## Richard Brown Scholarship for Future Engineers

Description/ Qualifying Criteria: Scholarships awarded to Marshall or Tekonsha Public School graduating seniors or previous MPS/TPS graduates who will be attending a four-year college or university and pursuing a degree in engineering (biomedical, electrical, chemical, civil or mechanical). Preference may be given to students pursuing a career in mechanical engineering. Volunteerism or participation in relevant activities and financial need may be determining factors. A minimum 3.5 GPA is required. Previous graduates must submit proof of graduation from MHS/THS as well as current transcripts. Students who receive this scholarship may apply for further support in subsequent years, however, applicant must submit updated supporting materials. Previously submitted narratives or letters of recommendation will not be accepted.

**Essay Question:** Brief essay addressing why you have chosen engineering as a career path, and explaining financial need.

**Recommendation Letters**: Two required- one from a <u>current</u> teacher or professor and one from an employer or community member who knows the applicant personally (not a family member).

Financial Criteria: Yes, complete the financial information portion of the online application and upload the <u>first page only</u> of your FAFSA Student Aid Report.

**Application Process**: Complete the online application found on the Marshall Community Foundation website: <a href="marshallcf.org/receive/scholarships/apply/">marshallcf.org/receive/scholarships/apply/</a>. Contact the Foundation for assistance or with any questions you may have.

Deadline: March 1

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