



**JAMES ALBRECHT MEMORIAL
Scholarship Application Form**

This scholarship is administered by the Ridgewater College Foundation

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED IN OUR OFFICE BY JUNE 1, 2022.

NOTE: This paper application is for students NOT planning to attend Ridgewater College only. Students planning to attend Ridgewater should apply for admission and once admitted, complete the online application instead; the online application is used for *all Ridgewater Foundation scholarships*. Go to: www.ridgewater.edu/scholarships for full info.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name:		
Address:		Student Cell Phone:
City/State/Zip		County:

Student Email Address: _____

Home or Parent Email: _____

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

Which High School did you attend: GFW HIGH SCHOOL

High School GPA (cumulative): ____ / 4.0 scale Graduation Date: _____

If not a 4.0 scale, please explain: _____

High School Involvement [check all that apply]: ___Track ___ Cross Country ___Band

COLLEGE INFORMATION

Do you plan to attend RIDGEWATER COLLEGE** for Fall 2020? YES or NO

If not planning to attend Ridgewater, what college do you plan to attend:

Name of college: _____

Address/City/State/Zip of college: _____

Intended major or program of study: Automotive? YES or NO

If other, please describe: _____

EMPLOYMENT

1. If NOT employed, answer N/A. If you currently have a job, please provide the employer name, your job title, and brief description of your duties.

2. The following words or traits are employers use to describe their best employees: collaborative, detail-oriented, honest, passionate, hard-working, reliable, punctual (being on time), and following directions. Give an example of how you have demonstrated one or more of these traits in your work, school work, or activities.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

1. Please list any community or volunteer activities you have been part of in the past 3 years and include any leadership roles you held.

3. Describe any obstacles or hardships that you have experienced or are working to overcome:

4. Explain how a scholarship will impact you. How will it help you meet or overcome the hardships or barriers that you are facing?

5. Why should our donors be proud to invest in your education?

FINANCIAL NEED / PAYING FOR COLLEGE

6. Please explain how you plan to pay for college tuition, fees, books etc.

7. Describe any challenges you are facing with paying for your college education:

DIVERSITY, EQUITY AND INCLUSION

1. Tell us about a time when you've taken steps to ensure others felt included and/or when you were not included or felt your voice wasn't heard. Describe the situation, actions, and outcome.

OTHER INFORMATION

If there is any additional information you wish to add to your application, please use the space here to do so, if NOT, answer N/A: (OPTIONAL)

OPTIONAL DOCUMENTS

I have attached at least one and no more than two letter(s) of recommendation to this application.

CERTIFICATION – please initial each statement to confirm that you understand.

____ I certify that all information on this scholarship application is correct to the best of my knowledge.

____ I understand that the content of my application will be shared with a review committee which may or may not include the donor(s).

____ I give the Ridgewater College Foundation and Heritage Bank permission to access my academic information to ensure eligibility and to use my name and photo in future marketing materials publicizing scholarships.

____ By submitting this application, I am granting permission to the Ridgewater College Foundation and scholarship review committee to view and use my student educational data as needed to process this scholarship application.

SIGNATURE

NAME [printed]: _____ Date: _____

Applicant signature: _____

Please return this paper application by the appropriate deadline to:

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