

MERIDIAN HIGH SCHOOL
GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Instructions: 1. Please type.

2. Attach the following:

- a) High School transcript (see Guidance Office),
- b) two character reference letters
(none from relatives, at least one from a teacher),
- c) an essay (300-500 words) addressing topics such as why you plan to attend college, what you intend to gain from a college education, your financial need, why you will be a successful college student, how you plan to use your college education, and/or other pertinent information about yourself.

3. Submit this application with requested attachments to the Guidance Office of Meridian High School by **March 3, 2009**. (Financial attachments will be accepted as late as 5-1-09.)

1. Applicant's Name: _____

Household Address: _____

2. a) Number in your Household: _____

b) Ages of children (dependents) in your Household: _____

c) Of those in your Household, number attending college in 2008-2010: _____

d) Parents' Names and Occupations:

e) Household's EFC for 2009-10: \$_____ (Please attach the verifying SAR, showing at least the student name and the EFC.)

f) Discuss below (or on the back of this page) any special circumstances that will significantly affect your family's Household income level in the next year or two.

3. a) College you plan to attend: _____

b) Annual Cost (tuition + room/board) of attending that college: \$ _____

c) College Major/field of study planned: _____

4. List all past and present work experience.

5. a) List the high school activities in which you have participated. (Indicate the number of years you participated and any offices held or honors received.)

b) List any other special honors or recognition you have received in high school.

c) List other special interests, hobbies, and/or activities outside the high school setting, including any offices held or honors received.