

## CRITERIA

### THE DENION FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

**PURPOSE:** The purpose of the Denion Family Scholarship is to provide a \$500.00 scholarship to 10 graduating seniors at Westminster High School.

The Denion Family Scholarship will be awarded to 10 graduating seniors at Westminster High School in Carroll County Maryland pursuing a degree or certificate at any accredited 2- or 4-year college, university or trade school who meets the criteria established for the fund.

### FUND SELECTION CRITERIA:

A. FUNDS will be awarded to an applicant who meets the following criteria:

1. The student will be a member of the Westminster High School graduation class.
2. The student will have been accepted at an accredited college, university or trade school.
3. The student will have maintained a GPA of 2.75 for his or her high school career.
4. While attending Westminster High School, the student will have demonstrated attributes related to creativity, work ethic, determination, character, attitude, and a willingness to help others.

B. The administration of the FUND shall be as follows:

1. The recipient(s) shall be selected by the Donor or their designee, and approved by the Board of Directors of the Community Foundation of Carroll County. Donor reserves the right to make the award presentation.
2. All income in the Fund shall be used for fund purposes.
3. The money shall be transmitted by the Community Foundation of Carroll County directly to the desired college, university or trade school and applied directly to the student's tuition and books.

### GENERAL CONDITIONS:

### RESPONSIBILITIES OF FUND

The Community Foundation will transmit a check made payable to the institutions of higher learning chosen on or about August 1 of each year. The transfers will be in accordance with applicable regulations and laws governing such funds.

## RESPONSIBILITIES OF BOARD

A.

The successful student recipients will be selected in accordance with the selection criteria identified in the Agreement.

B.

The Community Foundation of Carroll County shall administer the program in a prudent financial manner and the funds may be commingled with other funds of the Community Foundation of Carroll County.

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