Rhea M. Jeffries Memorial Scholarship
Application Form for 2027-28 School Year

The Joseph A. & Rhea M. Jeffries Memorial Scholarship is a $750 scholarship that is granted to a Stark County student who has demonstrated academic achievement, character, leadership, and service to school and community. Two scholarships will be awarded for the 2027-2028 academic year.

Applicants must meet the following **requirements**:

1. Be a resident of Stark County and a senior in or a graduate of a Stark County high school
2. Be accepted or have an application in process by an accredited college or university
3. Have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.6 on a 4.0 scale

Please include in your **application**:

1. A completed ***typed*** application form
   Forms in Microsoft Word and PDF can be downloaded from www.josephajeffries.com/scholarship.html

2. Transcript
   a. High school students should submit an **official** transcript with in-progress grades and courses and all ACT and/or SAT scores.
   b. Freshman status college students should submit an official high school and college transcript.
   c. Upper-class status college students need only submit an official college transcript.

3. Two (2) letters of recommendation with at least one recommendation from school personnel.

Please mail your application, transcript, and letters of recommendation to:

Scholarship Committee

9415 Reeder Avenue NE

Louisville, OH 44641

Applications must be post marked by March 12, 2027.

Note: An incomplete or non-typed application will not be considered.

For additional information, email the committee at scholarship@josephajeffries.com

Applicant Information:

Name: _____

Parents' Names: _____

Permanent Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail address: _____

High School: _____ Year of Graduation: _____

High School GPA: (unweighted) _____ (weighted) _____

College GPA: _____ after _____ Credit Hours

College(s) Applied to/or Attending _____

Are you planning to be a full time student? _____ Yes _____ No

Proposed College Major: _____

Recommendations: Please provide the following information for the writers of your recommendations. At least one must be from school personnel.

1. Name: _____
   Phone: _____
   Relationship: _____

2. Name: _____
   Phone: _____
   Relationship: _____

Explain your career goals and objectives.
(Please limit your essay to the space provided. Essay should be between 250-300 words.)

Write an autobiographical essay about your need for this scholarship.
Please limit your essay to the space provided. Essay should be between 250-300 words.)

List all extracurricular activities, community activities, and work experience:
(Include years of active participation, offices held and honors received.)

Attestment:

I hereby apply for the Joseph A. & Rhea M. Jeffries Memorial Scholarship. The information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. This information and that contained in my high school and college transcripts are hereby released to The Joseph A. & Rhea M. Jeffries Memorial Scholarship Committee.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____