



## Carl and Irene Garness Scholarship Fund Criteria

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### Requirements:

- Applicant must be planning on attending or is attending an Iowa United Methodist College
- Applicant shall rank in the upper half of their graduation class, if high school senior, and show definite desire to attend college.
- Applicant must be from one of the following Iowa counties:
  - Clay, Emmet, or Dickinson
- Financial need shall be a determining factor. Applicant ***must*** submit FAFSA/IRS Tax return.
- Applicant must submit grade transcript to date.
- Applicant must submit proof of ACT and/or SAT scores.

Personal statement about applicant with a history involving the following as applicable:

- Church involvement, positions held and participation in activities.
- Description of leadership in school.
- Community leadership *outside* the local church.

At least two letters of recommendation required:

- Pastor (*required*)
- School Advisor/Counselor or Teacher
- Community Leader *outside* the local church, i.e. employer, coach, etc. (No relatives)

Please apply online at [www.iumf.org/scholarships/](http://www.iumf.org/scholarships/) if all criteria is met.

All applications and required documentation must be completed online, the Foundation cannot accept applications and documentation sent by mail or email.

All questions regarding application process must be directed to ISTS at 855-670-4787.

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