

## SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Application for Prior Recipients

## The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Commemoration Committee

Each year the MLK Commemoration Committee awards multiple scholarships of at least \$1000 based on academic achievement, extra-curricular activities, and civic engagement to members of our community continuing their education. We do this through the generous support of our sponsors and a free-will offering at our annual MLK service.

Originally designated for graduating high school seniors and current college students, the scholarship opportunities have been extended, as funding permits, to other community members seeking higher education or skills training. This includes graduates of the Carlisle GED program and those recently released from prison, in addition to adults in graduate and post-grad studies.

Applicants should demonstrate adherence to the principles that guided the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., such as an unwavering commitment to non-violence and to policies that promote racial equity and advance racial justice.

To apply, please complete this two-page application and email it and a copy of your **most recent transcript** to Ms. Keely McGeehan at <a href="mageehank@carlisleschools.org">mcgeehank@carlisleschools.org</a>. Feel free to include a letter of recommendation, but know that this is not a requirement.

The annual deadline to apply for scholarships is June 1. As always, funds will begin to be disbursed to the schools of the successful applicants at the start of the upcoming academic year. The scholarship awardees will be recognized at the annual MLK Commemoration event in January.

| Full name   | Application date |
|---|------------------|
| Pronoun preferences                                     | Birthdate        |
| Mailing address   |                  |
| Email address   | Phone number     |
| School/training program for requested scholarship funds |                  |
| School mailing address                                  |                  |

Note: The fields for the next three questions will accommodate longer responses by reducing the size of the type. If the font becomes too difficult to read, please include a separate sheet and check this box.

| Full name   | Application date |
|---|------------------|
| Describe how you have been involved in your learning community in the past year.                                |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
| Describe how your learning experience has allowed you to further the legacy of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King. |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
| Describe your current career goals.   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |
|   |                  |