

# 2024 Purdy Games Memorial Scholarship Application

The purpose of this scholarship is to encourage and enable the post-secondary education of Ripley Union Lewis Huntington graduates. The intent is to make a significant difference; therefore, priority will be given to applicants who would not otherwise be able to afford additional education. Scholarship amounts vary. This scholarship is renewable for four years, pending a review by the committee.

**REQUIREMENTS:** Scholarship applicants must be a graduating senior or a graduate of Ripley Union Lewis Huntington (RULH) High School. Scholarship applicants must complete this application and submit it along with an official transcript and a copy of ACT/SAT score(s). Please include two letters of recommendations.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Family Members Living in Your Household: \_\_\_\_\_

Family's Yearly Combined Income: \_\_\_\_\_ Less than \$25,000    \_\_\_\_\_ \$25,000-\$40,000  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$40,000-\$55,000    \_\_\_\_\_ \$55,000-\$70,000    \_\_\_\_\_ \$70,000-\$90,000    \_\_\_\_\_ \$90,000 or more

Including yourself, how many members of your household will be attending college next year? \_\_\_\_\_

Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_    Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_    ACT Score \_\_\_\_\_  
(Composite)

List below the name of the colleges to which you have been accepted:

<u>College/University name</u>	<u>Month accepted</u>	<u>Living on campus or commuting</u>	<u>Cost to attend per year</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

What is your EFC (Expected Family Contribution) based on the FAFSA: \_\_\_\_\_

List the amount of grants you will be receiving from the college: \_\_\_\_\_

List names of scholarships (and the amounts) you will be receiving from your college or elsewhere:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What is your intended course of study/major? \_\_\_\_\_

What job/career do you see yourself having in 5 years from now? \_\_\_\_\_

How do you intend to fund your college education? (Check any that apply)

- a) family helping \_\_\_\_\_    c) summer work \_\_\_\_\_  
b) part-time work \_\_\_\_\_    d) loans \_\_\_\_\_

Please list two references, one of which is RULH HS staff member and one who is not:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## **HIGH SCHOOL AND/OR COLLEGE EXPERIENCE**

On separate sheet(s), please type the answers to the following:

**ESSAY:** In a one-page essay, please summarize your academic and personal achievements, your character and any other personal information you feel would be relevant to the obtaining this scholarship. Also, describe your academic and personal goals, including how this scholarship will help you to attain these goals; please include your intended major/career and the college/university you plan to attend.

**EMPLOYMENT:** Please give the company/employer name, hours per week, year(s) employed, and a description of your job.

**SCHOOL and COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:** Please list and describe your involvement in Student Organizations or School Clubs, Community Service or Community Organizations, Athletics or Work Experience, including any special honors or leadership positions (include duration of activity, i.e. one year, once per week, one time, etc.

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT:** Explain your financial need for a scholarship, including your Expected Family Contribution (EFC) from your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), how you are currently planning to finance your education, and discuss any unusual need for financial assistance in the coming school year.

**I certify that everything I have stated in my application to be true and valid.**

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Due by April 1st, 2024 on the Purdy Games Memorial Scholarship website.**